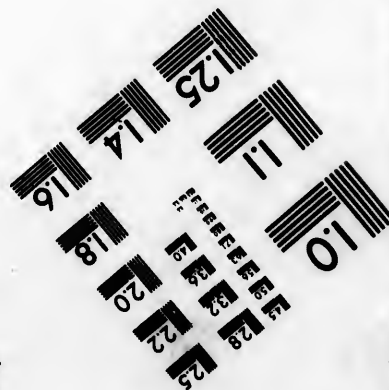
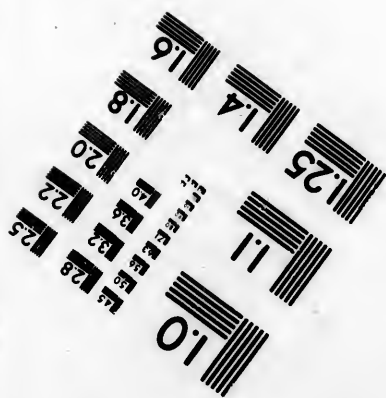
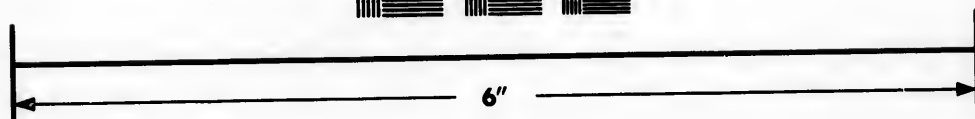
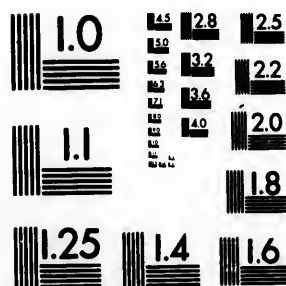


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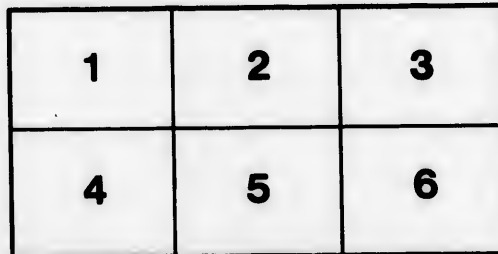
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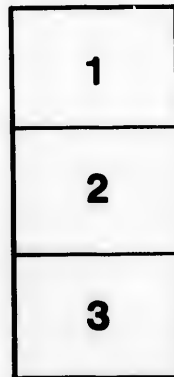
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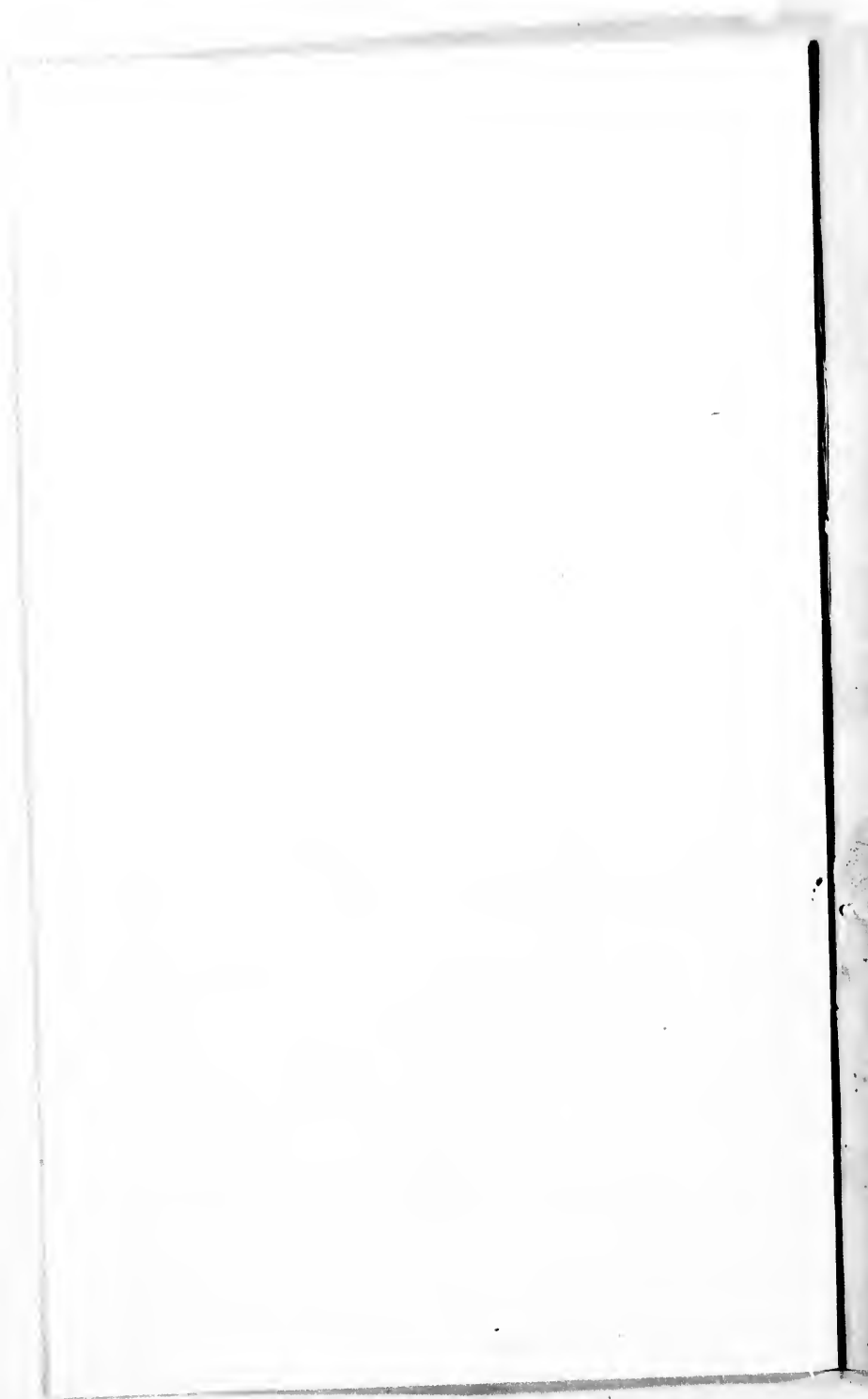
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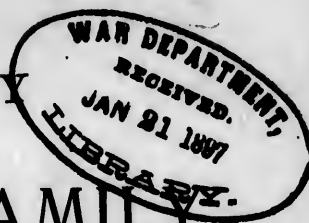
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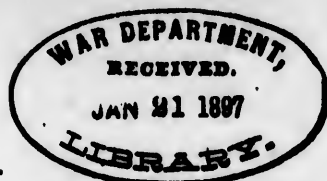


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INTRODUCTION.

It is hoped that this book will be of decided interest and value, not only to the family described upon its pages, but to the general public, and especially to those students of history who lay bare the past, catch clear glimpses of its existence, and acquire a just appreciation of its spirit by following the lines of particular families. By this study they know the motives which influenced the actions and moulded lives of its individual members. It is not to be denied that such studies have a remarkable value in disclosing the evolution of states, and the building of governments.

A clear insight into the formation of some of the earlier colonies, now embraced in the United States, the organization and development of many of their towns, their slow growths, the sufferings of the settlers, the distressing Indian wars, the contest for national independence, the struggle with Great Britain from 1812 to '15, and the mighty battle for national supremacy and existence from 1861 to '65, with many glimpses of the politics of the states and nation, may be had by following and noting the lives of individuals of different generations of the family whose existence is here delineated.

This work has the charm of novelty, and the merit of originality—for never before has any History of the Sinclairs of America appeared.

The family, also, has about it the glamour of romance and antiquity in being the offshoot of one of the most illustrious ones on the other side of the sea. For a thousand years its course can be traced—for a thousand years its members have belonged to the advanced guard of civilization. From the misty Norse-land to the sunny plains of Normandy, France, from thence to England, to Scotland, to Wales, and

centuries later to Ireland, Australia, and America, it has helped to conquer, then reorganize, develop and protect new communities. In the United States its members have been active participants in every war. In that respect it has been a decidedly marked and peculiar family.

In America its patriotism has been unquestioned, of the most unobtrusive kind and most valiant order. It has shrank from no dangers, and has not been appalled at the fearful risks of the most hazardous chances of war. In scouting expeditions against lurking Indians in ambush, in the long and dreary march through wilderness forests, in the rigor of our northern winters in half-sheltered camps, in bivouac, and on scores of battlefields, its members have suffered and endured as only the brave and heroic can, and some of them have rendered the supreme sacrifice of life itself for their country. In relation to them I can say that which might not be appropriate for one of the Sinclairs to utter.

This work has been a laborious and difficult one, as few accurate records have been kept by the family. This deficiency had to be supplied by facts obtained from wills, and records of administrations of estates, gathered in many probate offices in different sections, and from the offices where transfers of land were recorded, by town and church records in various states, by military records published by different states, from manuscript records of the states, and pension papers in the Pension Office at Washington, D. C., and from tombstones in every known locality where the family has lived. All known sources of knowledge on this subject in America and in Europe have been consulted by correspondence or by my personal inspection.

This work is one of infinite detail. Errors will appear, criticisms will be made. But let him who has prepared a work of a similar nature, thereby knowing its difficulties, and whose work is faultless, be the one to "cast the first stone." Silence will become all others as a jewelled crown does the brow of the fairest princess.

For a long time I had desired to know more of the ancient Norman families who settled in England at the time of the Conquest. A special fascination always clung to the Sancto-Claro family, a branch of which lived at Roslin-Castle. Inves-

tigations in that direction have led to this volume, which is now given to the public.

The orthography of the name has greatly perplexed me, as the kalledoscopic changes from Sinclair to St. Clair, or St. Clair to Sinclair, were brought to my view, and even before the name settled down to the common form of Sinclair or St. Clair, which is within a century. I have faithfully attempted to follow in the spelling of each individual's name the form adopted by that individual.

Some inaccuracies will probably be found in this book, in the printing of proper names and dates. The responsibility rests largely on the parties who sent me the records, for oftentimes they were written hastily and illegibly. I made great efforts to have the names correct, and the dates full and accurate.

ARRANGEMENT.

The arrangement is simple, and similar to that adopted in many genealogical works.

The pedigree of each head of a family goes back to the emigrating, or first known ancestor. The latter is indicated by the numerical figure ¹, meaning the first known generation; and so following down the line, with the ancestor's name marked by a numerical figure denoting the generation in which the person stands.

On the left margins of the pages consecutive numbers are used. Heads of families, as a rule, appear with two numbers, first as a child, with number on the left; while on the right in parentheses () is the number where the person will be found as the head of a family. Turning to that number will be found the person with numbers reversed. At the right of the name in brackets [] will be the number of the person as a child. By looking at the numbers back and forth, the plan will be apparent.

Much care and painstaking have been expended in arranging the running titles, the table of contents, the list of illustrations, while against each subject is placed the number of the page where such subject is treated in the book. A most copious index, giving every name in the book, in itself a great work, has been prepared, which makes the work easy for

reference, and vastly adds thereby to its value. Any statistical work sent forth to the world without a proper and full index is deficient of one of its chief merits and crowning glories.

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This work chronicles and preserves much history of another American family from its advent to these shores until the present. It gives information and knowledge to many Sinclairs of a relationship with other Sinclairs of diverged lines of which they never dreamed before. It brings them into closer intimacy and connection, and establishes between them a common and fraternal bond of sympathy and regard. It may lead to regular reunions of the numerous widely scattered, and far separated members.

This work recalls much from the mist of vanished years which existed only in loving memories. Forms laid away in the long-ago it brings back clothed in former loveliness and beauty.

This book is now sent forth upon its mission in the world. Go forth, product of hand and brain, I bid you "Good speed and far going."

LEONARD ALLISON MORRISON.

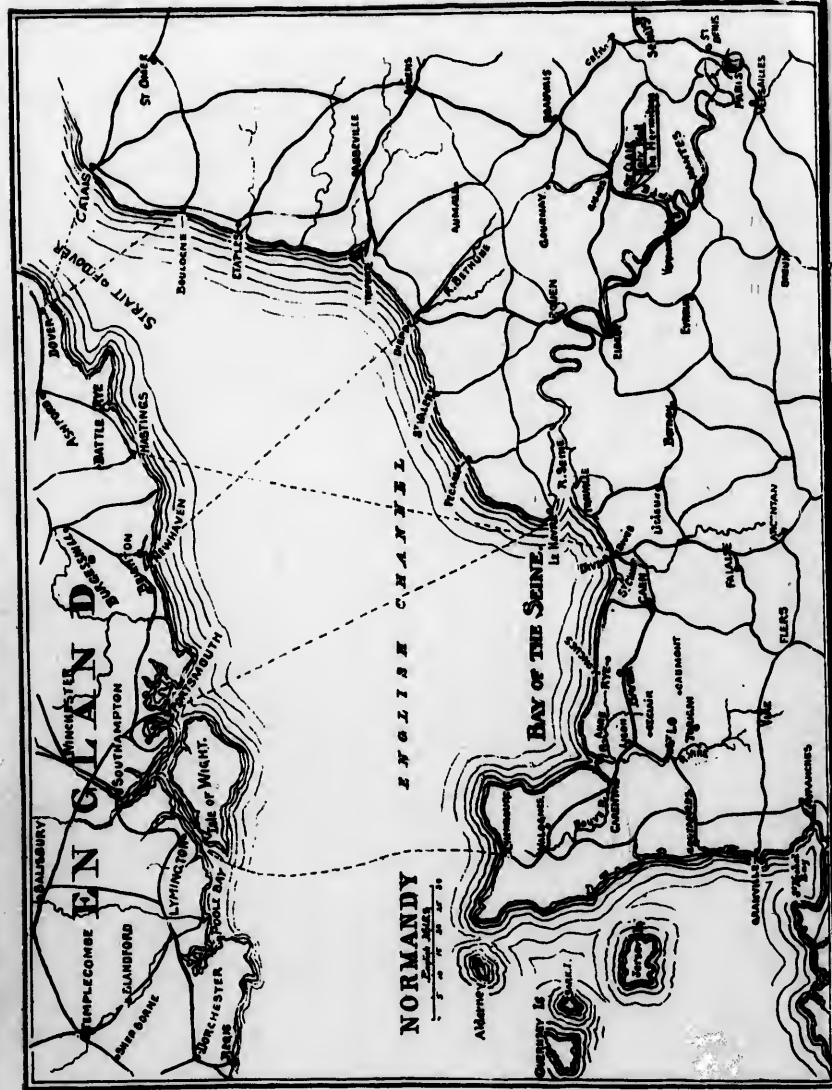
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HISTORY OF THE ST. CLAIRS OR SINCLAIRS.

CHAPTER I.

ORIGIN OF THE ST. CLAIR OR SINCLAIR NAME.—THE HERMIT ST. CLAIR.—THE HOME OF THE HERMIT.—THE HERMITAGE.—THE CHAPEL.—THE HISTORIC FAMILY OF ST. CLAIR.—ORIGIN OF THEIR NAME.—THE SINCLAIRS OF NORMANDY, FRANCE.—THEIR LINEAGE.—THE PROGENITOR OF THE SINCLAIR FAMILY.—INVASION OF ENGLAND BY WILLIAM THE CONQUEROR.—THE BATTLE OF HASTINGS.—DEATH OF KING HAROLD.

IN SUNNY France there is an ancient and beautiful province which strikingly resembles some of the fairer districts of England. It is closely connected with the latter by sympathy and by memories of an illustrious past. There are *old* towns and newer ones of beauty which will interest the traveler. Every spot seems stamped with the impress of one mighty man—William the Conqueror. Among the lesser of the lovely rivers of Normandy is the Epte, which flows quietly along through pleasant and luxuriant intervaues on its course to the Seine. There is a spot upon its shore where a grove of tall trees *not* too thickly stand, and whose high and leafy tops furnish a protection to the creepers and small undergrowth among them, and a refreshing shade to the visitor upon a day of warmth and sun. A few rods from the flowing river is the "Holy Well" of a martyred saint, whose pure waters, it is said, have for centuries given and still impart a healing power to the eyes, and which the pious and simple people still use, anointing themselves with the sign of the cross. Near at hand is the former place of abode of the pious recluse, where exists a shrine in his honor, and a chapel adjacent thereto where worshippers often gather to listen to their religious teachers and to utter their songs of praise. At an early period a member of one of the noted families of England left his native land and at this place in Normandy made his abode. He was a religious man; lived in a Hermitage. In that remote century, in primitive style, and in great simplicity, he lived. The beautiful lines of the poet are nearly applicable to this saintly man.

"Far in the wild, unknown to public view,
From youth to age a reverend hermit grew;
The moss his bed, the cave his humble cell,
His food the fruits, his drink the crystal well.
Remote from man, with God he pass'd his days,
Prayer all his business—all his pleasure praise."

Though more than a thousand years have gone since then, his memory is still fragrant, the place he trod is sacred, the location of the Hermitage is still to be seen, and thither many pilgrims come to do him honor.

This recluse was fortunate in being a righteous man, and so became a saintly martyr, was canonized by the church, and won immortality.

ORIGIN OF THE ST. CLAIR NAME.

His name was Clare, of Rochester, County of Kent, England. For a scathing review and just condemnation of the conduct of one of the high-born dames of Normandy he was foully assassinated by two of her minions. The church honored his memory, he became a saint; thus the Clare of England became the Saint Clare of France. St. Clair was the name of his dwelling. He stamped the same upon a famous baronial castle, in close proximity, and imparted it again to the town in which he lived, and the latter bears the name even unto this day. The town of St. Clere is situated near and north-east of Vernon, and is some two hours' ride from Paris. By the impress of his patronymic upon a famous castle, and the country about, he gave the family designation to a numerous and illustrious family, of an entirely different blood from himself, whose history will be given. Thus, by his martyrdom, by the celebrity of this castle, and by the knightly deeds of the family of St. Clair, who took their name from the town or locality, his memory has been preserved and will ever endure. On the eve of his departure, as he looked forth on the fair landscape about him, he might well exclaim as he was quitting them forever:

"Farewell ye mountains, ye beloved pastures,
Ye dear still valleys, fare ye well."

He suffered martyrdom in A. D. 884.

THE PLACE AND PRESENT APPEARANCE OF THE OLD HOME OF THE HERMIT.

One mile distant from the railway station in St. Clere, France, is the place where lived the Hermit. It is situated on a rich and fertile plain among tall trees on the bank of the river Epte. Passing through the unlocked gate one soon reaches the "Holy Well" of St. Clair, which is surrounded by an iron railing and is some four feet in length, three feet in width, and four feet in depth, with a brick or cemented bottom. Its clear and limpid waters are reached by three stone steps. At one end is a half circular piece of stone masonry, six feet or more in

height, surmounted by a ball of stone, and this by a stone cross. Inside of this structure, in a niche two feet from the floor, is a statue of St. Clair, made of the soft stone of the country. In his hands he bears his dissevered head, for he was executed by direction of a cruel woman whose crimes he had sharply rebuked.

THE HERMITAGE.

Passing through another gateway, in a high faced stone wall, his Hermitage is reached. This wall surrounds a plot of ground some fifteen rods in length by eight rods in width. Another wall divides this from a cultivated garden, filled with fruit trees and with vines. This wall separates the land devoted to cultivation from that devoted especially to the honor of St. Clair. The latter is some seven rods in length by five rods in width. At regular intervals there are niches in the walls filled with statues of different individuals. In a recess, with a roof rising from the top of the wall, is the Hermitage. Its floor is of stone rising six inches from the ground. Within is a stone altar two feet or more in height, on which is a representation of the crucifixion and Christ's descent from the cross, while near at hand are his devoted female followers. This is surrounded upon the wall by flying angels bearing a scroll or robe.

On the right of this scene is a statue of St. Clair, with his neck protruding from his clothes, while within his hands is his ghastly head with its upturned face facing the heavens.

In this shrine of the Hermit there is another altar. Some three feet high were often many candles kept burning. On the outer wall are various figures, while upon its front are these words:

"ICI EST LE VERITABLE HERMITAGE, OU LE BIEN HEUREUX ST. CLAIR AYES, CU, ET AETED ECOLIER, ET MARTYR ISK. EN L'AN, 884."

THE CHAPEL.

This structure faces the Hermitage. It is a one-story building constructed of light stone, and its four roofs come to a point at the top, above which is a bell surmounted by a roof of slate about two feet square, and this is capped by a weather vane—a rooster. The roof of the chapel is of tile.

The entrance is surmounted by a ball of stone and a stone cross. Each corner is capped by a ball of stone at least eight inches in diameter. The two Norman windows and door are of equal height, and the colored glass is protected by iron bars. Inside the chapel there is room for some thirty people.

Facing the entrance is a stained glass window, and also one window on each side. At the end of the chapel, facing the entrance, is an upraised altar, upon which are the crucifix, the holy candles, and vases of flowers. On either side, in niches in the wall, are statues,

in front of which are often kept burning candles. All this is in remembrance and in honor of the English Clare, who became a saint, and was the first who bore the honored name of St. Clair.

AT THE CHURCH IN ST. CLERE.

In the church there is the chapel of St. Clair. Upon a pedestal is situated his statue, while his head is plastered upon the front of the upraised platform which holds his statue. The memory of the saintly man lives still in the hearts of men! He won lasting renown.

THE HISTORIC FAMILY OF ST. CLAIR.

The St. Clairs, or Sinclairs, so famous in history, were of a different blood, and following a common custom of the age, took their name from the castle and locality in which they lived. The castle of St. Clair appears to have been the hive of this family. History does not inform us of the manner in which it fell into their possession. It was taking on its name of St. Clair in 894, one thousand years ago, or ten years after the martyrdom. This family, living at the castle and on lands of that name, were early called St. Clair. Though the St. Clairs can in their descent be traced to the Norsemen, and to their home in the cloud land of the north, yet they are only members of the Sancto-de-Claro family, *after* Rollo came to the rich lands of Normandy, which was one of the fairest, brightest, and most richly historic localities in France. After Rollo's advent there, they appear in history. St. Lo, a strong castle, was besieged and taken by Rollo in 890, and afterward became a home of the Sinclairs. The castle of St. Clair had its name thoroughly established in 912; and it was there in that year that Charles the Simple, King of France, met the Norse chief Rollo, who was then and there installed into the dukedom of Normandy. The castle stood near the church in the present village of St. Clere, but no remains can be seen there to-day. The village is not an interesting one in itself, but, like most places or cities in Normandy, is unclean, and like them, too, is destitute of a really cleanly and comfortable hotel. From the high table-land back of the church, and near where the castle is said to have stood, is an excellent view of the country about for many miles. The landscape looks rich and beautiful, with sloping hills, woods, great fields comparatively free of walls or hedges, with grazing herds, while the light colored roadways thread the country in various directions.

The Sinclairs were among the earliest families to assume a surname, and in that they were fortunate. From their historic stronghold they went to St. Lo and became lords of the fortress there. This citadel gathered about it the important town of that name in the district of the Cotentin, and which from its picturesque situation on steep rocks and frowning hills overlooks to-day the river Vire.

The Sinclairs of Rye, Normandy, were a branch of the St. Lo family. Another offshoot of the blood from the castle of St. Clair

were the Earls of Senlis, who had great possessions near Paris. The Sinclairs were now firmly settled in Normandy and their interests were all located there. They were to have their training for several generations under Norman civilization, which was one of the best in the world. Many changes occurred to the family before A. D. 1066, when it loomed up so prominently among the most ardent followers and chivalrous supporters and able leaders of William the Conqueror. The Sinclairs, known as the Earls of Senlis, living near Paris, seem to have given at first little thought to the exploits of the Conqueror, but later they successfully and prominently appear among his supporters.

The chief homes of the Sinclairs in Normandy were the castles of Torignien, of Rye, of St. Lo, other homes of the Senlis branch near Paris, and at the original hive of the family in the castle of the family name in the town of St. Clair. (See map of Normandy, facing p. 17.)

THEIR LINEAGE—PROGENITOR OF THE SINCLAIR FAMILY.

The Sinclair lineage can be followed far back into by-gone centuries for more than a thousand years. It can be traced through the mazes of Scottish and English history for eight hundred and twenty-eight years to the Conquest of England, when the Sinclairs first appeared, at least permanently, upon British soil. Many stalwart knights of this blood circled about William the Conqueror on that battle day at Hastings, Oct. 14, 1066, when the English King Harold was slain, his troops defeated, England subjugated, and the invaders became the conquerors.

By them the family is followed to Normandy, France, where beneath its bright skies their home had been for some two hundred years; and again through the blood of the famous chieftain, Duke Rollo of Normandy, to his early home in Norway. In brief, they were of the same family as William the Conqueror, and were nearly related to him. From the best authorities the pedigree briefly stated is as follows, which for the sake of convenience has been arranged in a genealogical table. For those students who wish for fuller information, which is not consistent with the scope of this work, they are referred to Burke's *Peerage*, and encyclopedias of genealogical lore, Anderson's *Scottish Nation*, and to a recent work, "The Sinclairs of England." Concisely stated the pedigree is as here given. From these works my information has been largely gathered.

This table will commence with Rogenwald¹, Earl of Maere and Ruamdahl in Norway, considering Rogenwald as the 1st generation, and so marked. He was surnamed "The Rich," and was a great favorite of King Harold, called "Fairhair," ruler of Scandinavia. His wife was a near relative of the king. In 888 he received a grant

¹The "History of the Sinclairs of England" is noted for the amount of research the author has given his subject and the valuable knowledge he has obtained.

of the Orkney Islands, and his son Eynar² became a permanent prince there, and which his descendants ruled for five centuries.

Prince Rollo³ (Rogenwald¹), a half savage chief, was another son of Rogenwald, and of great energy and resourceful in early life. Visions of conquest in southern lands floated through his active brain. So from his northern home he fitted out his dragon ships, and with his adventurous comrades sallied forth in quest of adventurous conquest in England, and finally to the rich, well watered province of Normandy in France. In 912 he met King Charles near St. Clair Castle, and from the weakling king of France, Charles the Simple, upon certain conditions, he received the province. He espoused the Roman Catholic faith, married for his first wife Grielle, daughter of King Charles the Simple, and became the first Duke of Normandy in 912. He married second Papia, or Popée. He abdicated his authority in favor of his son in 917, and died in Normandy in 931.

CHILDREN.

William⁴, called "Longsword," 2d Duke of Normandy, assassinated in 948.
Robert⁵, Earl of Corbueil, died childless.
Gerlotte⁶, married William, Earl of Poitiers.

William⁴, called Longsword, died in 948. He succeeded his father in the dukedom, being the 2d Duke of Normandy. He married a daughter of Count Robert of Vermandon. His other companion was Sprota, a daughter of Hubert St. Clair.

CHILD.

Richard⁴, the 3d Duke of Normandy.

Richard⁴, the 3d Duke of Normandy, married first a daughter of Hugh, Count of Paris; he married second Gonnora, a princess of Norway. He died in 960, and was the direct ancestor of all the Sinclairs and St. Clairs of Norman blood of the earth.

CHILDREN.

Richard⁵, the 4th Duke of Normandy, held the dukedom until his death in 1026. (See below.)

Robert⁶, Earl of Evreux, was the father of Raoul⁷, the constable. He was a gallant soldier and bravely fought against the French king for his relative William, afterward called the Conqueror.

Malger⁸, Earl of Corbueil, was the direct ancestor of the St. Clairs and Sinclairs. He was first Archbishop of Rouen.

Hedwiga⁹, married Geoffrey, Earl of Brittany.

Emma¹⁰, became the queen of Etheldred, the 2d of England. Her second husband was Canute the Great.

Richard⁵, the 4th Duke of Normandy, married Judith, the daughter of the Earl of Brittany.

CHILDREN:

Richard⁶, 5th Duke of Normandy, died unmarried in 1028.

Margaret¹¹ (or Helen), married Walderne, Earl of St. Clair, founder of the Scottish family.

Robert⁶, 6th duke, "the devil and saint," succeeded him. He was father of "the Conqueror." (See below.)

Malger⁵, Archbishop of Rouen. He fought bravely against William⁷, the Conqueror, not considering him a proper heir of the line. He is called nephew of Malger⁴. (See History of the Sinclairs of England, p. 189.)

Alice⁶ (or Alix), married and became Countess of Burgundy.

Eleanora⁶, married Baldwin, Earl of Flanders. Her daughter Matilda married William the Conqueror, and became Queen of England.*

Papla⁴.

Robert⁵ (Richard⁵, the 4th duke, Richard⁴, the 3d duke, William Longsword³, Rollo², Rogenwald 1st generation), the 6th duke, "the devil and saint." He lived in the city of Falaise; at the present time a city of nine thousand inhabitants.† "It is situated on the right bank of the river Ante, a branch of the river Dive, and is an untidy, ill-kept, and disagreeable town; and barring its rare historical associations has little to please the eye, gratify the taste, or awaken the enthusiasm of the traveler. But what gives the place its rare interest is its connection with the life and times of William the Conqueror, and with that of his ancestors. This was the place of his birth. In the early morning my steps turned up the steep street toward the picturesque ruins of the Norman castle of Falaise. It was a fortress of remarkable strength, on a jutting cliff, facing the rocky height of Mont Mirat, and overlooking the little stream which flowed through the valley at its base. It dates back to the tenth century. This edifice shows that the Normans were master builders, and knew how to erect massive and elegant edifices. The castle is surrounded by walls from seventy to one hundred and ninety feet above the base of the cliffs, is garnished with twelve towers no higher than the top of the parapet, and is one thousand nine hundred and seventy feet in circuit. At the entrance the 'concierge,' an old woman, unlocked the gate and conducted me through a fine walk of trees to a portion of the castle. From the walls at the side we looked down the steep decline onto the roofs of the houses in the valley beneath. Then we reached a circular tower, called Talbot's Tower, one hundred and thirty feet high, which rises from the valley below and is a massive and fine work. Farther along we were shown the place in the wall from which 'Robert the Magnificent,' often called, and very appropriately, 'Robert the Devil,' father of William the Conqueror, first cast his eyes upon the fair Ariotta, the mother of William, and daughter of the Tanner of Falaise, as she was washing in the stream at the base of the castle. The abode of her father is still pointed out. Centuries have come and gone and still the women and girls of Normandy wash in the waters from that little stream which flows at the base of the cliffs. - The small chamber

* See History of the Sinclairs of England, p. 187, by Thomas Sinclair, M. A., Falmouth, England.

† From "Among the Scotch-Irish: and Through Seven Countries" by Leonard A. Morrison, pp. 127-28. Pub. by Damrell and Upham, Boston, Mass.

where William is said to have been born is shown to visitors." This was the home of William who would change the politics of the world.

CHILD BY ARLOTTA.

William¹ the Conqueror, born in 1027. He was the 7th Duke of Normandy and became the conqueror of England. He married Matilda, daughter of the Count of Flanders, and died in 1087.

Malger⁴ (Richard⁴, the 3d duke, William Longsword⁴, Prince Rollo⁴, Rogenwald¹), fifth generation from Rogenwald¹, was the great uncle of William the Conqueror. As previously stated, he was the Earl of Corbueil, and the direct ancestor of the St. Clairs and Sinclairs after leaving the royal line. He married a daughter of the house of Crevecour, near Lisieux, in Normandy.

CHILDREN.

Hamo Sinclair³, called Dentatus, was a powerful baron in Normandy. Child: Hamo Sinclair⁷, the dapifer. (See No. 1.)
Walderne Sinclair³, called Walter; father of William Sinclair, founder of the Sinclairs of Scotland.* (See No. 4.)
Hubert Sinclair³, Earl of Rye, Normandy; Ambassador to England, to Edward the Confessor, from William, afterwards the conqueror. (See No. 6.)

Besides the relationship already shown between the Sinclairs and the Conqueror, to make it more strong, Walderne⁴, Earl of St. Clair, married Margaret⁴, daughter of Richard⁴, 4th Duke of Normandy, an aunt of the Conqueror's on his father's side, which made his sons, Richard Sinclair¹, Britel Sinclair¹, and William Sinclair¹, first cousins of the conquering king.

This lineage and genealogy may not be absolutely correct, as a slight confusion seems to prevail among authorities, and besides, over 800 years intervene between us and many whose pedigrees are given; but it is approximately correct.

Important political events had transpired, were then in progress, and were to come about in the near future, which would change the political conditions of England and Normandy, make Duke William the conquering king of England, and raise his relatives, the Sinclairs of Normandy, from their Norman estates to positions of marvelous wealth and power in England and Scotland.

Edward the Confessor, King of England, was a son of Ethelred the king, and his queen Emma, sister of Richard the Second, Duke of Normandy, and of Robert, the father of William the Conqueror. During Edward's enforced exile from the land of his birth, while Canute and others ruled England, he had been brought up in the culture and polish of the court of Normandy. He loved the elegance and refinement of the Normans more than he did the brusque manners, stiffness, and inelegant customs and appearance of his Saxon coun-

* Page 248, History of the Sinclairs of England.

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trymen. Normans abounded at his court. It is claimed that he desired a Norman to succeed him. It was in 1065 that Hubert Sinclair⁴, Earl of Rye, Normandy, went on his perilous mission as a secret agent between William, the Duke of Normandy, and Edward the Confessor, by whom it was arranged that William, who was his relative, should succeed to the English throne. (History of the Sinclairs of England, p. 9.) On Jan. 5, 1066, Edward, the king, died childless. Then commenced in earnest the struggle for the kingdom. It was "an irrepressible conflict" between Saxon and Norman.

Harold, a brave son of the great Earl Godwin of England, in whose veins flowed no princely blood, represented the Saxon element and was crowned king of England.

William of Normandy was aroused, and in the spring and summer of 1066 his country rang with acts of preparation for invasion of England. His splendid army was safely landed on English soil; the time of conflict for supremacy was at hand. Events would now transpire changing forever the character of the English nation. "Of those lithe, athletic figures in armor on horseback around William, Duke of Normandy, on that famous October day of 1066 near Hastings, nine at least were Sinclairs. With Greek-like ease, familiar from fine expression in tapestry, they moved in the inmost circle of his gallant surrounding." (History of the Sinclairs of England, p. 3.)

It is not improbable, though not susceptible of positive proof, that the Earl of Senlis, with his sons, three subjects of the king of France, and not of the Duke of Normandy, helped to swell the roll of the Sinclairs on that decisive battle day. On that field so fatal to Harold fifteen thousand Angles, and as many Normans, fell.

On the night succeeding the day of the battle, over the identical spot where had waved during the fierce battlestorm the standard of the English king, the successful warriors spread their feast on tables of stone among the dead. At that board the Sinclairs were gathered. The circular depression in the soil of some three feet in depth, and stones, said to be identical, are still pointed out to the visitor to that historic place. Over that place the famous and magnificent Battle Abbey, at Battle, England, was erected to keep green the memories of the victors, and as a memorial of the great triumph of William the Conqueror. Though the latter dedicated it chiefly to the saying of masses for the soul's repose of King Harold, whom he had despoiled of life and his kingly crown, yet it became the abode of his most zealous friends, who had assisted him, among the Norman monks. At that altar were offered his triumphant sword and his kingly robes worn at his coronation. In that same place was deposited one of the most famous historical documents of many centuries, — the "Roll of Battle Abbey" — consisting of a record of the Norman gentry who came to England with the Conqueror and helped to swell his victorious armies. On that memorable list, as the representative of all the Sinclairs, was inscribed the name of Walderne, Earl of St. Clare, as the head of this illustrious family.

CHAPTER II.

THE SINCLAIRS IN ENGLAND: AND OF SENLIS, FRANCE — THE SINCLAIRS OF ROSLYN AND CAITHNESS, SCOTLAND. — THE SINCLAIRS IN WALES.

THEIR HISTORY IN NORMANDY AND BRITAIN.

DURING these more than eight hundred years since that eventful day near Hastings, those *nine* Sinclairs, who were about the Conqueror, can be discerned with great distinctness. Their names will now be given; the dates of their birth can not be definitely fixed, but will be approximately stated, and a brief résumé of their lives placed before the reader.

In addition, notice will be taken of other branches of this same family, who became conspicuous on English soil. Over the name of the "nine Sinclairs" and their descendants, and where possible of others, will be placed figures denoting the number of the generation the person is in descent from Rogenwald¹, the Norseman, and considering him as the first generation of ancestors. For a full account of pedigree consult pages 21-26.

This is the line of descent of the *historic nine* Sinclairs, — Walderne and his three sons, and Hubert and his four sons: Rogenwald, of Norway; Rollo², of Normandy; William Longsword³, of Normandy; Richard⁴, Duke of Normandy; Malger⁵, Earl of Corbueil; three sons, *Hamo Sinclair*⁶, Earl of Corbueil and Lord of Torignian; *Walderne*⁷, Earl of St. Clair, father of William Sinclair⁷, founder of the Scottish family of Roslin; and *Hubert Sinclair*⁸, Earl of Rye, Normandy. The history of Hamo Sinclair⁷ will now be given.

1. Hamo Sinclair⁷ (Hamo⁶, Malger⁵, Richard⁴, William Longsword³, Rollo², Rogenwald¹), Earl of Corbueil, who fixed his residence in England after the conquest, was brother of Walderne Sinclair, Earl of St. Clair. He is said to have been at Hastings with the Conqueror, and dapifer afterward, and perhaps founded the castle of Rye in Sussex, England. He was proprietor of lands and estates in counties of Kent, Essex, Surrey, and held claims on many in other counties. His home was at Rye, County Sussex, England (History of the Sinclairs of England, p. 165). He was renowned and powerful. These are among his children:

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2. Robert Sinclair⁴, called Fitz Hamo, the "Knight of Rye," and Lord of Thorigny, Gloucester, and Glamorgan. He enlarged and extended the castle of Rye, England, named for the castle of Rye in Normandy, the home of his uncle, Hubert Sinclair, Earl of Rye, and is said to be the founder of the Sinclair family of that place. On that bold eminence in Rye his ruinous castle still stands. A dashing, brilliant figure was he among the Sinclairs of England. He was a gallant and successful soldier and gained the highest favor with his sovereign. He conquered a portion of Wales and the castle and town of St. Clears, Wales, and in that district ruled. The village of St. Clears in 1889 was forlorn and disagreeable, with few attractions, situated on the river Tay, and five miles from Langhorne. Its old and historic castle has disappeared, and a circular mound, overgrown with grass, in the lower village in the rear of the dwellings upon the main street, and overlooking the river, is said to mark the place where it stood. Another of his castles, now a picturesque ruin, is in Cardiff, Wales, and is evidence still of its great strength when in its best estate. Other ruined castles in Wales give striking evidence of the power and commanding influence there at one period of the Sinclairs. The magnificent castle at Rochester, England, was once assailed and taken by Robert Sinclair. It is now overgrown with ivy, and is one of the most imposing and beautiful ruins in England. His wife was Sybil Montgomery, and they together owned many estates in Normandy, England and in Wales. He founded the Abbey of Tewkesbury, England, and richly endowed it in 1102. While aiding in quelling an insurrection in Normandy, in 1107, he was wounded and died, and was brought to England and buried in March, 1107, in the Abbey of Tewkesbury.

CHILDREN.

1. Cicely Sinclair⁶ was a baroness. Became abbess at Shaftesbury, England.
2. Hawise Sinclair⁹ was a baroness. Became abbess at Milton, England.
3. Another daughter⁶ married the Earl of Brittany.
4. Matilda Sinclair⁶ married Robert Consul, son of Henry I., the king. He was the Earl of Gloucester.
2. Hamo Sinclair⁶ was dapifer of England, and Viscount of Kent. An important figure in English history, and was prominent under three of her Norman kings.
4. Walderne Sinclair⁶ (Malger⁶, Richard⁴, William Longsword⁴, Rollo², Rogenwald¹), called Earl of St. Clair. He was born in Normandy, France, about 1006. His home was not at the famous castle from which he derived his title and his name, but at the castle of St. Lo, which for several generations must have been the abode of his branch of the family. From this place he and his three sons rallied around William the Conqueror during the conquest of England, and were with him at the battle of Hastings. Afterward he received land on the Medway river and was called Walter de Meduana. His name was on the Battle Abbey roll and he was living in 1075. The site of the castle of St. Lo is not now visible. He married his cousin Margaret, daughter of Richard, Duke of Normandy.* His children were born in Normandy, France.

* Anderson's Scottish Nation, Vol. 3, p. 457.

5. Richard Sinclair? [16], born about 1024.
6. Britel Sinclair? [17], born about 1026.
7. William Sinclair? [18], born about 1028. Was founder of the family at Roslin Castle, Scotland.

8. Agnes Sinclair?, born about 1030. All writers agree that she married the head of the Bruce family in England. Some say it was Philip Bruce, grandson and heir of William Bruce, Lord of Breos, Normandy, and of Bramber, County of Sussex, England. This shows a close connection between the Sinclairs and Bruces, for William Bruce, just mentioned, married a daughter of Johel Sinclair of Fotness and Barnstaple. Some say that Agnes Sinclair^a married Robert de Bruis, another of that same great Norman family, so influential and strong in England before it reached the throne of Scotland. Bramber, in Sussex, and Brednock, with its castle in Wales, were the earlier homes of the Bruces in Great Britain. Agnes was superior to the Bruces in family traditions, in blood, and rank, but it was a distinction to be united to so powerful and noble a family. She must have been the Lady of Bramber, Sussex, and perhaps of Brednock, Wales, or of both. (History of the Sinclairs of England, p. 29.)

9. Hubert Sinclair^a (Malger^a, Richard^a, William Longsword^a, Rollo^a, Rogenwald¹), born in Normandy, France, about 1008*, Earl of Rye, a brother of Hamo and Walderne Sinclair, before the conquest of England by William, Duke of Normandy, called William the Conqueror, was in 1047 living at his castle of Rye in Normandy. He was a brother of the Earl of St. Clair, and his early home was at the castle of St. Lo. He was the sworn and loyal vassal of his king. William, hearing of a plot against his life by the rebellious earls of Normandy, only saved his life by an all-night headlong ride. When the morning dawned he was urging his foaming steed by the castle of Rye, when he was seen by the earl, who was standing at his own gate, between the church and the mound on which the castle was built, and he welcomed him to his castle, placed him upon a fresh horse, and ordered his three eldest sons to bear him company and never leave him till he reached his own castle of Falaise. This command was faithfully executed. When William's pursuers appeared he mounted his horse and led them on wrong roads and saved the life of his prince. The scene of this historic event was where the river Vire unites with the river Ouve. The duke fled from Valence, and the ford by which he crossed the river is still called "The Duke's Way." The castles of Torignian, the home of Hamo^a, Earl of Corbueil, and castle of Rye, home of his brother Hubert Sinclair, Earl of Rye, were not far distant. Before the conquest, in 1065, he had fulfilled a most hazardous diplomatic mission to England, and brought back to Normandy the mandates and symbols which made William, the duke, heir of England's crown. He received from the English king, Ed-

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10. Radulph Sinclair⁷ [10], born about 1026. Fought at the battle of Hastings. Lived in England after the conquest, 1066.
11. Hubert Sinclair⁷ [22], born about 1028. Fought at the battle of Hastings. Lived in England after the conquest, 1066.
12. Adam Sinclair⁷ [23], born about 1032. Fought at the battle of Hastings. Lived in England after the conquest, 1066, and aided in the compilation of Domesday Book.
13. Eudo Sinclair⁷ [24], born about 1035. Fought at the battle of Hastings. Aided in the conquest of England; resided there afterwards. Held the dapifership, the highest honor under the king.
14. Muriel Sinclair⁷, who married Geoffrey Mandeville. He was from Normandy, where he had land near Valence or Valognes. She was his second wife; and this family of Mandevilles obtained the Castle of Preaux and the other Norman estates of Eudo Sinclair⁷, the brother of Muriel. He received more than a hundred estates in England from William the Conqueror; was first constable of the Tower of London, and was viscount, or sheriff, of Essex, Middlesex, and Hertfordshire. She had a son Osborne Mandeville⁸, who had a descendant by name of Walveln. Osborne⁸ was the ancestor of the DeCallis of Normandy, of the Cayleys of Yorkshire and Norfolk, represented at the present time by Sir Digby Cayley, Baronet.
15. Albreda Sinclair⁷, married to Petras, the Lord of Valonlis, who had a son Petras⁸. He was ancestor to the Valence Earls of Pembroke, famous in the history of England; and he had received more than fifty estates in the beginning of William's reign.

16. Richard Sinclair⁷ [5] (Walderne⁸, Malger⁸, Richard⁸, William Longsword⁸, Rollo⁸, Rogenwald¹), born in Normandy, France, about 1024. He was the hero of Hastings; at a critical period in that battle "he overthrew many of the Angles." He accompanied his cousin Hubert Sinclair, and helped to wrest the tower of Norwich from an insurgent commander, and he had gifts of lands and a house when he had done the duties of a soldier. He was one of the foremost officers of war and court, and after the conquest the most or all of his life was spent on English soil. He held lands in Wortham, England. In Norwich, Eng., the record stands, "one house Ric'ard de Sencler";

where it is probable he often resided. He gave the monks of Castleacre his rights as founder over their monastery, as a free gift for the health of his own soul and that of his wife, with those of his heirs and ancestors. This would go far to prove that he was one of the prominent persons of his day. His Suffolk estates were not far distant, and both were situated in a very strongly disaffected district. He was chamberlain of the king, and the most of his time was spent at Norfolk. He had wealth and position and was among the successful Sinclairs of England. It is supposed that he died later than 1119. He had a son Walter of Medway, and among his descendants were other Richard Sinclairs of position, prominence, and probity.

17. Britel Sinclair⁷ [6] (Walderne⁸, Malger⁸, Richard⁸, William Longsword⁸, Rollo⁸ Rogenwald¹), born in Normandy, France, about 1026. He was sent to Devonshire by his king, and later took his share in the fighting about Exeter, and in times of peace he settled in Somersetshire and Cornwall, and the most if not all of his life after the conquest was spent on English soil. The records give christian and ignore surnames to a great extent. While it is probable that he received valuable and numerous estates from his relative, "the Conqueror," yet his full name seldom appears upon any record. This is one quotation: "And from the half hide which Britel de St. Clair holds the king has no tax." This is said to be sixty arable acres. He had his lands chiefly in the south-western counties, and he was founder of the Sinclair family in Cornwall and Devon. The parish of St. Cleer, in county of Cornwall, takes its name from the family.

18. William Sinclair⁷ [7] (Walderne⁸, Malger⁸, Richard⁸, William Longsword⁸, Rollo⁸, Rogenwald¹), born in Normandy, France, about 1028. His career is the most interesting of all members of the Sinclair family. For some unexplained cause he was one of the nobles who did not love the Norman chief and he forsook England, and about 1068 he with other noted barons took refuge with King Malcolm III., of Scotland, where he became the steward or dapifer of Queen Margaret. Honors of all kinds were conferred upon him and his personal popularity was great. The regularity of his features, his elegance and regular proportions, and his yellow hair won for him the name of "The Seemly St. Clair." On the roll in the church of Dives, Normandy, he is alluded to as "The William 'le blond.'" He became a determined and bitter enemy of his relative, King William of England. More than once "the Conqueror" met him on the field of battle on the Scotch border, and in one at least "the Conqueror" was defeated. William Sinclair was warden of the marches, and lost his life bravely fighting against King William and his commander, the Earl of Gloucester. He was the founder of the house of St. Clairs or Sinclairs of Roslin. He married Doratha Dunbar, daughter of the Earl of March, and obtained a grant of the barony of Roslin, Midlothian. His descendants became possessors of Roslin, of Cousland, Pentland. William de Saint Clair⁷, "the Seemly," progenitor of "The lordly line of high St. Clairs," had a son.

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- 18a. Sir William St. Clair⁵ of Roslin who got a confirmation of that barony in 1180. *His son,
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18c. Sir William Sinclair⁷ of Roslin, died about 1270. The following year his son,
18d. Sir William Sinclair⁸ (See No. 39) of Roslin, was sheriff of the county of Edinburgh.†

19. Radulph Sinclair⁹ [10] (Hubert⁴, Malger⁴, Richard⁴, William Longsword⁴, Rollo⁴, Rogenwald¹). He was born about 1026, in Normandy, probably at the castle of Rye, and was his father's eldest son. He had reached proud manhood's prime on that early morning in 1046, when his father stood at Rye's castle gate and beheld his relative and prince in his rapid flight, and afforded him aid and comfort. He was one of Hubert's sons who bore the future conqueror company in his extremity. Twenty years later he was at the Hastings battle, and was near the king. Afterward he commanded the forces to secure the heart of England. In 1066 he and his father and two brothers returned to Normandy to aid in quelling the Cennannic troubles there, after which he returned to England. He was made Earl of Nottingham, and the magnificent castle was given into his charge and keeping. It was one of the finest castles in the kingdom, and is still imposing in its elevated and commanding position; exceedingly interesting are its subterranean and winding flights of stairs cut in the soft rock, and its chambers without windows. In Domesday Book he held great possessions in Leicester, Nottingham, Stafford, Lincolnshire, Derby. In Nottingham he had eleven houses, and in Nottingham County he had ten manors; in Derby he possessed thirty-seven lordships, Criche being one of them; he had Dalby in Leicester and Gunnebi in the County of Lincoln. The amount of property in his possession and in that of other Norman leaders, followers of William the Conqueror, was enormous. This had been wrenched from the unfortunate Saxons. The name of Radulph Sinclair's wife (he is sometimes called Ralph) does not appear. He had children.

* Anderson's Scottish Nations, Vol. 3, p. 457.

† The St. Clairs of Roslin were hereditary grandmasters of Masonry in Scotland. James II. conferred that dignity upon them. The first grandmaster, William St. Clair, Earl of Orkney and Caithness, and his successors, held their courts in Ayrshire, town of Kilwinning. William St. Clair of Roslin being destitute of an heir, and having to sell his estates in 1730, resigned all claim to the grand-mastership, and the office became elective. He himself was elected to the position, and died in 1778, æ. 78 years. He was the last of the direct male line of Roslin. Upon his death a solemn funeral lodge was held. A poem was composed and set to the air of Roslyn Castle, a couplet of which reads thus:

"Like St. Clair live, like St. Clair die;
Then join the Eternal Lodge on high."

CHILDREN.

20. Ralph Sinclair⁴. He distinguished himself in the civil war between Empress Matilda and Stephen. By one writer he is called "a fierce man and a plunderer." Had great wealth. Was successful in war, but was taken prisoner and the surrendering of a valuable castle was the equivalent of his life and liberty. He refused to surrender the coveted prize, and was hanged. His family were greatly overcome by misfortunes, and lived mostly in Normandy.
21. Hubert Sinclair⁴. He appeared not to have flourished greatly, but little appears in regard to his history. He had a sister who married Henry de Cotentin, a Norman lord.

22. Hubert Sinclair⁷ [11] (Hubert⁴, Malger⁴, Richard⁴, William Longsword⁴, Rollo⁴, Rogenwald¹). He was born in Normandy about 1028, probably at the castle of Rye. He was in his young manhood when William, his prince, in headlong haste, halted at the castle gate of Rye, in 1046, and received hospitality from Hubert's father. He was one of the stalwart sons who went forth hastily and accompanied William, the duke, to his own fortress. The conquest of England opened up a new and brilliant field for the exhibition of his talents and prowess. He was in the immediate surrounding of the Conqueror at the battle of Hastings in 1066, and that night encamped upon the battle field. He accompanied his cousin Richard Sinclair, and wrested the tower of Norwich from the insurgents; he secured things with a strong hand, death and destruction desolated his way; he became the governor and ruled Norwich Castle with an iron hand. He became the dapifer of the half-brother of William. During sixty years this family were rulers of Norwich and its famous castle, but were of the County of Norfolk. The castle still stands, and from its top is a beautiful view of the city of Norwich and the country about it. He held great landed possessions in Sussex, Berkshire, Dorsetshire, Devon, Warwickshire, Essex, Staffordshire, Norfolk, and Suffolk, which the robber king had taken from the Saxons and given to him. At one time, 1066, he was sent by his king to quell the Cenomannic rebellion, and after its accomplishment returned to his possessions in his adopted country. It is said that he married Agnes Todenei, a daughter of Robert Todenei of Belvoir Castle, and either he or one of his sons married the daughter of Rodulph de Bello Sago, who brought West Lexham as a dowry. He had few descendants to keep his a living name or to perpetuate his deeds.

23. Adam Sinclair⁷ [12] (Hubert⁴, Malger⁴, Richard⁴, William Longsword⁴, Rollo⁴, Rogenwald¹). He was known as Adam of Campes, and Adam, son of Hubert; he was the third son of the Earl of Rye and was born about 1032, in Normandy, probably at the castle of Rye. While in youth, in 1046, with his brothers he shared in the romantic and historic ride for the protection of his illustrious relative and prince, William of Normandy. At the conquest his fortunes were linked closely with William the Conqueror; he went with him on his hazardous enterprise, and was one of the nine Sinclairs who were about the king in the decisive battle of Hastings, in Octo-

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24. Eudo Sinclair¹ [13] (Hubert², Malger³, Richard⁴, William Longsword⁵, Rollo⁶, Rogenwald⁷). He was the fourth son of his father, Eudo Dapifer; he was called Eudo Filius Hubert. He was born at the castle of Rye, Normandy, France, about 1035. He was a lad probably of the age of ten or twelve years on that bright morning in 1046, when William, the future conqueror of England, arrived with foaming steed at his father's castle, after his all-night headlong ride, fleeing for his life from his relentless and fast approaching pursuers. He was too young to join his three stalwart and soldierly brothers who, by his father's command, on fresh and vigorous steeds, and heavily armed, were to bear William company to his own castle. He little dreamed at that day how intimately his own fortunes, and his great honors in the future, were linked with those of his relative, the fleeing and pursued duke.

In after years he was the dapifer of William, the Duke of Nor- mandy, which for him was made hereditary. He was in his manly strength and in possession of his full intellectual powers at the time

of the conquest in 1066, and was one of the heroic nine Sinclairs who fought bravely and successfully at Hastings, October, 1066. He was in the immediate service of his king and near his person. While his father and brothers were sent on warlike enterprise to Normandy he remained in England. He became the chiefest of them all, and was the most noted, most wealthy, and most powerful and renowned of any Sinclair of England in his or any succeeding time.

In Normandy his chief castle or home was the castle of Breaux, Praels, or Pratelli, and its wide extent of lands. It "is in the arrondissement of Rouen," and "is three leagues north-east of Bayeux." It belonged to him in 1070. Other large possessions were held by him in Normandy. In England he held immense possessions. In the single county of Essex the record of his estates fills three large pages in the Domesday Book, and he owned land in at least nine other counties. But his largest estates and greatest interest were in Essex. He was its most illustrious person, and his fame lives there till the present. He from his offices was the chief subject in England, and at that period was at least one of the wealthiest persons in that country.

Having received great honors from King William, at his death, it was by largely executing the plans which his vigorous intellect had originated, that William-Rufus, the second son of the Conqueror, succeeded to kingly rule in England. Under him he became Lord of Colchester, then the second town of the country in importance, and which is fifty miles from the queen city of England, London. At Colchester he lived much of the time. The palace of King Coel, a former ruler, was in Colchester. On the site of this palace, by orders of King William, Eudo Sinclair in 1076 bulkd the massive and famous castle of Colchester, whose ruins at the present time are among the most celebrated and grand in England, and in which is a celebrated museum, containing among other relics, urns and ashes of the Roman dead. He lived in this princely home with his wife and family, and here were centered all ties of home and political interests.

His mind turned to religious things. In 1096, in September, he commenced, and finally built from his own resources, "the famous abbey of St. John the Baptist," the gate of which alone remained in 1889. In 1097 he himself laid the first foundation stone, and his beloved and loving wife, Rose Sinclair, laid the second, and in 1104 the structure was finished, and to it he gave lands and revenues. It received donations from other Sinclair relatives. The abbey has now disappeared by the ravages of time. He established a hospital for lepers, of which there were many in England at that time. It was outside of Colchester, and was dedicated to St. Mary Magdelene. Under King Henry he was full minister for the United Kingdom.

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most excellent women of England. She was married at 14 years of age to him in 1088, and was the daughter of Rose Giffard and her husband, Richard Fitz-Gilbert, of Tunbridge and Clair, called Richard Clair, one of the most famous captains of the Conqueror. She lived before marriage at her father's princely abode, Tunbridge Castle, County Kent, England. She "worshipped" her husband "with wonderful zeal, with wonderful affection," as he did her. The last days of Eudo Sinclair were spent in preparation for death. "He lived according to the Christian ritual of his time." He died in his native Normandy in the springtime of 1120, in his castle of Preaux, France. At his deathbed were gathered his king, Henry of England and Normandy, the Archbishop of York, Eng., and the Bishop of Rouen. By his solemn injunction his body was to be carried to England and buried in his own abbey, so celebrated, at Colchester. His wife was with him in the last hour, being then about forty-seven years of age. She died within twelve months, and contrary to her wishes, was buried at the monastery of Bec, instead of by the side of her husband at Colchester. Walter Sinclair², a nephew of Eudo, rested by her side, and one monument is over them.

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25. William Sinclair². By some historians he conspired against King William-Rufus, and was executed. There seems to be a doubt in the minds of some as to his being a son of Eudo Sinclair. If so, it was by an early marriage. He was cousin of the king.
26. John Sinclair². He was born about 1088; was known as Sir John Sinclair and was the first Norman Earl of Essex. He lived during the reign of Henry II., which began in 1154. He did not figure prominently in English history, and died leaving few mementoes of his life.
27. Margaret Sinclair² married William Mandeville, 2d Earl of Essex and son of Geoffrey Mandeville, the husband of her aunt. She was Countess of Essex, and after a life of prominence and vicissitude, died, and was buried in Walden Abbey, near Walden Castle, County of Essex, England, by the side of her children. - Children:
28. Geoffrey Mandeville² became one of the principal men in England. He received a grant of all his grandfather's, Eudo Sinclair's, estates in Normandy, and was made dapifer of that country. He died Sept. 14, 1144. He was twice married, but there is a controversy in relation to the names of his wives. His son, Ernulph Mandeville¹, did not figure prominently in English history.
29. Beatrice Mandeville² married William Talbot, a Norman nobleman. He had displeased her brother; she was divorced and married second, William Saye, of the celebrated family in Kent and Essex.

THE SINCLAIRS OF SENLIS, FRANCE.

30. Randulph Sinclair, or Ralph le Riche, meaning Ralph the Rich, was a feudal chief, in the 11th century, in the town of Senlis, France, which lies between Rouen and Paris. He was known as "The Rich" on account of his wealth. His sons went to England after the conquest.

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31. Warner Sinclair, le Riche (the Rich), whose surname of Sinclair became lost as he founded a new family name, and was the ancestor of persons of English blood of the surname of Rich.

32. Simon Sinclair, the other son, who was a renowned soldier, and was intimately associated with Ralph and Hubert Sinclair, natives of Rye, Normandy, in warlike expeditions in England. The relationship between them is not stated. Before 1080 he had built the castle at Northampton, and lived there and was its governor. At this time he erected the extensive priory of St. Andrews, near his castle, in the north part of the town, and near the north gate. He was on intimate and friendly terms with the Conqueror, and later was one of the great nobles of Henry I., and was Earl of Northumberland. His life was active; he gave much to the church. He went to the Holy Land in the last year of his life, and died on his homeward journey to England at his French home, in 1115, and was buried in his loved abbey, De Caritate. His wife was Matilda —.

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33. Simon Sinclair. He inherited his father's titles and most of his estate. He was Earl of Northumberland. He passed a troubled life and died in 1153, and was buried in St. Andrews. His wife was Isabel, daughter of the Earl of Leicester. His son,

34. Simon Sinclair, 3d, succeeded to his titles. He married Alice Gaunt, daughter and heiress of Gilbert Gaunt, Earl of Lincoln. His life was closed without heirs in 1184, and he was buried in the priory at Northampton, called St. Andrews, erected by his grandfather, and which entombed his father.

35. Waltheof Sinclair. He became a priest; was made Abbot of Melrose Abbey, in Scotland, in 1148, and died Aug. 3, 1159. The Norman features of the abbey were thus introduced by him.

36. Henry Sinclair. He became Earl of Northumberland, and perhaps had no family.

37. William Sinclair. He was the Archdeacon of Northampton, and was founder of St. John's hospital in 1542—existing in 1642. (There may be a doubt as to his being a son of Simon Sinclair.)

38. Matilda Sinclair. She married in 1112, Robert Fitz-Richard Clare of the Tunbridge family, and related to the wife of Eudo Sinclair, the dapifer. He was the fifth son of Richard Clare, Justice of England, and on the death of Eudo Sinclair, in 1120, he became dapifer in place of his deceased brother-in-law. Matilda was married three times.

CONTINUATION OF SCOTTISH SINCLAIRS.

39. Sir William Sinclair¹¹ [See 18d] of Roslin, Sheriff of County of Edinburgh, Scotland, for life. He sat in the parliament of Seone, Feb. 5, 1284, when the succession to the crown of Scotland was settled in case of the death of Alexander III. The same year he was one of the commissioners to France to obtain a wife for the king, who was then a widower, which resulted in making queen of Joletta, daughter of the Count de Dreux. In 1292, during the competition for the crown of Scotland, he espoused the cause of Baliol. Later he swore fealty to King Edward of England. He died about 1300, leaving three sons.

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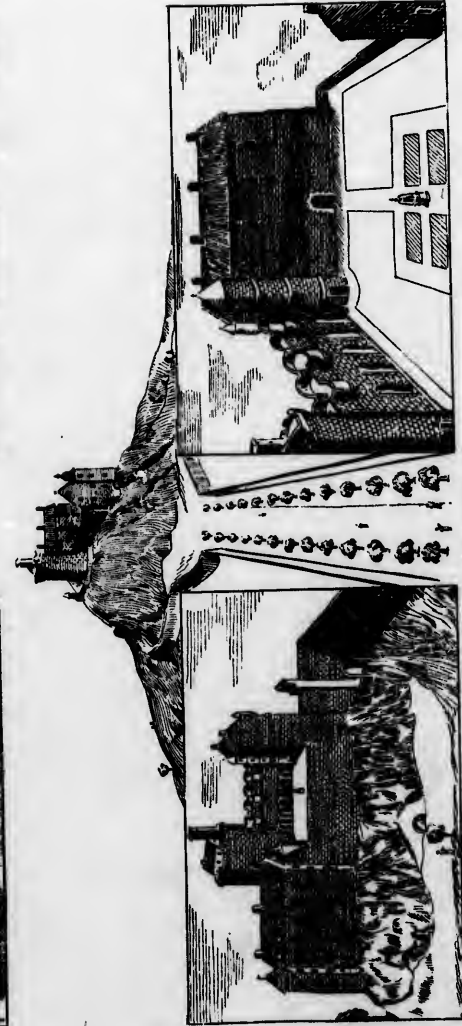
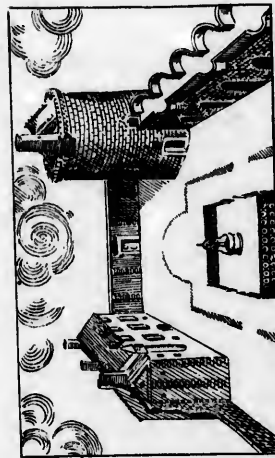
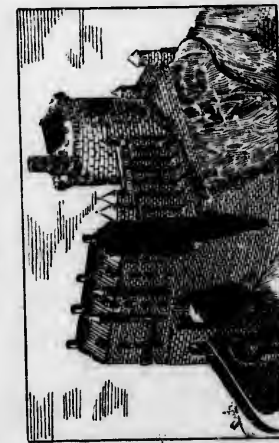
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40. Sir Henry Sinclair¹² [42], his successor of Roslin.
 41. William Sinclair¹², who was consecrated Bishop of Dunkeld about 1312.
 41a. Gregory Sinclair¹², ancestor of the Sinclairs of Longformachus, Berwickshire, baronets.

42. Sir Henry St. Clair¹² [40] of Roslin swore fealty to Edward of England, June 13, 1292. Subsequently he gave in his adherence to King Robert Bruce. He asserted the independence of Scotland in a letter to the Pope in 1320, and was one of the guarantees of a truce with the English, June 1, 1323. His son,

43. Sir William St. Clair¹². He accompanied Sir James Douglas on his expedition to the Holy Land with the earl of King Robert Bruce, and was killed with him fighting against the Moors in Spain, Aug. 25, 1330. His tomb is said to be still seen in Roslin Chapel and it represents the person of a knight in armor attended by a greyhound. He left an infant son, who was also

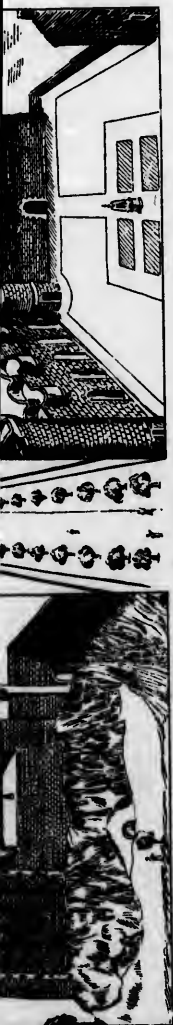
44. Sir William St. Clair¹⁴ of Roslin. He married Isabel, daughter of Malise, Earl of Strathern and Orkney. His elder son,

45. Henry St. Clair¹⁴, became Earl of Orkney, and in 1379 obtained a recognition of his title from Haco IV., King of Norway. His son,

46. Henry Sinclair¹⁴ was the 2d Earl of Orkney, and Admiral of Scotland and chief attendant of Prince James, afterwards James I., when he was captured by the English at sea in 1405, on his voyage to France. The earl was sent to the Tower of London, and in September of 1405 was permitted to return to Scotland. He died before 1418. His son,

47. William St. Clair¹⁷, 3d Earl of Orkney and 1st Earl of Caithness. He was the first of his family to enjoy the latter distinction. Many were the high offices held by him, and he had great landed estates and great influence. In 1446 he founded Roslin Chapel and endowed it with various lands and revenues. He was High Chancellor of Scotland from 1454 to 1458. He resided at Roslin Castle.

The baronial magnificence and wide hospitality for which the early knights of Roslin were renowned are said to have been exceeded by Sir William St. Clair, 3d Earl of Orkney, in the reigns of James I. and II. Father Hay, a member of his household, speaks of him "as a prince" who maintained his state "at his palace of the castle of Roslin," where "he kept a great court, and was royally served at his own table, in vessels of gold and silver; Lord Dirleton being his master of the household, Lord Borthwick his cup bearer, and Lord Fleming his carver; in whose absence they had deputies to attend, viz: Stewart, laird of Drumlaugie; Tweedie, laird of Dumferline; and Sandilands, laird of Calder. He had his halls and other apartments richly adorned with embroidered hangings. His princess, Elizabeth Douglass, was served by 75 gentlewomen, whereof 53 were daughters of noblemen, all clothed in velvet and silks, with their



ROSILIN CASTLE, size 1700
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chains of gold and other ornaments, and was attended by 200 riding gentlemen in all jounies; and if it happened to be dark when she went to Edinburgh, where her lodgings were at the foot of Black Fryars wynd, 80 lighted torches were carried before her."

But to-day how changed the scene, where the "lordly line of St. Clairs" fared so sumptuously. The castle is situated on a projecting rock overlooking the beautiful valley of the river Eske, and is reached by a bridge over a deep chasm in the rock. It is now in ruins, but all parts are visible, and some apartments are in fair preservation. Through narrow apertures in the wall one can look forth upon the charming scenery in the valley beneath. There can still be seen the kitchen of the castle, but the *menu*, and the accommodations for its preparation, were rude compared with those of modern establishments.

Roslin Chapel, situated upon a higher elevation, is only a short distance from the castle. It was founded, as stated, in 1446, and is one of the most remarkable specimens of Gothic architecture in Scotland. The carvings on roof and pillar are simply wonderful. The barons of Roslin, clad in armor, lie buried beneath the pavement of the chapel. It was a superstition that the chapel appeared in flames on the night before the death of any of the family of its lordly owners. As Sir Walter Scott has beautifully written in "The Lay of the Last Minstrel":

"O'er Roslin all that dreary night
A wondrous blaze was seen to gleam;
'Twas broader than the watch-fire light,
And redder than the bright moonbeam.
It glared on Roslin's castled rock,
It ruddied all the corpse-wood glen;
'Twas seen from Dryden's groves of oak,
And seen from caverned Hawthornden.
Seemed all in fire that chapel proud,
Where Roslin's chiefs unconfined lie;
Each Baron for a sable shroud,
Sheathed in his iron ponoply.
Seemed all on fire within, around,
Deep sacristy and altar pale;
Shone every pillar foliage bound,
And glimmered all the dead men's mail.
Blazed battlement and pinnet high,
Blazed every rose-carved buttress fair—
So still they blaze when fate is nigh
The lordly line of high St. Clair.
There are twenty of Roslin's barons bold
Lie buried in that proud chapelle;
Each one the holy vault doth hold—
But the sea holds lovely Rosabelle.
And each St. Clair was buried there,
With candle, with book, and with knell;
But the sea-caves rung, and the wild winds sung,
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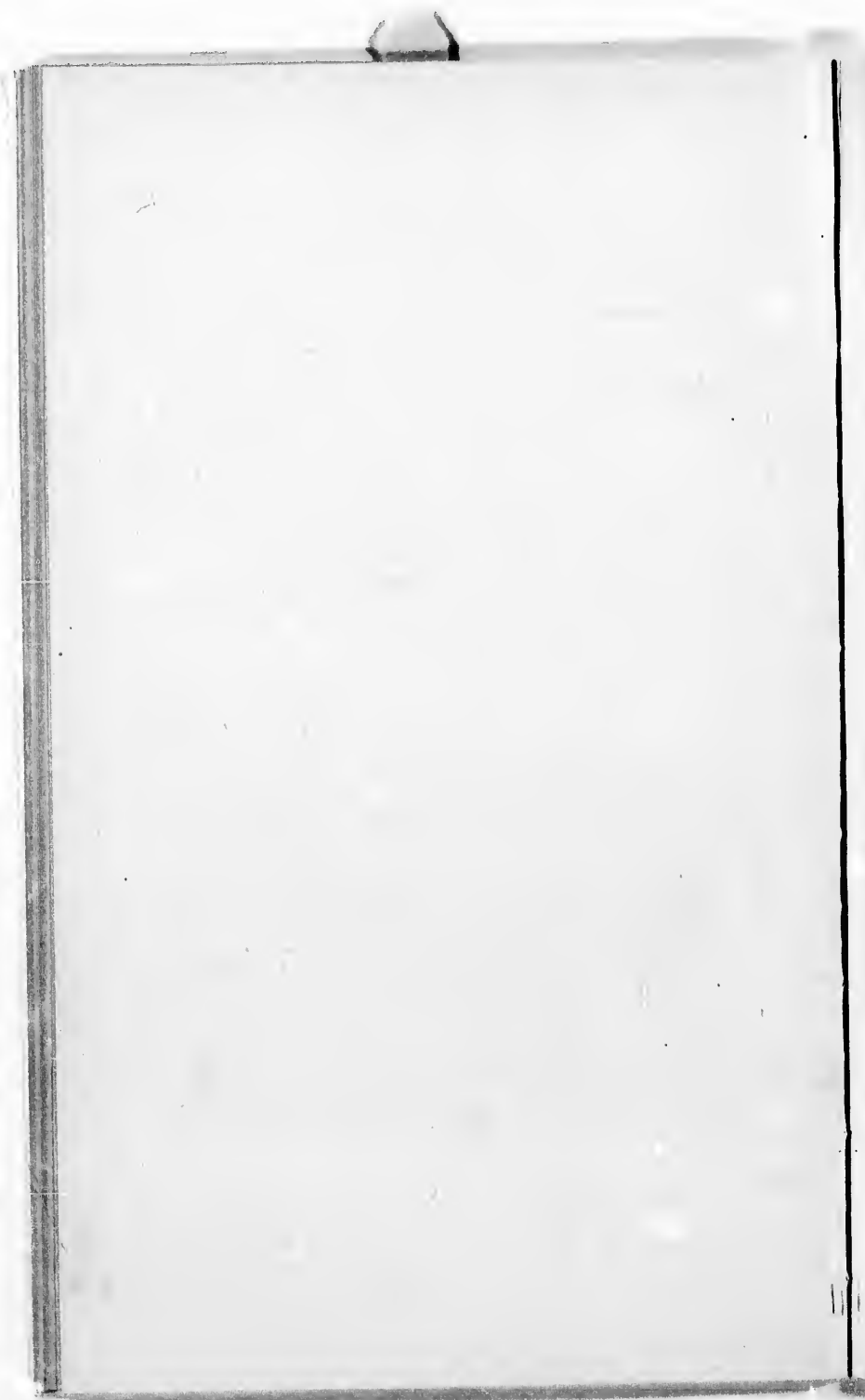
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CHILDREN BY FIRST MARRIAGE.

- 48. William Sinclair¹⁸, "The Waster"; ancestor of the Lords Sinclair.
- 49. Catherine Sinclair¹⁸, who married Alexander, Duke of Albany.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

- 50. Sir Oliver Sinclair¹⁸ of Roslin, from whom are descended the later barons of Roslin.
- 51. William Sinclair¹⁸, the 2d earl, and his successor in the earldom.
- 52. Sir David Sinclair¹⁸ of Swinburgh.
- 53. Robert Sinclair¹⁸, mentioned in a crown charter in 1506.
- 54. John Sinclair¹⁸, Bishop nominate of Caithness.
- 55. Eleanor Sinclair¹⁸.
- 56. Marion Sinclair¹⁸.
- 57. Elizabeth Sinclair¹⁸.
- 58. Marjorie Sinclair¹⁸.

59. William Sinclair¹⁸ [51], 2d Earl of Caithness. He married Mary, daughter of Sir William Keith. He was killed at the battle of Flodden in 1513.

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- 60. John Sinclair¹⁹ [62], the 3d earl.
- 61. Alexander Sinclair¹⁹, ancestor of Sinclairs of Stamster and Dunbeath.

62. John Sinclair¹⁹ [60], the 3d earl, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Sutherland of Duffus. In 1529 he and Lord Sinclair invaded Orkney, and he was met by a body of Orcadians commanded by James Sinclair, governor of Kirkwall Castle, and the earl and 500 of his men were slain.

CHILDREN.

- 63. William Sinclair²⁰ died in 1527 without children.
- 64. George Sinclair²⁰ [66], 4th earl, and his successor.
- 65. David Sinclair²⁰, a half-brother, was imprisoned in Girnigo Castle by his brother George, the earl.

CHAPTER III.

GEORGE SINCLAIR, FOURTH EARL OF CAITHNESS. — HIS ARMS AND CREST — PEDIGREES OF SEVERAL LINES OF HIS DESCENDANTS. — LINE OF DESCENT OF GEN. ARTHUR ST. CLAIR; OF JOHN SINKLER OF EXETER, N. H.; AND OF JOHN SUTHERLAND SINCLAIR, THE 17TH EARL OF CAITHNESS, OF LAKOTA, NORTH DAKOTA.

66. George Sinclair²⁰ [64]. He was the 4th Earl of Caithness. He was the ancestor of several important branches of Sinclairs and St. Clairs of the present day. He was the probable ancestor of John Sinkler, an immigrant to Exeter, New Hampshire, as early as 1656, and the Sinclairs and St. Clairs, his descendants in New Hampshire, Massachusetts, New York, and other states of the United States. He was the ancestor of the John Sutherland Sinclair, a resident of Lakota, North Dakota, and now—in 1894—the 17th Earl of Caithness. He was the ancestor of Gen. Arthur St. Clair of Revolutionary fame. He was the ancestor of Thomas Sinclair, a writer of repute and author of the "History of the Sinclairs of England."

George Sinclair, the 4th earl, was a cruel and vindictive man, although he filled various high offices of trust, and led an eventful life. He was in 1566, by grant from Queen Mary, Justiciar of Caithness, and was one of the peers who sat on the trial of Bothwell. He married Elizabeth, daughter of the Earl of Montrose. The inhuman earl died at Edinburgh, Sept. 9, 1582.*

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67. John Sinclair²¹ [74], Master of Caithness; he died at Girnigo Castle. The probable ancestor of John Sinkler, who was of Exeter, N. H., in 1656. The ancestor of Gen. Arthur St. Clair. The ancestor of Thomas Sinclair, the author of the "History of the Sinclairs of England."
68. William Sinclair²¹, who was first Laird of Mey, and ancestor of Ulbster.

* For a full history of George, 4th Earl of Caithness, see Earls of Caithness, page 5-82, Vol. 1, of "The Scottish Nation; Or the surnames, families, literature, honors, and biographical history of the people of Scotland," by William Anderson. Pub. by A. Fullarton & Co., 44 South Bridge, Edinburgh; and 115 Newgate St., London Eng.; 1863.

69. George Sinclair⁴¹, second of Mey, Chancellor of Caithness. He was the ancestor of John Sutherland Sinclair of Lakota, North Dakota; now, 1894, the 17th Earl of Caithness.
70. Barbara Sinclair⁴¹ married Alexander, Earl of Sutherland, and divorced in 1573.
71. Elizabeth Sinclair⁴¹ married Alexander Sutherland of Duffus. She married second Hutcheon McKay, ancestor of the Lords Reay.
72. Janet Sinclair⁴¹ married Robert Munro of Foulis.
73. Another daughter married Alexander Innes, of Innes.

ARMS AND CREST.



Arms and crest of "George, fourth Earl of Caithness, and his wife, Lady Elizabeth Graham, daughter of the Earl of Montrose. Copied from an old carving in Barrowgill Castle."

They form the vignette on the title page of "Notes on Caithness Family History," by John Henderson, W. S.

The arms of the earl, which are two ships and two lions rampant, are on the left of the picture, while those of his wife are on the right. "They are supported by two griffins armed and beaked." Crest is a cock or phoenix surmounting a helmet, wreath or crown. The motto is "Commit thy work to God."

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74. John Sinclair²² [67], Master of Caithness, died at Girnigo Castle in 1576. In 1543 he obtained of Queen Mary a charter by which the earldom became a male fee to him and heirs male. He married Jean, daughter of Patrick, Earl of Bothwell, and had three sons and a daughter. He married second Bessie Gunn, or Bessie Rorison. He is ancestor of Gen. Arthur St. Clair. (See pedigrees later on.) He is the probable ancestor of John Sinkler of Exeter, N. H., in 1656, and his descendants.

CHILDREN.

- 75. George Sinclair²². Afterward the 5th Earl of Caithness.
- 76. James Sinclair²² [80]. First of Murkle, and ancestor of Gen. Arthur St. Clair.
- 77. John Sinclair²². First of Greenland and Rattar.
- 78. Agnes Sinclair²².
- 79. Henry Sinclair²². The probable ancestor of John Sinkler, who was of Exeter, N. H., in 1656, and thus ancestor of many of the Sinclairs and St. Clairs in this work. He married Janet Sutherland, and had a son.
- 79a. John Sinclair²² [90]. See later on the pedigree of John Sinkler of Exeter, N. H., for fuller history of this Henry and John.

80. James Sinclair²² [76], first of Murkle. The ancestor of Gen. Arthur St. Clair. He was son of John, Master of Caithness, and grandson of George, the 4th Earl of Caithness. He married Elizabeth Stewart, daughter of Robert, Earl of Strathern.

CHILDREN.

- 81. James Sinclair²², his successor.
- 82. Francis Sinclair²², Sergeant-Major in the army.
- 83. Agnes Sinclair²², who married John McKay of Diriot and Strathy.
- 84. John Sinclair²², first of Assery. The ancestor of Gen. Arthur St. Clair. He had a son.
- 85. James Sinclair²², second of Assery. Ancestor of Gen. Arthur St. Clair, being his great-grandfather. He married Elizabeth Balfour (see statement of Mrs. Rachel St. Clair Jacoby, relating to the Balfours, p. 43); and second, Margaret Munroe. His son.
- 86. James Sinclair²² was a merchant in Thurso, and died in 1713. Grandfather of Gen. Arthur St. Clair. His son.
- 87. William Sinclair²², father of Gen. Arthur St. Clair. A merchant in Thurso, and died in young manhood. He married, probably, Miss Murray. Children:
- 88. Arthur Sinclair²², born March 23, 1736.
- 89. James Sinclair²², baptized 1738.

This concludes the account of the pedigree of Gen. Arthur St. Clair through George, the 4th earl. By it his ancestry can be traced for a thousand years or more back to the misty Northland.

The history of this noted man, with that of his descendants, will be found later on in this work, in a chapter entitled "The History of Gen. Arthur St. Clair and of his descendants."

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THE PEDIGREE OF GEN. ARTHUR ST. CLAIR, A GENERAL IN THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

The statements concerning his pedigree and the date of his birth have long been indefinite and uncertain, and he apparently left no papers or statements which would throw light upon this subject. A long correspondence with his descendants has failed to solve the problem. The general statement in history that he was born in 1734, mentioning no month or day, is indefinite and unsatisfactory. An examination of public records in Thurso, Scotland, the place of his birth, fails to reveal any reference to the birth of any Arthur St. Clair, but by a personal correspondence and a consultation of the most valuable work, "Notes on Caithness Family History," by John Henderson, W. S., published by David Douglas in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1884, I have found what appears to be, and which is accepted as, the correct date, and which establishes his line of descent. Sinclair and St. Clair are different forms of the same name, and both were often used in connection with the same person.

In searching the Kirk session books of Thurso was found this entry: "On the 24th of March, 1736, William Sinclair, merchant in town, had his son Arthur (who was born about five o'clock of the preceding day) baptized by the Rev. William Innes, minister here." That would make the date of his birth to be March 23, 1736. In a personal letter from Rev. J. Stewart Miller of Thurso, dated July 2, 1891, he gives the date, and says "he had a brother James born in 1738." "His mother's name was probably Murray."

His great-granddaughter, Mrs. Rachel St. Clair Jacoby of Sumneytown, Pa., in a personal letter, dated Nov. 11, 1891, says: "Gen. Arthur St. Clair was very nearly related to the Balfours. Margaret Balfour has always been a family name with us." By the pedigree which is now accepted, General St. Clair's great-grandfather, James Sinclair, second of Assery, married Elizabeth Balfour for his first wife.

General St. Clair was not a grandson of the then Earl of Roslin as is stated in Appleton's Cyclopædia of American Biography, Vol. 5, p. 368, and in other works, as none then existed, but he was a relative, descended from a common ancestor. The earldom of Roslin was not created till 1801, when it was conferred on Alexander Wedderburn, who was born in 1733, a little before the birth of St. Clair. (See William Anderson's Scottish Nation, Vol. 3, p. 373, for Earls of Roslin.) He was not a son of any of the Lords Sinclair, as that title remained dormant from 1723 to 1782. (Anderson's Scottish Nation, Vol. 3, p. 459.)

Upon this subject Rev. William Sinclair, of the Ulbster branch of the family, Chaplain to Her Majesty the Queen, says in a letter dated The Chapter House, St. Paul's Cathedral, London, Eng., March 5, 1890: "The statement that General St. Clair was a grandson of the Earl of Roslin is absurd, because there was at that time no Earl of Roslin; the ancient Lords of Roslin were then on the point of dying out in the person of a bachelor. The earldom of Roslin is an entirely

modern title." Archdeacon Sinclair is considered good authority upon Scottish Sinclair history.

Robert C. Winthrop, Jr., says in a letter dated Boston, Mass., Dec. 3, 1891: "Some notices of General St. Clair vaguely describe him as 'the grandson of the Earl of Roslin,' a palpable absurdity, the 1st Earl of Roslin having been a man of Gen. St. Clair's own age."*

George Dallas Albert, in the History of Westmoreland County, Pa., says Gen. Arthur St. Clair "was a son of William Sinclair of the same stock as the then Earl of Caithness."

After great research, I accept unqualifiedly the statement that Gen. Arthur St. Clair was born March 23, 1736, in Thurso, Scotland, and was a son of William Sinclair, the merchant, and was descended from George Sinclair, the 4th Earl of Caithness, through his son, John Sinclair, the Master. (See Nos. 64, 66, 67, 74, 76, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, which give his line of descent.)

PEDIGREE OF JOHN SINKLER, OF EXETER, N. H.

90. John Sinclair [79a], son of Henry, supposed to be John of Exeter, N. H.

Between 1576, when John Sinclair, Master of Caithness, died at Gernigo Castle, and the time when John Sinkler appeared in Exeter, N. H., a number of Sinclairs appeared in recorded Scotch history; their names were mentioned merely, and they then disappeared. It is probable that John of Exeter was one of them; that he left the country of his nativity where the accident of birth and the law of the land gave to the eldest son all the estates of their father, and where the "unfortunate younger sons" usually became wadsetters, i. e., small tenant farmers on leased lands under their elder brother, to seek a home which would be his own in free America, where the law of primogeniture did not prevail. Great exertions have been made to find the ancestors of the emigrant, John Sinkler of Exeter, New Hampshire, but great difficulties were met. Generations had passed away since his coming, two and a third centuries have come and gone; many people who lived when he lived, and since then, kept no family records; many records have been lost or burned; in consequence of the neglect in keeping them, and of the mishaps and casualties of time, there are oftentimes breaks between the records of the family in America and the family in Scotland. It was so in his case, we have no positive connection and we do not know for a certainty the name of his father. Yet many circumstances, traditions, and suppositions point so strongly in a given direction, that in their cumulative force they amount almost to a certainty. It is so in his case, that he was

* This disposes of the absurd assertions, that for so long have caused so much confusion, that General St. Clair was descended from the Earl of Roslin, and the erroneous statement in the St. Clair papers published by the state of Ohio, that William St. Clair, youngest son of the Earl of Roslin, applied to the General St. Clair for a position, when the latter was Governor of the Northwest Territory. The applicant was of a different line in the family.

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A distinguished representative of the Scottish family was Gen. Arthur St. Clair of Revolutionary fame. In 1816 James St. Clair of Albion, N. Y., (see his sketch, No. 150 of the Sinklers of Exeter, N. H.,) visited the General in Pennsylvania, and the relationship between them was discussed, and decided by them, that they were relatives — "cousins" of a remote degree; of what degree they did not state to their relatives. James St. Clair, of Albion, N. Y., was a descendant of the fifth generation removed from John Sinkler (James St. Clair², Thomas³ Joseph⁴, James⁵, John Sinkler¹ of Exeter, N. H.), who was in Exeter, N. H., as early as 1658, and who was born probably about 1612.

It is at about this point that we must look for the connection between the branches. The relationship probably existed not in the direct line, or through the *elder* son, but through some one of the younger sons of the house of Murkle, or the allied branches.†

It would be with the father of John Sinkler of Exeter that the connection would be made with the present stock in Scotland, *six generations* from James St. Clair of Albion, N. Y. By running General St. Clair's line back six or seven generations, on his line of descent, one must come near the point of union of the lines. By this we reach his ancestor, James Sinclair, first of Murkle, a son of John Sinclair, Master of Calthness. By running James St. Clair, on his ancestral line, we reach the father of John Sinkler of Exeter, whose name we seek.

In consulting "Notes on Calthness Family History" we find that John Sinclair, Master of Calthness, had a son, Henry Sinclair, who was brother of James Sinclair, first of Murkle, ancestor of Gen. Arthur, six generations removed. (See Nos. 74, 76, 79, p. 41.)

* The Sinclairs of County Calthness, Scotland, were one of the most important branches, as well as one of the largest, of the family. They lived in many different towns and parishes. In Scotland branches of the Sinclairs lived at Roslin, Hermandston, Assery, Murkle, Achlingate, Newton, Barrock, Borlum, Shura, Brabstordoran, Dun, Dunbeath, Latheron, Durran, Forss, Fusurek, Glnce, Greenland, Rattar, Hoy, Oldfield, Kirk, Myreland, Lorn, Lybater, Reay, Mey, Olrig, Sotscaider, Southdun, Stemster, Strkoke, Webster, Sutherland, and Swinzie, and other places. They married and intermarried in every direction, making it perplexing to the genealogist.

† Members of the Sinclair family will find the following works of great and special value on the history of the Sinclair or St. Clair family: "Notes on Calthness Family History"; By John Henderson, W. S.; Published at Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1884, by Daniel Douglas, and can be procured of him. "History of Calthness, Scotland"; By James T. Calder; Illustrated; Published 1887, by William Rae of Wick, Scotland; Second edition. "The Scottish Nation: or the Surnames, Families, Literature, Honors, and Biographical History of the People of Scotland"; By William Anderson; 3 Vols.; Published 1833, by A. Fullerton & Co., 44 South Bridge, Edinburgh, Scotland, and 115, Newgate St., London, England. "The History of the Sinclairs of England"; By Thomas Sinclair; Published by Trubner & Co., Ludgate Hill, London, England. And the published works of Thomas Burke; the latter are found in most of the large American libraries.

Henry Sinclair "got a conveyance from his brother, Earl George, of part of the lands of Borrowstone and Lybster with the 'miln and fishings,' and he made a reversion of them to the Earl, Sept. 23, 1606. He died of paralysis while besieging the castle of Kirkwall in 1614. By his wife, Janet Sutherland, he had a son John, and he is probably the ancestor of a family of Sinclars of Lybster, who occur as wadsetters of these lands down to 1670."

On page 144 of this same book is the statement, "Before the rise of the Sinclairs of Lybster in Latheron, there were Sinclairs of Lybster in Reay, dating from at least 1636. Their origin is uncertain, but it is conjectured that they may have been the descendants of Henry Sinclair, who died about 1614. A natural son of John, Master of Caithness, and who got from his brother, the Earl of Caithness, a wadset of Down Reay and part of Lybster. Or possibly this family may have been of the Sinclairs of Dunbeath, who held Down Reay and other lands in Reay."

This second statement throws some doubt on the first, and I have been unable to find any farther record of him than the preceding—and he disappears from Scottish history. What could be more natural than that this John Sinclair should leave Scotland and, seeking a new land, should appear in Exeter, N. H. Some almost assert it to be a fact, and that this John Sinclair and John of Exeter are one and the same. If correct, this would verify the statement of General St. Clair and James St. Clair that they were distant cousins (which would make them fifth cousins), and place the bond of union at the place where we would naturally look for it and where it must probably exist. It would make them both, General St. Clair and James St. Clair, descendants of George Sinclair, the 4th Earl of Caithness (see No. 66), through his son John, Master of Caithness (No. 74); then through his two sons; Gen. Arthur St. Clair, through his son James, first of Murkle (No. 80), and John of Exeter, N. H., through another son Henry (No. 79). The line would run thus:

The common ancestor, John Sinclair, Master of Caithness, No. 67.

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| 2. John, son of James, and first of Assery. | 2. John, son of Henry, and of Exeter, N. H.; 1st cousin of John of Assery. |
| 3. James, son of John, and second of Assery. | 3. James, son of John, and 2d cousin of James of Assery. |
| 4. James, his son, and merchant in Thurso, Scotland. | 4. Joseph, son of James, and 3d cousin of James of Thurso. |
| 5. William, son of James, also a merchant in Thurso. | 5. Thomas, son of Joseph, and 4th cousin of William of Thurso. |
| 6. Gen. Arthur St. Clair, and son of William of Thurso. | 6. James of Albion, N. Y., son of Thomas, and 5th cousin of Gen. Arthur St. Clair. |

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been many knightly men in civil and in military life, who by their straight and stalwart forms, by their complexion, by their strong traits of character, and by their whole personal appearance have strikingly resembled the Sinclairs and St. Clairs of Scotland, as recorded both "in French and English history." And what does this signify? It proclaims the curious genealogical fact which every discerning family historian has not failed to see, that the mental and physical characteristics of a family are often transmitted for many generations, and for centuries.

The similarity of christian names existing among the Sinclairs of Caithness and the Sinclairs of the New World will not fail to be noticed. There were the Johns, the Jameses, the Richards, the Davids, the Janets, and many others in Caithness which were transplanted to the shores of New Hampshire, and have been honorably borne even to the present by the descendants of John Sinkler of Exeter.

Upon this subject the Hon. Charles Henry St. Clair of Morgan City, La., a great great-grandson of the James St. Clair of Albion, N. Y., so often referred to, and one who has given this matter a great deal of time and vast research, says: "I feel certain that John of Exeter, N. H., was that John who was son of Henry, who died of paralysis before Kirkwall and Janet Sutherland, his wife. I am convinced and shall search no longer." Then he alludes to the business of the family of Henry in Scotland—farming and fishing—and the business of John, his son in Exeter—which was the same. Henry had leased from his brother, Earl George, lands of Borrowstown and Lybster, with "miln and fishings," and throws up a part of it in 1606, and a part of the Sinclair family hold this down to 1670, and are supposed to belong to the stock of Henry. Our John probably quits Lybster Reay, goes to Edinburgh, marries Mary—and turns up in Exeter, N. H., in 1658, and has there a free fishing besides his farm. He alludes to the personal looks and appearance, and mental characteristics of the Scotch and American Sinclairs, which are remarkably alike.

The Hon. Charles Henry St. Clair again says: "In the year 1816 James St. Clair was living with his son James, Jr., in Albion, Orleans Co., New York." In recommitting to his relatives the history of his family he said: "Our first ancestor in America was named John, he came to America from near Edinburgh, Scotland. His father's name was Henry, he was a farmer. We are related to Gen. Arthur St. Clair, and I am going to pay him a visit." The visit was made in 1816; the General was then living at Chestnut Ridge, Pa. He was gone four months, three of which were spent with the General, whom he helped to save his crops, and with whom he had long talks as to their relationship and family genealogy. On his return he reported these things to his family, and from that time wrote his name St. Clair instead of Sinclair, this being the first knowledge he had that the real and true name was St. Clair. In personal appearance (as described by those who knew him) this James St. Clair would have

served as a personification of that given by many historians of "William the Seemly," of William St. Clair, the first Earl of Caithness, and Gen. Arthur St. Clair.

Mr. St. Clair and others searched by correspondence and other ways for five years in the United States, Canada, Scotland, England, Ireland, and France to find the point of union of the Exeter immigrant with the parent stock, without success. At length, in answer to a letter of inquiry, Hon. John S. Sinclair, the present Earl of Caithness, of Lakota, North Dakota, loaned to the author of this work and to Mr. St. Clair his book, "Notes on the Caithness Family History." The information gleaned from that is now before the family and the general reader.*

This closes the history of the pedigree of John Sinkler of Exeter, N. H. His history is given in a chapter devoted to "John Sinkler of Exeter, New Hampshire, and his descendants."

PEDIGREE OF JOHN SUTHERLAND SINCLAIR, OF LAKOTA, NORTH DAKOTA.

The pedigree of John Sutherland Sinclair, of Lakota, North Dakota, is as follows. He is the 17th Earl of Caithness:

91. George Sinclair²⁰ (see No. 66), 4th Earl of Caithness, was his ancestor. The latter was the 20th generation from Rogenwald, who is called the 1st generation, and ancestor of the St. Clair—Sinclair—family. His third son,
92. George Sinclair²¹, second of Mey. He was 6th Earl of Caithness. He married before 1583, Margaret, daughter of William, 7th Lord Forbes, and died in 1616. His son and heir,
93. Sir William Sinclair²² of Cadboll. He married Katherine, daughter of George Ross, and was succeeded by his son,
94. Sir James Sinclair²³ of Canisbay. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Patrick, Lord Lindores, and died in 1662. His son,
95. Robert Sinclair²⁴ of Durran. He married in 1678, Anne, daughter of William Sinclair of Rattar. His son,
96. John Sinclair²⁵ was his successor. He married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of George Sinclair of Carrock. He died in 1728, and was succeeded by his son,
97. James Sinclair²⁶ of Durran, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Patrick Dunbar; his second wife was Katherine Brodie. He died in 1793. His son,
98. George Sinclair²⁷, writer to the Signet, married in 1775, Elizabeth, daughter of John Sutherland of Forse. He died in 1779. His son,
99. John Sutherland Sinclair²⁸, a Lieut.-Colonel in the Royal Artillery, and died in 1841. His son,
100. James Augustus Sinclair²⁹ was the 16th Earl of Caithness. He became Earl in Jan., 1890, and died in Jan., 1891. His son,
101. John Sutherland Sinclair³⁰ succeeded to the earldom in Jan., 1891, and became the 17th Earl of Caithness. He resides in Lakota, North Dakota.

* Thomas Sinclair, author of "The History of the Sinclairs of England," and author of "The History of the Sinclairs of Scotland," now in ms. but who has great knowledge of the family history, when the evidence on this matter was submitted to him, says he thinks we are right.

† This pedigree is formed from Anderson's "Scottish Nation," and from a family chart loaned me by the present Earl of Caithness.

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CHAPTER IV.

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SINCLAIRS OF SCOTLAND.

THE Sinclairs of Sootland, descendants of Walderne by his son William Sinclair, are very numerous. The name was one of the fifty most common ones in the kingdom; by the census of 1860, and by official tables, the number of persons bearing it was 9,880.* The county of Caithness is still its stronghold, and the earldom is still its heritage. The family is understood to be a clan, their badge being a branch of whins, and their tartan red. According to an old superstition, no Sinclair will willingly dress in green, or cross the Ord Mountain on Monday; for forty Sinclairs, led by the Earl of Caithness, and clad in garments of that color, marched by that road to the fatal field of Flodden, Sept. 9, 1513, where all were slain, save the drummer boy, who was discharged previous to the battle. In 1745 the Earl of Caithness, the head of the Scottish family, could muster one thousand men.

One of the most celebrated homes of the race in Scotland has been Roslin Castle; another was Sinclair Castle, situated on the southeast side of Sinclair Bay, on a bold neck of land in the central-eastern portion of Scotland, a mile to the west of Nosshead. It was one of the chief strongholds of the ancient Earls of Caithness, of the Sinclair family. It was erected about 1606, and is now in ruins.

In 1612 Col. George Sinclair, a nephew of the Earl of Caithness, and a soldier of fortune, met with a tragic fate, while with a large body of some 900 Caithness men in the service of the Swedish king against Norway. While passing through the Pass of Kringelen, in Norway, a narrow defile, they were beset by the men of the country, who hurled great rocks down the mountain sides upon them, while many were slain with firearms, and almost the entire number perished.

* William Anderson's surnames, p. 147.

"To Norway, Sinclair steered his course,
Across the salt sea wave,
But in Kringelen's mountain pass
He found an early grave.

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A monument yet marks the spot
Which points to Sinclair's bier,
And tells how fourteen hundred men
Sunk in that Pass of fear."

SOME OF THE PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THE SINCLAIR FAMILY IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The present Earl of Caithness is John Sutherland Sinclair, whose American home is Lakota, North Dakota. Recently he succeeded to the titles and dignities of the Earls of Caithness, but not to the landed possessions.

Lord Sinclair has seats at Hermandstown, County Haddington, and Nisbet House, County Berwick, Scotland.

Sir John-George Tollemache Sinclair, Baronet of Ulbster. His residence is Ulbster Castle, in Thurso, County Caithness, Scotland. He is the largest landed proprietor in the county, having 60,000 acres of land. He represented his county in the House of Commons for some fifteen years.

Sir Robert-Gordon Sinclair of Murkle, Baronet, near Thurso. He has estates in Counties of Caithness and Haddington. His residence in Caithness is Achavaisdale Lodge, and in Haddington is Stevenston House, Scotland.

Sir John-Rose G. Sinclair of Dunbeath. Residence, Barrock House, near Wick, County Caithness, Scotland.

William Sinclair Thomson Sinclair, Esq. Residence, Dunbeath Castle, Freswick, County Caithness, Scotland.

Major Clarence Sinclair. Residence, Ulbster Castle, Thurso, County Caithness, Scotland.

Rev. William Sinclair, Archdeacon, and Chaplain to "Her most Gracious Majesty the Queen"; is Vicar of St. Stephen's Church, Westminster, London, England.

Alexander Sinclair, a journalist of ability, is a member of the editorial staff of *The Herald*, Glasgow, Scotland.

Thomas Sinclair, M. A., Montpelier House, Woodlane, Falmouth, England. Author of the "History of the Sinclairs of England."

ARMS OF THE SINCLAIRS.

More than twenty Scotch families of the name have had arms granted to them; and at least thirty English Sinclair families have received arms. (History of the Sinclairs of England, pp. 409, 413.)

PLACES BEARING THE NAME OF SINCLAIR, WITH ITS VARIATIONS.

Sinclair Bay, near Wick, Scotland.
Sinclair Castle, near Wick, Scotland.
St. Clears, Wales.
St. Cleer, County Cornwall, England.
St. Clere, Ightham, County Kent, England.
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HOMES OF THE SINCLAIRS IN ENGLAND—NOTED PERSONS.

The Sinclairs of England had a checkered career in that land. They attained the most elevated positions. In spite of this their family name was hidden, and undoubtedly lost in many cases, by its members being known by their titles, and in others, following the general custom, received local surnames from the lands upon which they lived. Prominent branches of the name frequently disappeared, which may be accounted for in this manner. Where the sons did not perpetuate the family patronymic, it became lost, as the daughters were merged in other families with which they united their destinies.

The family of the Earl of Rye. Hubert Sinclair, appears to have been the most favored and honored of any of the Conqueror's favorites, or adherents of this lineage. Eudo Sinclair had the famous castle, and great possessions at Colchester, England, as well as his castle of Preaux in Normandy. His brother, Rudolph Sinclair, was Earl of Nottingham, and was the controller of its wonderful castle. Hubert Sinclair, their brother, had the strong castle of Norwich in his guiding hand. These three brothers, so powerful, and being united, could wield, and did wield, a mighty influence in the politics of the time; as Hubert did in the placing of William Rufus on the throne of his deceased father. The castle and town of Rochester were held by Walderne St. Clare and his descendants.

The Aldhams, members of the lineage who took the surname of Aldham from the lands on which they resided, were descendants of Richard Sinclair, the son of Walderne, or Walter, as he is called sometimes. Their old home is now joined with others, and is called St. Clere. It is situated some twenty-five miles from London, in the County of Kent, near Seven Oaks, and two miles from the rare, quaint village of Ightham. Their old hall still exists, as a relic of the interesting past. It is hung with pictures, guns, stags' horns, and many other curious and rare things of days long gone. The newer mansion at St. Clere is owned and occupied by Sir Mark Wilke Collet, and is situated on a gentle slope, surrounded with elegant grounds, green fields, and forests of lofty beeches, dense with foliage, and whose heads reach high into the sky. One would travel far to find a lovelier scene. From there Ightham, Seal, Knockholt, and

other famous localities are in view. The home of Adam Sinclair, the Commissioner of Domesday Book, is a short distance to the east. This is famous ground, and celebrated persons frequented it, and important events were there enacted.

Guy St. Clair and wife, Marjory Neville, in 1335, held Wyrn Hall, in County of Norfolk. Either he or a namesake was Constable of Dover, and Warden of the Cinque Ports, the position most prized under the king.

Robert de St. Clair possessed estates near Dover, and the manor of Hastingleigh, near Ashford. He married in 1331, and his sons William, Richard, and Thomas survived him.

Hugo de St. Clare, Minister of the king, and nephew of Hamo St. Clare, the dapifer, had estates near the river Thames, of which Aeslingham, near Rochester, England, was the home.

Cicely Sinclair, daughter of Robert, the Knight of Rye, was Abbess of the nunnery of Shaftesbury. Her sister, Haurise Sinclair, was Abbess of Wilton, in County of Wilts.

Another fine old home of the Sinclairs is near St. Edmundsbury, County of Suffolk, called Bradfield St. Clare. It keeps the memory green of its founder, Gilbert Sinclair, Viscount of Norfolk and Suffolk. The name is still retained.

Grimston Manor, Norfolk, belonged for many generations to the Santo-Claro family.

In the County of Essex the family was conspicuous for hundreds of years. In 1483, when King Edward IV. was, with imposing ceremonies, laid away to sleep his long sleep, Sir Thomas St. Claire had a leading position during the occasion.

In the reign of Henry VIII., up to 1547, Sir John Sinclair was a noted character. Hedington Castle was the home of one portion of the lineage. In leaden coffins in the Chapel at Danbury, five miles from Chelmsford, were buried several knightly Sinclairs who had followed the standard of the cross in crusades to the Holy Land. "The hill of Danbury, Essex, by the Thames, beneath London, is a landmark and a tower to this lineage, as it had been for ages to the world's greatest city; and its chapel will always stand fixed to memory as something notable that has been." Another says of them: "All that was highest in marriage, lands, or office they had in England for nearly a century after the conquest, and the glow of their fame, and their physical and intellectual powers, kept them high for centuries afterwards in a way rare to any one particular lineage."

SINCLAIRS IN IRELAND.

There have been many of the family who lived in Ireland, and numerous representatives of the name are there now. They were early in the Emerald Isle. On a tombstone in Comber, County of Down, Ireland, is engraved the same christian names of Sinclairs as were borne by John Sinkler of Exeter, N. H., in 1658, and Robert Sin-

kler of Wells, Me., who was probably his son. The inscription is as follows:

Here lieth these bodies of Robert Sinkler, who died in 1666, aged 71 years; and his wife, Gieis Gordon, who died in 1673, aged 74 years; also their son, John Sinkler, who died in 1681, aged 61 years.

Thomas Sinclair is an able, influential, and prominent citizen of Belfast.

PROMINENT SINCLAIRS OF ALL NATIONS.

Sir Andrew Sinclair was a noted figure among the Sinclairs of Denmark, and was ambassador from the Danish court to King James I. of England.

Count Malcolm Sinclair of Sweden was an ambassador to the Porte during the reign of Empress Catherine, and died by violence.

Sinclairs have been in high positions in Russia, Germany, and Norway, and representatives of the family are living there to-day.

Rev. John Sinclair was a prominent figure at the siege of Londonderry, Ireland, 1688-'89, and there is a family, resident in the Emerald Isle, for more than 200 years of position and influence.

In Australia, Africa, and America are offshoots of the same stock.

In Scotland the name has long been famous, before and since the founding of Roslin Castle, and members of the family have been lords of Roslin, dukes of Oldenburg in Denmark, nobles of Norway, princes of Orkney and Shetland, and earls of Caithness.

A chevalier Von Sinclair was distinguished as a dramatist in Germany.

Cardinal Hugo Sancto Claro, who in the 13th century flourished greatly, first put the Bible into verses and was the author of one of the ablest and longest commentaries upon it, was of this blood, though his name is slightly changed by its Italian form.

From 1600 to 1622 in the University of Paris David Sinclair was one of its most noted professors in mathematics.

In the old hive of the family, Normandy, in recent times, have been noted persons of the lineage, but in all characteristics entirely French. Charles Ferdinand, Baron de St. Clair in 1820, was a colonel of cavalry, and loyal to the Bourbon prince. His military career was remarkable, having been wounded eighteen times during twenty-three years' service, and had gained many decorations. His papers are published in book form.

Thus this family, never so numerous or prolific as some others, yet its members widely scattered, have occupied elevated positions and exerted commanding influence.

The history of the Sinclairs now passes from the Old World to the New.

In the preceding pages the names St. Clair, or Sinclair, have been largely used interchangeably, as they were so found in the authorities consulted. Often both forms of the name were employed in relation to the same individual.

CHAPTER V.

SINCLAIRS IN AMERICA.—FIRST SINCLAIRS IN AMERICA.—SINCLAIRS WHO HAVE BEEN OFFICERS IN THE UNITED STATES REGULAR ARMY AND IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY.—ORTHOGRAPHY OF THE NAME.—ITS VARIOUS FORMS.—SPELLED SINKLER BY MANY.—MANY WAYS OF SPELLING SINCLAIR.—LANDS GRANTED TO SINKLERS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.—CHARACTERISTICS OF THE SINKLERS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE AND THEIR DESCENDANTS.

SINCLAIRS IN THE NEW WORLD.

ENOUGH has already been given to show the origin of this knightly family; the part its valiant members took when they with William the Conqueror invaded England and helped to subdue it. The subsequent career of these Norman Sinclair warriors has been briefly told, and passing glimpses have been hurriedly caught upon other soil than that of Normandy of their descendants.

The princely domains of the Sinclairs in various countries, their homes in feudal castles in England and Scotland, and other lands of vastness, and wonderful strength have been noted and described; and many of the illustrious ones of this race in these countries, with their notable deeds, have been alluded to during the eight hundred years succeeding the Conquest.

It will now be well to turn from the parent families in Europe, whose members have been so familiar with rulers, and mingled so freely in royal courts and in the din of arms, to offshoots of this same race, planted upon American soil, brought up under American skies, developed and broadened under the enlightening and broadening influence of American institutions, and who have become Americans. Their career in a different sphere under different circumstances has been as honorable as that of members of the parent stock, and more beneficial to their brethen,—who are all mankind. For two hundred and thirty years the American Sinclairs have in various ways, as citizens, as gallant soldiers in all wars, as brave, hardy pioneers planting civilization in the waste places of the land, and laying deep and broad the foundation for prosperous communities, have aided in building and developing the great Republic, and as true and loyal citizens they live to-day in all parts of this Western Hemisphere.

FIRST SINCLAIRS IN AMERICA.

Since America was first settled by Europeans many persons by the name of Sinclair or St. Clair have come to these shores. Previous to the year A. D. 1700, however, their coming was as rare as angel's visits. Very few of the family were in the country at the time of the American Revolution, and they were largely the descendants of a few individuals who had settled here a long time previously. From that date up to 1840 individuals of the family occasionally sought a home on this side of the blue sea. Since 1840, or within fifty years, there have been repeated immigrations of individuals bearing this patronymic, and they and their descendants are now found in all our large cities, and also scattered into all sections of the country. Yet, considering the density and numbers of the population, it never has been, and is not now, very numerous in America.

From authentic sources the following list has been prepared of Sinclairs who were early in America, with the time of their departure from the Old World, or the year of their appearance in the New :

1631. Salamon Sinclare* was among the passengers in the ship *John and Sara*, which sailed from London for America.
1658. John Sinkler was in Exeter, N. H., where his son, James Sinkler, was born July 27, 1680, and his son John and other children soon after that date. He was the progenitor of the Sinklers and Sinclairs of New Hampshire, and his numerous descendants are in all sections of the United States and Canada.
1677. The emigrant Robert Sinclair came to New York. "He was son of James Sinclair, a lineal descendant of the Earls of Orkney and Caithness."
1680. Alexander Sinklaire was a resident of St. Michaels, Island of Barbadoes, and had ten acres of land.
1710. Charles Sinkler, apparently an offshoot of the Exeter, N. H., family, was in the military service of New Hampshire, probably against Fort Royal.
1714. Robert Sinkler, perhaps a son of John Sinkler, the early settler in Exeter, N. H., was a resident of Wells, Me., before March 18, 1714.
1717. David Sinclair died in Boston, Mass., Nov. 9, 1717.
1729. William Sinclair† came to New England. He was born in the parish of Drumbloo, County of Down, Ireland, in 1678. In 1735 he settled in Spencer, Mass., and died there July 4, 1753; had wife Mary, who died Aug. 9, 1765, at 79 years; had daughters: Anna, married John Cunningham. Mary, married May 5, 1738, Jonas Mayes. Agnes, married Dec. 11, 1746, William Breckinridge of Palmer, Mass. Elizabeth, married John Dunn of Northbridge, Mass.
1746. Duncan Sinclair of Boston married Agnes McQueston Aug. 21, 1746.
1747. John Sinclair, a political exile from Scotland, appeared in the American colonies; located in Virginia, and has descendants in Loudon Co., Va., Georgetown, Ky., Springfield, Ill., Ottawa, Ill., and Charlottesville, Va.

* List of passengers is to be found in the Probate office of Suffolk County of Mass., at Boston, Mass. Stated on the authority of George Lincoln, Esq., historian, Hingham, Mass.
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1757. Arthur St. Clair, born in Thurso, Scotland, in 1736, came to America in the latter part of 1757, or the early part of 1758; was a distant relative of the Roslin St. Clairs, and became a general in the American Revolution.
- William St. Clair, a relative, came to America later.
1760. Capt. John Sinclair was in the French and Indian War. Sir John Sinclair, a British soldier, was in the French and Indian War.
1768. Thomas Sinclair of Boston, Mass., married Aug. 28, 1768, Constantia Condon.

OFFICERS IN U. S. ARMY AND NAVY.

Between 1776 and 1887 these St. Clairs or Sinclairs have been commissioned as officers in the U. S. Regular Army:

IN THE U. S. ARMY.

Gen. Arthur St. Clair.	James B. Sinclair.
Daniel St. Clair.	William Sinclair.

OFFICERS IN THE NAVY.

Arthur Sinclair.	Arthur Sinclair.	Arthur Sinclair
Charles Sinclair.	Charles H. Sinclair.	Daniel Sinclair.
George F. Sinclair.	Henry Sinclair.	James D. Sinclair.
John S. Sinclair.	Malcolm Sinclair.	William Sinclair.
William B. Sinclair.		Charles Sinkler.

Besides these, many Sinclairs have served in the wars of the country either as privates or officers in the volunteer forces of the several states, as will be noticed in the investigation of this history.

ORTHOGRAPHY OF THE NAME.

The authoritative manner of writing or spelling the name is Saint Clair, or its contraction St. Clair. The name of the earliest known immigrant to America of the family was spelled Sinclare, the second Sinkler, the third Sinklaire. The name of the New Hampshire family was called and spelled Sinkler, and so was a Virginia family which appeared nearly a century after. At the present time the Sinkler form of writing it has almost entirely disappeared, although it does still prevail among representatives of one branch of the family in Virginia.

Within half a century many of the descendants of the first Sinklers, living in various portions of the country, have changed their name to St. Clair or Sinclair, and in some instances have written it Sinclear and Sincleare. At the present time these various forms are generally understood to be the same patronymic, and the manner of writing and pronouncing it have become largely a matter of individual taste. Indeed, in public documents, the same individual's name frequently appears in each form. In the Directory of London, England, both names are inserted under the heading "Sinclair, St. Clair."

Saint Clare, Saint Clair, or its contraction St. Clair, was the original orthography as it came from the martyr Saint Clare, the hermit on the shore of the Epte. He was the first St. Clair. In Scotland

both surnames appear to-day, still in the course of centuries, in Calthness, where the family has long been a princely, powerful, prolific, and numerous one, the name is almost universally written and pronounced Sinclair.

While both forms of this surname are now considered as correct, as each is sanctioned by use and the custom of centuries, while each appears in Scotland and England, and in offshoots of the same family in Ireland, and other countries in Europe, in Africa, Australia, the United States, and Canada, still the argument is in favor of St. Clair as the earlier, the original derivation, and the correct orthography of the name.

SINKLER.

JOHN SINKLER OF EXETER, N. H., 1658, AND HIS DESCENDANTS.—ORTHOGRAPHY OF THEIR NAME, AND ITS CHANGES BY DIFFERENT BRANCHES OF HIS DESCENDANTS.

The name was spelled phonetically. In New Hampshire John Sinkler, the early settler in Exeter, in 1658, spelled his name Sinkler, and this was the usual method for a long period. The same is true of the Sinklers of Virginia, and of Robert Sinkler (perhaps a son of John of Exeter), who was in Wells, Me., in 1714, and among his early descendants.

John Sinkler¹ of Exeter wrote his name Sinkler, or it was written for him in many instances.

James Sinkler², on a petition Jan. 14, 1715-16, signed his name James Sinkler.

John Sinkler³ of Stratham, N. H., son of James², on same petition signed his name Sinkler.

Ebenezer Sinkler⁴, another son, on July 18, 1744, signed his name to a petition in the same manner.

Richard Sinkler⁵, another son, of Stratham, signed a remonstrance July 26, 1744, in the usual way.

Samuel Sinkler⁶ of Newmarket, N. H., Nov. 21, 1746, affixed his name to a petition in like manner.

Joseph Sinkler⁷, son of James³, then of Newmarket, afterward Pembroke, N. H., June 5, 1745, appends his name to a document as Sinclare. He signs a petition with Samuel Sinkler and others Nov. 21, 1746, as Joseph Sinkler. In a petition from Buckstreet, afterward Pembroke, in 1758, when he signed a petition with his sons, John, later of Essex, Vt., and Thomas, later of Sanbornton (the father of James Sinclair of Barre, N. Y.), he and John append their names as Sinkler, while Thomas signs as Sinckler. He signs another petition Sept. 3, 1767, from Pembroke, as Joseph Sinkler.

FIRST APPEARANCE OF CORRECT ORTHOGRAPHY.

Edward Sinkler⁸ of Exeter, or Newmarket, signed a petition Nov. 25, 1755, with his name properly spelled, which is its first

appearance; but his name appears in the Revolutionary rolls, twenty years later, spelled Sinkler.

Nathaniel Sinkler² of Stratham, N. H., spelled his name Sinclear in 1755; in 1757 as Sinclair; in 1765, Nov. 21, he signed a petition as Sinkler, and in 1777 he is called Sinkler.

Thomas Sunkler⁴ of Newmarket, Pembroke, Sanbornton, N. H., and Hardwick, Vt.; while a resident of Newmarket he signed a petition with his father, Joseph Sinkler², and uncle, Samuel Sinkler², Nov. 21, 1746, and signed his name Thomas Sinkler. After his removal to Pembroke he signed a petition in 1758 (as stated before) with his father, Joseph Sinkler, and his brother, John Sinkler, and signed his name Sinclear. On July 13, 1764, as Sinkler, while his brother John, who signed the same petition, wrote his name John Sinclear. After he arrived in Sanbornton, on the first petition he signed, Jan. 8, 1768, he calls himself Thomas Senclear; on March 29, 1770, it is Thomas Sinclear, a style adopted by some branches of the family at the present. Thomas Sinkler, when he signed the association test in Sanbornton in 1776, signed it as Thomas Sinclear. On the town books as surveyor of highways it was Sinclear. In 1777 he was a member of Capt. Chase Taylor's company in the Revolutionary War, and on the rolls his name is Thomas Sunkler. The name of Zebulon Sinkler, his son, on Revolutionary rolls appears as Zebulon Sinkler, July 7, 1777.

James Sinkler, son of the above Thomas, and the Revolutionary soldier of longest service of them all, and who lived in Pembroke, Meredith, Sandwich, Sanbornton, N. H., Hardwick and Wolcott, Vt., Russelltown, Canada, and who died in Barre, N. Y., Jan. 26, 1836, shared the same experience. He is called James Sinkler in the return of the Meredith Revolutionary soldiers. In the return of Maj. Benjamin Whitcomb's rangers, when he and his uncle Joseph Sinclair of Sanbornton served side by side during the term of his enlistment, "36 months and 7 days," their names appear as James Sinclear and Joseph Sinclear, and on the Depreciation rolls they are called Sinclair. On a petition Nov. 27, 1781, he signs himself James Sinclear. He is called James Sinclear in 1784. In his discharge papers, in the Pension Office in Washington, D. C., in 1788, his name was spelled Sinclear, and he wrote his name in that manner in his application for a pension June 12, 1818. In Sept., 1820, he signed his name St. Clair. His son, James St. Clair, stated that his father in his lifetime signed his name Sinclair. Almost, if not all, of the descendants of this James Sinclair at present write their names St. Clair. The descendants of his brothers Thomas and Zebulon of Meredith, the most of those of Benjamin in Hardwick, Vt., and of his uncle John Sinclair of Essex, Vt., spell their name Sinclair; while the descendants of his cousins, Jacob Sinclair of New Hampton and Noah Sinclair of Canterbury, usually style themselves St. Clair.

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The descendants of his son, Lieut. Richard Sinclair, among whom are Hon. John G. Sinclair of Orlando, Fla., and his son, Hon. Charles H. Sinclair of Portsmouth, N. H., write their names Sinclair. The same is true of most of the descendants of his sons David and Joseph, who lived in Perry, Ohio; also while the descendants of his son John have generally adopted the St. Clair form of the name, and the descendants of his son, Maj. Samuel Sinclair of Sinclairville, N. Y., usually write their name Sinclear.

There is hardly a Sinclair of New Hampshire previous to 1790 but what, when his name has appeared upon official documents, has appeared as Sinkler. Barnabas Sinkler of Unity, N. H., appears as Sinkler; Richard Sinkler of Stratham, a descendant of Richard Sinclair², appears as Sinekler March 4, 1775, and as Sinkler June 4, 1777. The Stratham branch of the family now write their name Sinclair.

There seemed to be no authorized manner of writing the name and the Sinclairs themselves, as well as others, wrote it as it was usually pronounced, with the accent upon the first syllable,—thus Sink-ler.

Then, again, each one wrote the name apparently "as seemed good in his own eyes."

SINCLAIR AS VARIOUSLY SPELLED.

Almost the entire number of Sinclairs—St. Clairs—whose names appear upon the town, county, and probate records at Exeter, N. H.; in the state archives in the capitol at Concord, N. H.; in the different town, county, and probate offices in New Hampshire and Vermont, and some in Massachusetts and New York, are the known descendants of John Sinkler, who was in Exeter, N. H., in 1658.

The following are the differing forms in which the name has been written or spelled in the places alluded to, and as copied from original documents, and printed by the state of New Hampshire in twenty-one large volumes of Provincial papers and State papers, in the Reports of the Adjutant-General, in different town histories, and as found in other sources of information:

Cinclair, Sanckler, Sinclaire, Sinclair, St. Clair, Sain Clair, Sant Clair, Senckler, Sencler, Sinckar, Sincklor, Sincklear, Sinclare, Sincler, Sinklar, Sinkler, Sinklee, Sinkler, Sinclir, Sinklair, Synkler,.

SINKLERS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Lands granted to the Sinklers by the town of Exeter, N. H., as shown by the town record:

First grant was made Oct. 10, 1684, to John Sinkler¹ of 15 acres.
50 acres to James Sinkler² Jan. 31, 1681.

- 20 acres to John Sinkler Jan. 31, 1681. This was probably John Sinkler², son of John¹, and brother of James Sinkler².
 50 acres to James Sinkler² in 1698.
 100 acres to "John Sinkler, son of James," on the first Monday of April, 1705. This was Capt. John Sinkler³ of Stratham, N. H. Stratham was a portion of Exeter till 1716.
 50 acres to John Sinkler on the first Monday of April, 1706. This was probably to the same person,—John Sinkler¹ had passed away previous to Sept. 14, 1700, when his will was proven. His son John Sinkler² then was living in Exeter. The latter had a son John Sinkler³, also of Exeter.

In 1725 a committee appointed by the town of Exeter prepared a list of the residents of the town with the amount of public land allotted to each individual. The following is what relates to this family:

- 100 acres to John Sinkler, Sr., in 1725. This was to John Sinkler², son of John¹.
 30 acres to John Sinkler, Jr., in 1725. This was John Sinkler², son of John Sinkler², Sr., the only John Sinkler living in Exeter. Stratham had been set off from Exeter in 1716, and Capt. John Sinkler³, son of James Sinkler², was then a resident of that town.
 100 acres to James Sinkler in 1725. This was James², son of John¹, the only James Sinkler of the family at that date.
 40 acres to Joseph Sinkler in 1725. This was Joseph Sinkler², son of James, as shown in the latter's will. He was of Exeter. The parish of Newmarket was set off from Exeter and incorporated Dec. 15, 1727. He was a resident of what is now South Newmarket about 1751, when he, and his sons Thomas and John, and others removed to Pembroke, N. H.
 40 acres to Richard Sinkler in 1725. This was Richard Sinkler², son of James², as shown by the will of the latter. He was then of Exeter, but was married soon after, on June 21, 1728, and settled in Stratham, where he died July 9, 1751.
 40 acres to Samuel Sinkler in 1725. It is uncertain which Samuel Sinkler this was. There were two Samuels then in Exeter: Samuel², son of John¹, and his cousin Samuel³, son of James Sinkler².

Thus far six hundred and thirty-five acres of land had been bestowed by the town upon members of the Sinkler family. Certainly not an amount to be complained of.

It will be noticed that many grants of land to this family occurred in 1725, when a committee of the town reported this amount as belonging to these parties, as their proportion in the final distribution of the public lands of Exeter. But this distribution did not actually occur till several years later.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE SINCLAIRS OF NEW HAMPSHIRE AND THEIR DESCENDANTS.

They loved the mountains and the hills; beneath their shadows or on their summits they built their abodes. They loved the forests, for there they hunted beasts of prey, and gathered sustenance from the streams of water. They held communion with nature, they lived near

to her, and ever listened to the multitudinous voices with which she always speaks to those who love her. They were familiar with the lore of the hills and the woods, and never shunned hardship or fatigue. They had strong physiques, stalwart frames, great powers of endurance, feared not danger, were ardently fond of athletic sports and feats of strength or skill. They had much mechanical knowledge which was always employed in the development of new communities, and towns, and states. They also had the faculty of being practical, and could, and would, turn their minds and hands to any necessary employment. In truth, it has during its nearly 250 years residence in this country been an eminently practical family. They have loved the activities and rush of private life, and the experiences of a frontiersman much better than books, much more than the studies of the scholar, or than the achievements of professional life. Always have they been intensely patriotic. They loved the military profession. In every war since they came to America, they have been among the first in the fray, and the last to quit. Their sacrifices have been great, and members of the race have sometimes given life itself for their king and country; and later to establish the Republic, and then to preserve it.

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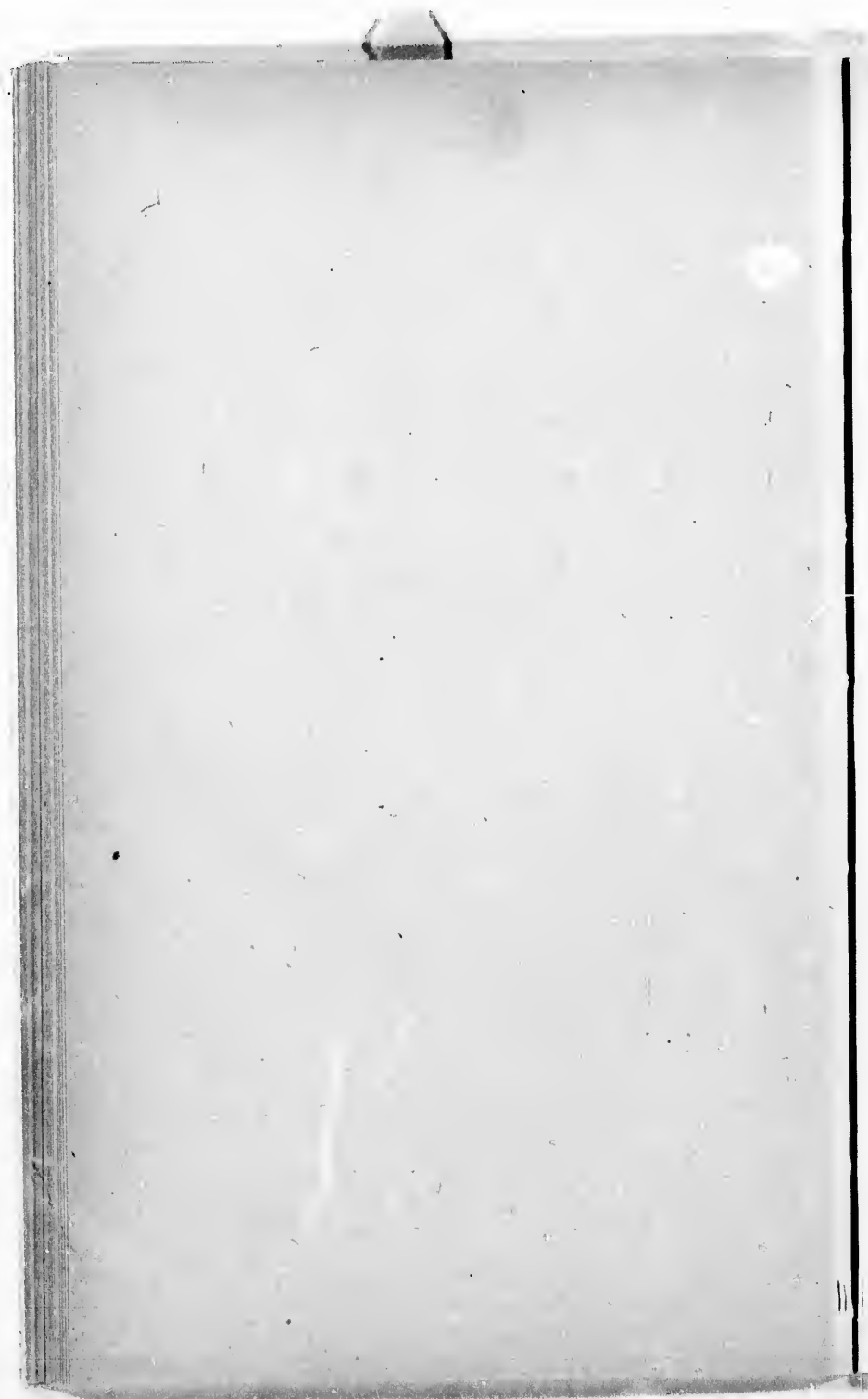
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MARTHA S. SINCLAIR.

CHAPTER VI.

JOHN SINKLER OF EXETER, N. H., AND HIS DESCENDANTS.*

In the early spring of 1638 a small company of in-voluntary emigrants from Massachusetts appeared in the wilderness about the Falls of Squamscott in New Hampshire, and erected their humble habitations and made their homes. Unlike many in the two previously formed settlements in the state, they did not come from motives of worldly greed, but for the precious privilege of entertaining their own religious tenets, and worshipping God in conformity with them, and not in accordance with the opinions and practices permitted by the powers, civil and religious — mainly one — which existed in Massachusetts Bay.

This made the third organized community in the state; the place was Exeter, and the settlers were Rev. John Wheelwright, who had been disfranchised and expelled from Massachusetts, and his loving followers. This community was continually increasing in numbers and importance by the addition of people from older places, and from the old world.

THE COMING OF JOHN SINKLER.

1. John Sinkler¹, the founder of the Exeter, N. H., family of this name, appeared in that place, seeking liberty, fortune, and a home, in a score of years after its establishment. — He is the second known person of this patronymic to land upon American soil. He was an offshoot of one of the oldest, strongest, and most renowned families of Great Britain, whose lineage goes back through centuries of history to the sunny land of France, to the castles of St. Clere and St. Lo, and the historic bank of the river Epte, and still farther to the misty North-land. Members of his stock had been famous in lands filled with illustrious men.

The settlement was weak, to which had come this scion of an illustrious family. Mr. Sinkler appeared in Exeter as early as 1658, for on Jan. 6, 1659, he purchased ten acres of land, and is mentioned in the deed as of Exeter. The following is a copy of the instrument, and is the first deed of land to John Sinkler. It is found upon the Old Norfolk County Records, at Salem, Mass. :

* See his pedigree, preceding No. 79a, page 42, and succeeding No. 90, page 44.

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On Oct. 10, 1664, the town of Exeter, at a public meeting, granted him "fytteen acres" "lying in old Salesbury way beyond James Walls land."

On the 27th of April, 1667, he and his wife Mary gave the following deed of real estate:

Norfolk Co. Deeds. Vol. 2. 73, 120.	}	Jno Sinkler, and wife Mary, Exeter, in y ^e river of Pascataway, deed to Phillip Cartey of Exeter fifteen acres of land more or less, lying between y ^e two lots of Sam: froulshamand Sam: Levett.
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Acknowledged Oct 8, 1667.
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Even in the new settlement the subject of this sketch did not escape the common trials of humanity. Emigrants from other lands brought their selfish desires with them to the new abode. Their hope for the betterment of self was often at the neglect, and sometimes at the sacrifice, of the rights of others. All were not good neighbors then any more than now, which this early resident found to his sorrow.

As there was trouble about boundaries, two of his neighbors agreed to the following:

Know all men by these p^rsents that Leiftenant Hall & John Warrin have agreed that the line that is between Leiftenant Hall and John Sinkler, which land John Warren sold to John Sinkler, is and shall run from a tree that is fallen a little way of John Sinklers fence, showed this day to Mr. Dudley, John Clerke and William More, and so to run on a strait lyne to a white oake marked, and so to the extent of the bounds, between Leif-

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witness
John Gilman
Humfry Wilson.

RALPH HALL
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This did not settle the difficulty, for he had recourse to the law for
the redress of his grievances, and the case was still in court on Oct.
8, 1672.

Norfolk Co. Court Records :

John Sinkler p^rli, vs. Ralfe Hall, Exeter, in an action of trespass for
pulling up of his fence and molesting him in his planting last spring &
for claiming of his land and endeavoring to alter ye title thereof wch land
lieth neare to Jn^r Sinkler's house in y^e town of Exeter, to his great dam-
age. Oct. 8, 1672.

How the suit terminated has not been ascertained.

The following is found, on June 8, 1682 :

It is ordered and enacted by the Selectment of Exeter that Leiftenant
Hall and Kingsley Hall have granted to them liberty to erect a gate or a
a paire of barra anywhere between John Sinclers and Robert Rowells,
upon condition that the gate or barra be made wide enough that a cart and
teame to passe currantly, and make a stile for foot men cross the highway.

Dated June 8, 1682.

EDWARD GILMAN,
JONATHAN THING,
Moses LEVIT,
Townsmen.

Like all good citizens, he was interested in the welfare, the success,
safety, and prosperity of the institutions of government under which
he lived, and which afforded protection to all. So, on Nov. 30, 1677,
"John Sinkler took oath of allegiance to his Majestie and fidelity to
y^e country."

Land was abundant, and easily obtained as grants from the
commons belonging to the town. The first residents of Exeter fre-
quently made application for this, and these grants were frequently
voted to them by the freeholders in town meeting assembled. On
April 6, 1678, John Sinkler's name appears among the list of applicants.
He was a sturdy man, with frugality, pluck, and persistence. He
strove to add to his worldly possessions. He purchased Dec. 6, 1678,
twenty acres of upland in Exeter of David and Elizabeth Robinson.
They agreed that "s^d John Sinckler shall have y^e liberty of free
ingress, egress, and regress, to y^e twenty acres of land through any
part of s^d Robinson's vacant land."

On Jan. 23, 1680, Exeter granted him twenty acres. The pioneer
was prosperous. His acreage was enlarged from year to year; his
resources multiplied. But he owed duties to the state and town,
whose laws like a protecting canopy were over him, and as a mantle
covered him, and gave protection. These duties he did not and
could not evade, and was obliged to contribute of his substance for
the support of the government.

The following is "A Province Rate continued by the Hon^{ble} the Govern^r & Counsell according to y^e Powers given them by His Ma^{ty} Royal Com^{miss} bearing date y^e 9th day of May 1682 in the 34th Year of His Ma^{ty} Reign.

for the Town of Exeter.

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Province rate made in Exeter 13th day of April 1682 to be paid in boards at: 30^s: p. m and white oke p p staves at, 3^d p thousand wheat at 5^s A bushel pease at 4^s millet at 3^s, 6^d A bushel Indian corn at 3^s a bushell."*

The political affairs did not run smoothly at that period. The separation of New Hampshire from Massachusetts and its erection into a separate province, when its government went into operation January, 1680, was due mainly to the solicitation, and was largely for the benefit of Robert Mason, the heir of John Mason, the patentee of New Hampshire, who claimed New Hampshire soil as his inherited property. Accordingly, at the request of Robert Mason, Edward Cranfield, a stranger to the inhabitants, and a despotic, arbitrary man, was appointed governor and his administration commenced in October, 1683. His acts were oppressive, and he was held in utter detestation by the people. A small rebellion broke forth in Exeter. Some of the participants were tried for treason, but were afterward pardoned by the king. Public feeling ran high at this period, and a strong petition was gotten up against him which was signed by John Sinkler. His name appears on a petition Feb. 20, 1689-90, to the government. The petitioners prayed for protection against the common enemy (the Indians) and that the military officers of the train soldiers should be chosen by the soldiers of the respective towns. A fac-simile is given of the signature to this petition, although there is doubt of its being a genuine autograph:

John Sinkler

It is not likely that John Sinkler held any public office, as the records make no such disclosure.

This closes the public history, as fully as it can be gleaned from scanty records, of this pioneer of Exeter. He was one of the earliest settlers in the state, and his history has never before been written. He was the first generation of his family in a new country, and the progenitor of a family of pioneers, in many generations. He was the founder of the Sinkler family in New Hampshire, the members of whose diverging lines, as apparent by this book, are numerous as

* Massachusetts Archives, Vol. 35, p. 228, to be found in the State House, State Department, Boston, Mass.

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He m. Mary —, who was living on the 27th of April, 1667, and her death did not probably occur for many years afterward. He m. 2d, Deborah —. She was a good business manager, as she made a business contract with Mr. Sinkler before their marriage. She was a Christian and a member of the church in Hampton, N. H. After the withdrawal of Rev. Mr. Wheelwright and his followers to Wells, Me., about 1642, and the assumption of jurisdiction over New Hampshire by Massachusetts, there was no church organized in Exeter for several years, and for six years they were without preaching. Though regular services were held after 1650, yet many of the residents connected themselves with the church in Hampton and other towns. This may explain the fact of Mrs. Sinkler's membership of the church of that town. In 1698 (Sept. 11), upon the formation of the First Congregational church, thirteen persons were "dismissed in order to their being incorporated into a church state in Exeter." (Hampton Records.) Among them was Mrs. Deborah Sinkler. She was living Jan. 7, 1699-1700, and the time of her death is unknown.

John Sinkler, on Jan. 7, 1699-1700, "being sick of body but of sound & perfect minde and memory," for which he expressed devout thankfulness, did make his last will and testament, which is here given. It was admitted to the Probate Court Sept. 14, 1700, showing that he died between the above dates. He was probably buried, with many others of the earliest settlers in the earliest cemetery, on the "north western slope of meeting house hill," in Exeter, near the site of the first meeting-house. There are no memorial stones to mark the resting places of the quiet sleepers. For one hundred and ninety-four years he has rested in

"The lone couch of his everlasting sleep."

Thus closes the history of this early settler of New Hampshire.

* This is a small creek in the eastern part of Exeter, upon whose banks many of the early residents lived. Its head is above the water works. The overflow of the reservoir flows into it, then into the Squamscott river, and later into the Atlantic ocean.

WILL OF JOHN SINKLER, SENR.

Province of }
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In the name of God, Amen I John Sinkler of Exeter being sick of body but of sound & perfect minde and memory praise be therefor given to Almighty Gode, doe make and ordaine this my p'sent last will and testam^t, in manner and forme following, (that is to say) first and principally I commend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God, hoping through the meritts death and Passlon of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and to inherit everlasting Life and my body I committ to the Earth to be decently burrid at the discretion of my Executor hereinafter named, and as touching the despasing of all such temporal Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me I give despose thereof as foll

First I will that my debts funeral charges shall be paide & discharged and all my contract with my wife before marriage, be performed by my Executors

I give unto my son James Sinkler ten pound in marcentable pay to be paid within one year after my death and ye feather Bedd And twenty acres of Land which I bought of David Robeson

I give unto my daughter Mary Wheeler two pounds in merchantable to be paid within two years after my death

I give unto my daughter Maria Bedell five pounds in merchantable pay to be paid within two years after my death.

I give unto my two grandsons John Jones & Ben^j Jones two pounds in merchantable pay when they come to the age of twenty-one years.

I give unto my well beloved wife Deborah Sinkler the one third of all my lands and orchards within fence dureing her life and the new room dureing her widdowhood and noe longer, and all the rest and residue of my personall Estate goods and chattells whatsoever, I doe give and bequeath unto my loving son John Sinkler who I, doe make full and sole Executor of this my last will and testam^t and I hereby revoke disannull & make voyde all former Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made (except the contract made with my wife before marriage In Witness Whereof I the said John Sinkler to this my last will and testam^t have hereunto sett my hand and seale the twenty seaventh day of January in the yeare of our Lord 1699-1700

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Sinkler Senr.*

Kinsley Hall } witness
Henry Wadleigh }

SEAL

14th Sep^r 1700—

Kinsley Hall and Henry Wadleigh this Day personally appeared before me and made oath that they Saw John Sinkler within named Sign Seale Deliver publish or Declare the within writtene will: and that he was of Sound perfect Minde and Memory at the Executing of the same and that it is the Last Will and Testament of the said John Sinkler to the best of yr Knowledge.

WM. PARTRIDGE, Lt Govor

* This mark of John Sinkler is, in common parlance, called the "Round Robin."

CHILDREN BORN EXETER, N. H.

2. James Sinkler^d [7], b. July 27, 1660; res. Exeter, N. H.
3. Mary Sinkler^d, b. June 27, 1663; she m. a Mr. Wheeler.
4. Sarah Sinkler^d, b. Sept. 15, 1664; probably m. Mr. Jones, and died before her father, as in his will he mentions his grandsons John Jones and Benjamin Jones, who must have been the sons of a daughter whose married name is not mentioned.
5. Maria Sinkler^d, b. about 1666; m. Mr. Bedell, and is mentioned in her father's will.
6. John Sinkler, Jr.^s [20], b. about 1668; res. Exeter, N. H.

7. James Sinkler^d [2] (John¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., July 27, 1660, and there was always his home. It was near "Wheal Right's creek," and he called himself husbandman. With the interests of his native town he was closely identified and was a loyal citizen of the state. At the early age of 16 years he rendered military service in King Philip's war, in Capt. John Holbrook's company.

He took the oath of allegiance to the state Nov. 30, 1677. In 1682, April 13, his province rate in Exeter was 1s 6d. He signed a paper protesting against the course of the despotic Governor Cranfield, whose tyrannical acts raised a storm of indignation in the state. Like his father and brother, he signed a petition Feb. 20, 1689-90, to the "Bay Government," asking protection against the common enemy, and asking that the privilege of electing their own officers might be accorded to the trained soldiers of the respective towns.

James Sinkler

This is a fac-simile of his autograph as it appears upon the petition. (Mass. Archives, Vol. 35, p. 228.)

He was constable of Exeter in 1694 and in 1697, and was juryman at the Superior Court in Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 10, 1708; was selectman of Exeter in 1695, 1700, 1706, and 1721. He was a soldier, and his account of allowance for personal services at Newbury blockhouses in 1704 was £2 18s 6d.

From 1702 to April 11, 1713, "Queen Anne's War" kept New England in a continual ferment, and the New Hampshire colony was in constant unrest and fear, and suffered severely.

The French and Indians hung like fearful clouds about her infant settlements. They pillaged, destroyed the crops, committed vast numbers of dwellings to the flames, massacred the inhabitants, or carried those away who escaped the scalping knife and tomahawk into a captivity so wretched and dark as to be almost worse than death. Men took their weapons to the fields for protection when they went about their daily toil.

Exeter, the home of the Sinklers, had been marked by the enemy for destruction. Only the accidental discovery of the Indians as they lay in ambush prevented a general destruction of lives and property.

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Yet, in spite of their ceaseless vigilance during these years, between 30 and 40 of her citizens, including many of her bravest and best, had been slain. Scouting parties continually scoured the thick forests, and patrolled the open country, hunting for the wily foe. For thirty years, or since his boyhood, James Sinkler had seen more or less military service; was inured to the dangers of the camp and perils of the field; and had in consequence of great experience and age undoubtedly been promoted to sergeant, as in 1710, in one of these scouting parties was Sergeant Sinkler, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Walton, and was billeted by Samuel Penhallow, commissioner. Was again a juryman Aug. 12, 1712, and on the grand jury Feb. 9, 1719-20; was one of the 215 proprietors of Gilmanton May 20, 1727.

As a rule life flowed along prosperously with him. He mingled freely in the affairs of the community and town. The companion of his life, who shared with him its sorrows, its defeats, and its triumphs, and who by her presence had made joyous "his alu fireside," was Mary, daughter of Richard and Prudence (Waldron) Scammon. She was born May 31, 1673, and was the youngest child of her parents. From her parents she received all the "salt meddle" between Quobog road and Moore's creek. James Sinkler had been young, had passed life's meridian, and was old. The sun of his life was plunging down the west. On the 23d of July, 1731, when he lacked but four days of being 71 years of age,—in the pathetic language of his will, "being in pain and weak of body, but of perfect mind and memory,"—he made this will, thus disposing of his worldly estate. This was admitted to Probate Court Feb. 15, 1732-3, showing that he died before that date:

WILL OF JAMES SINKLER.

In the name of God amen, the twenty third day of July in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and thirty one. I James Sinkler of Exeter in the province of New Hampshire in New England, Husbandman, being in pain and weak of body, but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God therefore calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing it is appointed for all men once to dy do make and ordaine this my last Will and Testament that is to say — principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hand of God that gave it and for my body to the earth to be buried in a christian like and decent manner at the discretion of my executor nothing doubting but at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same againe by the mighty power of God and as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life I give devise and dispose of the same in the following manner and forme —

Imprimis I give and bequeath unto Mary my darly beloved wife the use and improvement of one halfe or end of my now dwelling house and all the moovables in the house excepting what is hereafter disposed of for and during the terme of her natural life provided she remains a widow and my wife to have the third part of my estate as the law directs and my will is that at the decease of my wife the moovebles she had to be divided between my four daughters in equal proportion.

Item I give and bequeath to my son John Sinkler five pounds to be paid out of my estate by my Executor hereafter named —

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Item I give to my son Jonathan twenty shillings.

Item Whereas I formerly gave to my son Richard a tract of land in Stratham it was what I designed to be his part or proportion of my estate. Item I give to my son Ebenezer the one halfe part of my rite or propriety in Gillman Towne also all my land where I live in Exeter near Wheel Rights Creek with the house barne and orchards and all my stock and utensels for work be they of what kind soever also one feather bed.

Item I give and bequeath to my son Benjamin the one half of my propriety in Gillmantown and my will is that my son Benjamin shall have liberty to go to lerne any trade that he shall like best but if he have a mind to continue with his brother Ebenezer and help him to carry on his work till Benjamin arrive to the age of one and twenty years then my son Benjamin' to have sixty acres of my proportion of the Common land in Exeter but if my sd son Benjamin do choose to go to lerne a trade or to leave my son Ebenezer then sd sixty acres of my Common land to be to my Executor —.

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Mossey Half five pounds —

Item I give to my daughter Martha Been five pounds

Item I give to my son David twenty shillings

Item I give to my daughter Keslah five pounds

Item I give to my daughter Mary a feather bed and five pounds also furniture for sd bed —

I do by these presents constitute and appoint my son Ebenezer to be my Executor to this my last Will and Testament. My will is that the legacies herein given shall be paid by my son Ebenezer within two years after he shall arrive to the age of twenty one years, also that my son Ebenezer to pay my just debts and to be at the charge of my funeral and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul all and every other Testaments wills and legacies, bequests and execute by me in any way or before this time named willed and bequeathed, rattifing and confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seals the day and years above mentioned

JAMES SINKLER

ss.

Signed sealed delivered and pronounced by the sd James Sinkler to be his last Will and Testament, in presence of us.

JEREMIAH CALF
WALTER WIGGIN
FRANCIS HARVEY

This will was admitted to Probate Court Feb. 15, 1732-3.

The dates of birth of his children can be only approximately stated.

CHILDREN BORN EXETER, N. H.

8. John Sinkler³ [26], b. about 1690; m. Mrs. Anne (Chase) Wiggin; res. Stratham, N. H.; d. Sept. 18, 1745.
9. Joseph Sinkler³ [31], b. about 1692; m. Elizabeth Lyford; res. South Newmarket and Pembroke, N. H.; d. after Sept. 3, 1767.
10. Samuel Sinkler³ [36], b. about 1694; m. Anne —; res. Exeter, N. H., and d. probably in the latter part of the year 1747.
11. Jonathan Sinkler³ [37], b. about 1700; res. Exeter, N. H., and Wells, Me.

12. Richard Sinkler³ [38], b. about 1705; m. Catherine Stevens; res. Stratham, N. H., and d. July 9, 1751.
13. Ebenezer Sinkler³ [48], b. after 1710; m. Abigail Folsom; res. Exeter, N. H., and d. in 1754.
14. Benjamin Sinkler³ [52], b. about 1712; m. Elizabeth —; res. Exeter, N. H., and d. previous to and near March 26, 1759.
15. Mercy Sinkler³; she m. Ralph Hall, son of Kinsley Hall, of Exeter. He d. before June 7, 1727, the time his will was probated: had child, Elizabeth Hall.
16. Martha Sinkler³, b. about 1716; m. Jeremiah (?) Bean.
17. David Sinkler³, b. about 1717; was living on the 23d of July, 1731; as his name is not found upon any record it is probable that he died when a youth.
18. Keelah Sinkler³, b. about 1718; was mentioned in her father's will; no further record of her.
19. Mary Sinkler³, b. about 1719; she was living July 23, 1731, but no further record has been obtained of her.

20. John Sinkler, Jr.³ [6] (John¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1668. His name does not appear in family record of his father upon the public books of Exeter, and in the "Old Norfolk County" records at Salem, Mass.

On Feb. 20, 1689-90, he signed a petition, addressed to the government of Massachusetts, asking protection against the common enemy, and asking that military officers might be chosen by the trained soldiers of their respective commands.

John Sinkler Jr

A fac-simile of the signature as it appears upon the original petition. There is a doubt as to its genuineness. (Mass. Archives, Vol. 35, p. 228. State Dep't, Boston, Mass.)

In 1709 his name again appears upon a petition to the government.

He was a constable of Exeter June 5, 1711-12, and served as juror Feb. 14, 1715-16, and at the court which was in session Aug. 27, 1717, and was on the grand jury Feb. 9, 1719-20.

Being prosperous and increased in goods, he purchased house and lands in Exeter of Alexander Magoon, Feb. 9, 1726. On June 20, 1729, he deeded one half of his lands and estate to his "beloved son John Sinkler of sd Exeter." His wife was Elizabeth, daughter of John Bean, Sr., of Exeter, who was born in that town Sept. 24, 1678, and who survived her husband. Mr. Sinkler reached that period in life when he looked toward its sunset. The sacrifices and the hardships of a new settlement had been endured by him manfully. Of its responsibilities and emoluments he had partaken, and prosperity had attended him. So this man, one of the early born sons of New Hampshire, and one of the founders of the Sinkler family in America, "being weak of body," but with mental powers unimpaired, made his last will and testament on the 28th of December,

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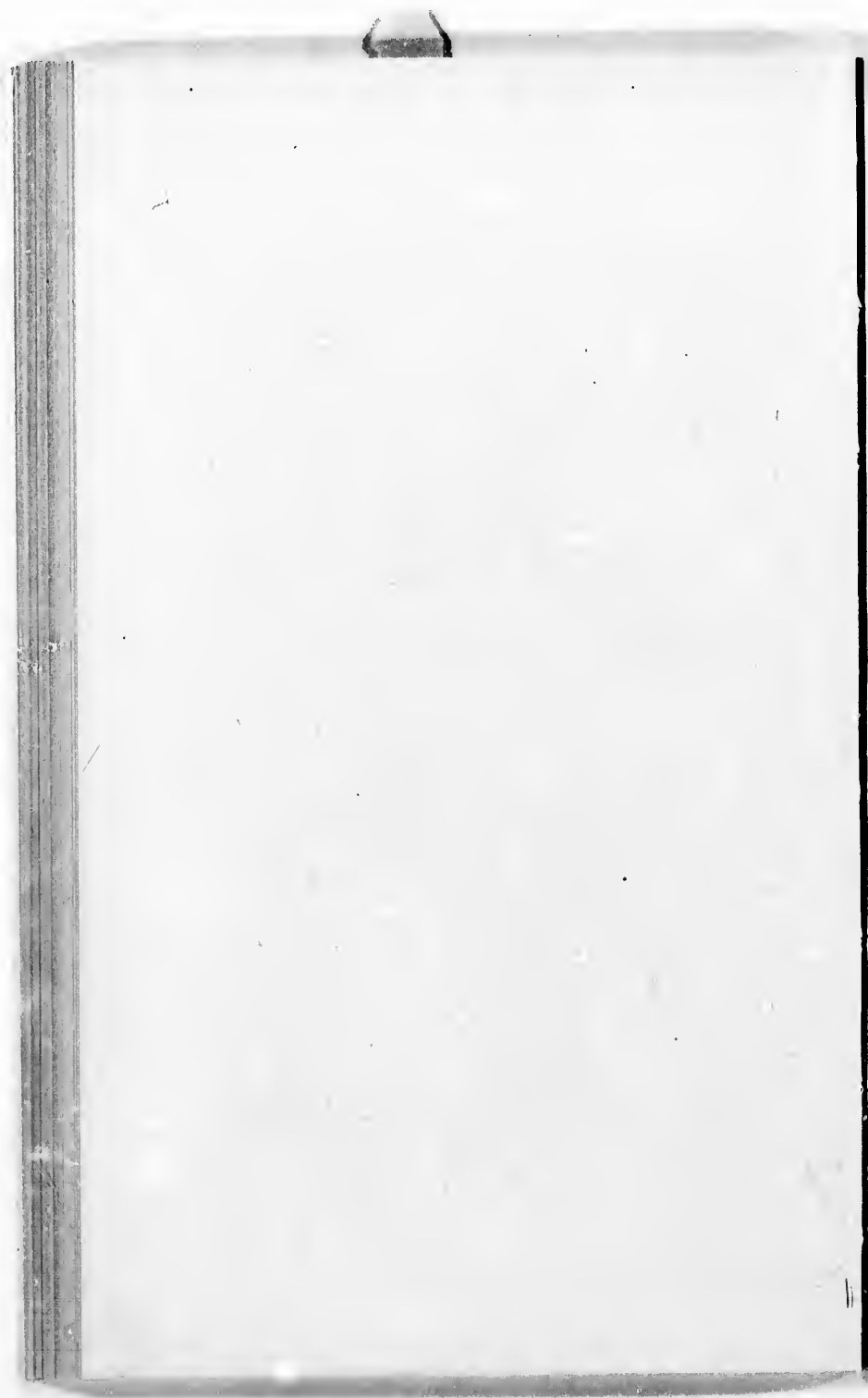
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In the name of God Amen I John Sinclor of Exeter in the province of New Hampshire in New England, being weak of boddy but of perfect mind and memory, praise be given to Almighty God for it, and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die and after that the Judgement do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as followeth, that is to say, first and principally I commit my soul into the hands of God who gave it hopping for the pardon and remission of all my sins in and through Jesus Christ my Savior and Redemer and my boddy I commit to the earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my Executor or Executrix hereafter named and as for the worldly goods and estate wherewith it hath pleased God in his providence to betrust me with I give and bequeath in manner and form as followeth —

Imprinis: my will is that all my honest debts be paid and my funerall charges defrayed.

Item I give unto my son John Sinclor ten shilling he having received his portion allready by a deed of gift. Item I give unto my son Samuel Sinclor the one half of the land which now live upon after his mothers decease the other half being given to my son John Sinclor by a deed of gift. Item I give unto my three daughters Abigail Sinclor Margaret Sinclor and Elizabeth Sinclor to each of them five pounds.

Item I give unto my well beloved wife Elizabeth Sinclor, whome I make and ordain the sole Executrix of this my last Will and Testament all my moveable estate and also one half of my land laying in Exeter town, the other half being given already to my son John by a deed of gift and I likewise give unto her all my right in the commons to be at her disposall forever and likewise I give unto her all my right in a sawmill to be at her disposall and I do by these present hereby revoke and disanul all former Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made in confirmation whereof I have to this my last Will and Testament set too my hand and seal this twenty eight day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirty one.

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The will was admitted to Probate Court Nov. 16, 1731. His wife Elizabeth Sinkler was executrix, and was directed to return the appraisal of the estate at the Probate Court Feb. 16, 1732-33.

CHILDREN BORN EXETER, N. H.

21. John Sinkler³ [53], b. before June 20, 1708; res. Exeter, N. H.; died before Sept. 28, 1747.
22. Samuel Sinkler³ [54], b. previous to 1700; m. Sarah Mattoon; res. South Newmarket, N. H., and d. after Feb. 27, 1758.
23. Abigail Sinkler³, b. about 1710; is mentioned in her father's will Dec. 28, 1730, and was not married at that time.

24. Margaret Sinkler^s, b. about 1712; was mentioned in her father's will Dec. 28, 1730, and was not married at that date.
25. Elizabeth Sinkler^s, b. about 1713; was left a small legacy by her father in his will, and was not married at that period.

26. John Sinkler^s [8] (James^s, John¹). Capt. John Sinkler was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1690, and presumably the eldest child of his parents. In his father's will he is the first child mentioned, and as he received by its provisions only a slight legacy, it indicates that he had previously received his inheritance. On the "Squamscott Patent" he was early a settler. This tract was incorporated into a town called Stratham March 14, 1715-16. He and his wife deeded land there the following year.

Stratham, by its act of incorporation, was to see "that a meeting house be built on the King's great road leading from Greenland to Exeter," and was "obliged to have a learned Authordox Minist^r to preach in said meeting house within one year from y^e date hereof." Mr. Sinkler was chosen one of a committee to secure the minister, and also to "set off" the pews.

He served as selectman in 1720, '21, '22, '23, '24. He was elected constable in 1726, but as this position did not satisfy his longings for place and power, or for some other reason, he declined. On June 17, 1727, he bought land in Bow, near what is now Pembroke. Was again selectman in 1728, '29, '31, '32, and in 1729 was on the committee "to seat the meeting house," and on July 13, 1730, he helped to give his brother, Richard Sinkler, his place "in the great congregation." He was a large dealer in real estate.

The people of Stratham were called to the place of worship by a bell in the belfry of the meeting-house. Its sonorous tones had for years summoned them at the hours for prayer and praise. It became damaged and no longer sent forth peals to delight the ears of the worshippers as they wended their way to the sanctuary. So at a town meeting Jan. 18, 1733, Mr. Sinkler was chosen one of a committee to take down the broken bell and to send it to "Lundon to be New Cast Again."

From 1733 to '36 he was in the retirement of private life and in the enjoyments of the fireside and the domestic circle. In 1736, '37, '39, '40, and '42 he served as assessor. In 1739 he is called Lef^t John Sinkler.

At this period he was a vigorous protestant against the religious legislation of Stratham, which broke in upon the established order of religious worship; which weakened and divided the church, and lessened the good which might arise from the labors of the regular minister, Rev. Henry Rust. He is called John Sinkler, *Gentleman*, April 13, 1743.

We know nothing of his military career, but he is at length called Capt. John Sinkler. But the active life of Mr. Sinkler drew to a close, and he died in Stratham Sept. 16, 1745.

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His home was on the "King's Road," and it was sold in 1749 to Joseph Jewett and Mr. Purmont. The place was occupied by Mr. Jewett, and in 1889 remains in the possession of his family. The Sinkler barn is still standing, but the other buildings have disappeared.

In regard to Mr. Sinkler tradition has died out. As a living personality he has gone forever from the minds of men. But of his mental traits, of the underlying principles which were the basis of his character, we can estimate by looking at his actions, the causes he espoused, the side of great moral questions upon which he arrayed himself, and the public positions which he filled. In all of these he was ever upon the right side, and acted the part of a true man. Such was this early settler of Stratham.

He married Mrs. Anne (Chase) Wiggin, widow of Bradstreet Wiggin. She survived him and was living Feb. 24, 1753. It is probable that in their early married life they attended church at Hampton, N. H., as the only record of the births of their children is upon the records of that town.

CHILDREN BORN IN WHAT IS NOW STRATHAM, N. H.

27. Anna Sinkler^d, b. April 15, 1711.
28. Rachel Sinkler^d, b. Aug. 6, 1713; m. Dec. 19, 1734, Thomas Moore of Stratham, N. H., son of William and grandson of Col. Jonathan Moore of that town, a British officer of Scotch ancestry. Children born Stratham, N. H.: Thomas Moore^s, b. Sept. 13, 1735. John Moore^s, b. June 29, 1739; d. Jan. 1, 1754. William Moore^s, b. March 24, 1741. Rachel Moore^s, b. April 12, 1743. Agnes Moore^s, b. July 15, 1745. Anna Moore^s, b. Aug. 11, 1748. Elizabeth Moore^s, b. Nov. 5, 1751.
29. Mercy Sinkler^d, b. April 5, 1717.
30. Hannah Sinkler^d, b. April 25, 1719; m. March 12, 1741, John Purmont, who was b. in Newcastle, N. H., July 13, 1715, and d. Oct. 5, 1758. Children: John Purmont^s, b. Oct. 11, 1742. Anne Purmont^s, b. Jan. 3, 1746. Joseph Purmont^s, b. July 18, 1749; m. Feb. 28, 1775, Mercy, daughter of Abner and Miriam Dolloff, b. Dec. 6, 1752; d. Oct. 31, 1784. Children: Miriam Purmont^s, b. Dec. 25, 1775; Hannah Purmont^s, b. May 13, 1777; Abner Purmont^s, b. March 13, 1780; John Purmont^s, b. Oct. 24, 1784. Richard Purmont^s, b. Feb. 16, 1751. Abigail Purmont^s, b. July 16, 1753; d. Aug. 7, 1754. Mark Purmont^s, b. May 29, 1755; d. July 12, 1776. { Mary Purmont^s, b. March 22, 1758.
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31. Joseph Sinkler^s [9] (James^s, John^s). He was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1692, as he was of age and doing business on March 23, 1714. He was an original proprietor of Gilmanton, N. H. By the will of his father he received forty acres of land in Epping, which he sold to Israel Gilman Jan. 10, 1743-4. (James Sinkler was a witness.) His name is upon a petition relating to an election in Newmarket, dated June 5, 1745.

Joseph Sinkler

Fac-simile of his autograph. The original can be seen on the petition, in the State department, Concord, N. H.

He was called "Yeoman," and his home was in what is now South Newmarket, N. H. He and his wife Elizabeth sold their home of forty-two acres in South Newmarket, N. H., on Sept. 12, 1751. This included "Ye house and barn and orchard standing and being on sd land." It bounded and touched "on the west side of Smart's creek."

This is the last mention of him in Exeter or Newmarket. The tide of emigration was westward. New lands were being thrown open to settlers, and new settlements were formed. Again, many of the people in this locality became pioneers in the wilderness.

On April 11, 1750, sixteen months before Joseph Sinkler sold his home in Newmarket, the proprietors of the lands purchased of John Tufton Mason, Esq., at a meeting in Portsmouth, N. H., authorized Thomas Packer "to grant 1000 acres to such persons and on such terms" as he should determine upon. He granted this to various persons on the condition of their settling upon and improving said lands. These settlers laid out the land into lots, which were numbered, and a plan was returned to the proprietors. They divided the land among themselves.

Joseph Sinkler was one of those who took advantage of the offer of the proprietors, and located on Buckstreet, in the town of Pembroke, soon after the sale of his home in Newmarket, on Sept. 12, 1751. He received a deed of this land, 59 acres in Lot No. 1, "in the division of land called Buckstreet Lotts," Jan. 14, 1755, and acknowledged Oct. 29, 1765. He lived there, near what is now Suncook, until April 15, 1761, when he sold this property to his son John Sinkler.

On Sept. 3, 1767, with sixty-three others he signed a petition for the appointment of John Bryant as a Justice of the Peace. This is the last time his name appears upon any ascertained record, and as he had reached old age, it is probable that he died about this time. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lyford of Exeter, N. H. Her father by his will, admitted to Probate Court June 7, 1727, left a legacy to his "beloved daughter Elizabeth Sinkler." The date of her death is not known.

CHILDREN BORN SOUTH NEWMARKET, N. H.

32. Thomas Sinkler⁴ [58], b. 1721; d. Hardwick, Vt., Dec. 7, 1796.
33. Joseph Sinkler, Jr.⁴ [66]; he was b. before May 27, 1736; res. Sanbornton, N. H.; d. 1792.
34. John Sinkler⁴ [69], b. 1738; d. Essex, Vt., July 19, 1803.
35. James Sinkler⁴ [76]; res. Epping, N. H.

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36. Samuel Sinkler* [10] (James², John¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1694. He probably served as a scout for three weeks in 1712, as a member of Capt. John Gilman's company. He was a resident of Exeter, N. H., and is called "laborer." On Aug. 28, 1734, for £150 he sold to Lt. Israel Gilman of Exeter all his right "in a 50 acre Grant of land. Granted to my Honored father James Sinkler, dec'd, by ye town of Exeter on ye 31st day of Jan. 1680, and given to me by my father's will."

On Nov. 21, 1746, he signed a petition, with his brother Joseph and his nephew, Thomas Sinkler, for a bridge at Newfields, now South Newmarket. His name seldom appears upon any record, and he died probably in the latter part of 1747.

His wife was Anna —, who, on Feb. 7, 1748-9, relinquished her right of administration upon her husband's estate. There is no record nor any evidence that he left children.

37. Jonathan Sinkler* [11] (James², John¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1700. By his father's will, made July 3, 1731, he only received twenty shillings, which would show that he had previously received his inheritance.

He was a resident of Wells, Me., and was granted by that town fifty acres of upland and ten acres of meadow. He conferred full authority on his father, James Sinkler of Exeter, who sold this land Nov. 6, 1729, to Josiah Winn of Wells.

His name drops from view, and upon no document has it been seen after that date.

38. Richard Sinkler* [12] (James², John¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1705, and on May 20, 1727, was one of 215 original proprietors of Gilmanton, N. H. He was a resident of Exeter as late as Sept. 14, 1727, and was evidently in Stratham, N. H., on June 27, 1728, at the time of his marriage, having cleared up his land and made ready to establish his home.

Forty acres of the town commons was laid out to him in 1725. He received land in Stratham from his parents. On Sept. 14, 1727, James Sinkler and his wife Mary, "for love and affection to their beloved son Richard Sinkler of Exeter," deeded him land in Stratham. This was three miles from Exeter, near the Squamscott river, in the westerly part of Stratham. He hewed his farm from the wilderness and made the desert to blossom like the rose.

Their home was on the westerly end of Quoboag road, on what is to this day known as the "Sinclair place." It remained in possession of the family for several generations. "The Sinkler Path," whose tortuous winding can still be traced, dates back to about 1725, and takes its name from this family. It was long used before the Quoboag road was opened, which gave the Sinklers connection with the main thoroughfare, and was no longer needed. Its crooked track is still seen in the woods. It led across the present farm of Col. Richard M. Scammon, and connected the early homes of the Sinklers and Scammons, who were related.

Sinkler's Reach is a straight place in the Squamscott river, and in 1793 is noted on the map of Stratham.

The name of Mr. Sinkler often appears on the records of Stratham, and he was much interested in the religious affairs of the community. His seat in the meeting-house was assigned to him July 13, 1730, and was "in the horrid Long front Seat below on y^e men's side."

Richard Sinkler

He was a firm friend of the settled town minister, Rev. Henry Rust, who had been "settled for life" and was supported by the town, and was bitterly opposed to any movement which disturbed the established order of things, and with others vigorously protested upon several occasions. Church and state were then united, and legislation on the subject divided the people and caused great disturbance in the town.

He was tything man in 1741, surveyor in 1748. On April 5, 1748, he and his wife Catreen sold to David Stevens of Stratham for £100 "all right to the estate of our Honored Father Nathaniel Stevens, deceased, within ye township of Stratham and in ye township of Bow in ye Province abovesaid, and the four acres of land that lies upon Railtimber hill."

The marriage of Mr. Sinkler took place June 27, 1728. The partner of his life was Catherine, daughter of Nathaniel and Sarah (Folsom) Stevens*.

Mrs. Sinkler survived her husband many years. The administration of her estate was granted to her son Richard.

Mr. Sinkler was in the prime of life when sickness laid its wasting hand upon him. He saw the end approaching and he put his house in order. He died July 9, 1751. At his funeral the church bell was tolled. His will was made June 25, 1751; admitted to the Probate Court Aug. 27 of the same year. His executors had an allowance from the estate for two sheep killed by wolves; total value of estate, £2889-10s.

* Nathaniel Stevens was of Salisbury, Mass., Exeter, and long a resident of Stratham, N. H. He m. Sarah^d, daughter of Dea. John Folsom of Exeter, and granddaughter of John Folsom, the emigrant, who died in Exeter Dec. 27, 1681. The children of Mr. Stevens were:

Samuel Stevens, b. Dec. 17, 1704.

Catherine Stevens, b. July 9, 1707; m. June 27, 1728, Richard Sinkler of Stratham, N. H.

Mehitable Stevens, b. Dec. 21, 1709; m. Dec. 4, 1727, Benjamin Norris^d of Stratham, N. H. (See Norris family.)

John Stevens, b. Feb. 9, 1710-11; res. Feb. 17, 1742, in Falmouth, Me.

Jonathan Stevens, b. March 26, 1714.

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WILL OF RICHARD SINKLER.

In the name of God, Amen, This twenty fifth day of June Anno Domini 1751 I Richard Sinkler of Stratham in the province of Newhamp. yeoman, being but weak of body but of a sound and perfect mind and memory, thanks be to almighty God for the same, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form as followeth

(Imp.) I commend and bequeath my soul to God in Christ my Saviour and Redeemer and my body to the dust to be buried in such decent Chrysten manner as my Executors hereafter named shall see meet, in hopes of a joyfull Resurrection to life eternall, and as to my temporel Estate that it hath pleased almighty God to bless me with, all after my just debts and funeral charges and expences are paid and discharged I give bequeath and dispose of as followeth (viz) Item I give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Catherine the improvement of all my Estate both Real and Personall to bring up my children untill my son Nathaniel Sinkler comes to the age of twenty one years and then my said wife to have the improvement of the one halfe of all my estate and the improvement of the westerly end of my dwelling house and my bead rom all during her naturall life or so long as she shall remain my widdow and also all my household goods to her and to her disposal forever

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Nathaniel Sinkler and to his heirs and assigns forever all my Real Estate (viz) all my lands and marshes lying and being in Stratham or Exeter or else-where that I have or ought to have by my said son Nath^l to come into the possession of the one halfe of said estate when he comes to the age of twenty one years, and into the possession of the other halfe at his mothers decease or at the time of her marriage, and all my buldings and all my utensils for husbandry, and all my stock of cattel horses and sheep and swine and my wearing apparel be my said son, paying all the Leguesless that I shall order him in this my last Will.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Hilton and to her heirs seventy Pounds old tener in specey and to be paid to her by my son Nathaniel Sinkler and to be paid to her within two years after he comes to the age of twenty one years.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sarah seventy Pounds old tener in specey and to be paid to her by my son Nathaniel Sinkler and to be paid with in four years after he comes to the age of twenty one years.

Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Catherine seventy pounds old tener in specey and to be paid to her by my son Nathaniel Sinkler and within six years after he comes to the age of twenty one years.

Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Rhoda seventy Pounds old tener in specey to be paid to her within nine years after my son Nathaniel Sinkler comes to the age of twenty one years and to be paid to her by my said son Nathaniel. Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Abigail seventy Pounds old tener in specey and to be paid to her by my son Nathaniel Sinkler and within eleven years after my said son Nath^l comes to the age of twenty one years. Item I give and bequeath unto my daughter Ann seventy Pounds old tener in specey to be paid to her by my son Nathaniel Sinkler within thirteen years after my said son comes to the age of twenty one years.

Item I give and bequeath unto my son Richard Sinkler one hundred Pounds money of the old tener and to be paid to him when he comes to the age of twenty one years of age and to be paid by my son Nathaniel Sinkler, and my will is that my said son Rich^d put out to a good trade at fourteen years of age. Item

Item I give and bequeath unto my son John Sinkler one hundred Pound money of the old tener and to be paid to him when he comes to the age of twenty one years, and to be paid to him by my son Nathaniel Sinkler, and also my will is that my said son John be put out to a good trade at the age of fourteen years.

N B My will is that if my son Nathaniel die before he comes to age of twenty one years, that all my Real Estate shall be equally be divided between my two sons (viz) Richard and John and to their heirs and assigns forever. They my said sons paying the legesies to the daughters as before mentioned.

And finally I do constitute and appoint my wife Catherine and my brother in law, Benjamin Norris of Stratham aforesaid, yeoman, to be my Executors to this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking and disannulling all former wills by me made and ratifies this and none other to be my last Will and Testament, In witness hereof I the said Richard Sinkler have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written and in the 25th year of his majesties reign George the second, by the Grace of God &c

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Signed Sealed Published and Declared by the said Richard Sinkler to be his last Will and Testament in presence of

JOHN HOMEFORD
JOHN FOLSOM 3d
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CHILDREN BORN STRATHAM, N. H.

39. Nathaniel Sinkler⁴ [82], b. before 1737; res. Stratham and Hampton Falls, N. H.
40. Mary Sinkler⁴ m. Theodore Hilton of Newmarket, N. H., who was b. about 1720. Children: Col. Joseph Hilton⁵ of Deerfield, N. H.; who d. 1820; Richard Hilton⁵ of Shapleigh, Me.; William Hilton⁵ of Cornville, Me.; Nathaniel Hilton⁵ of Portsmouth, N. H.; Mary Hilton⁵ m. John Marston of Newmarket, N. H.; Hannah Hilton⁵ m. Philip Davis of Fayette, Me.
41. Sarah Sinkler⁴ m. Nathan Preson, a shipwright, and res. Newmarket, N. H.
42. Catherine Sinkler⁴. Is mentioned in her father's will Aug. 27, 1751, and receives a legacy.
43. Rhoda Sinkler⁴. Receives a legacy by the will of her father, admitted to Probate Court Aug. 27, 1751.
44. Abigail Sinkler⁴. Probably m. Ephraim Green before April 19, 1758.
45. Ann Sinkler⁴. Is left a legacy by the will of her father, and is unmarried Aug. 27, 1751.
46. Richard Sinkler⁴ [83], b. 1740; res. Stratham, N. H., and d. May 13, 1814.
47. John Sinkler⁴ [90], b. 1747; res. Stratham, N. H., and d. July 3, 1821, aged 74 years. He m. Elizabeth Pickering, who d. Oct. 3, 1822.
48. Ebenezer Sinkler⁴ [13] (James⁵, John⁵). He was born in Exeter, N. H., after 1710. His father's will was made July 23, 1731, and he was not then 21 years of age. By that document he received from his father "the one halfe part of my Right or propriety in Gilman Town Also all my Land where in Exeter near Wheel Rights Creek with the hous barn & orchard & all my stock utensils for work be they of what kind soever." This old homestead of 23 acres, with buildings, was sold by him Aug. 4, 1741. He was a farmer; and resided in Exeter.

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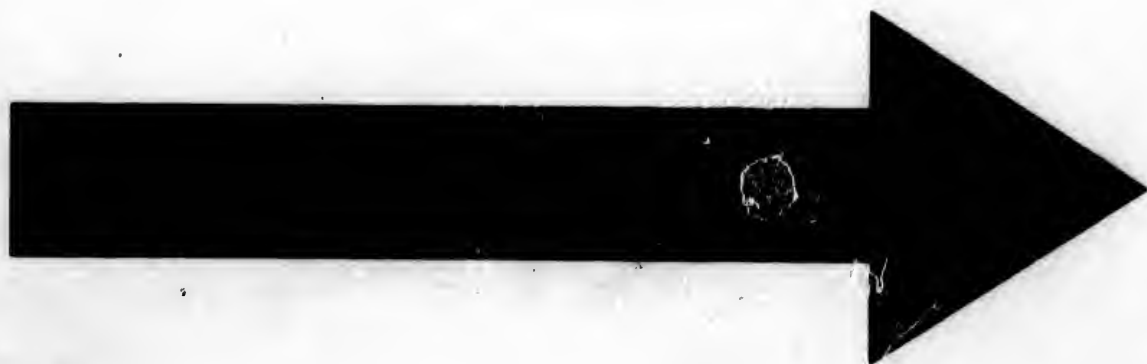
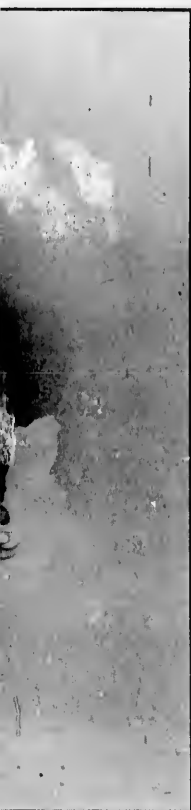
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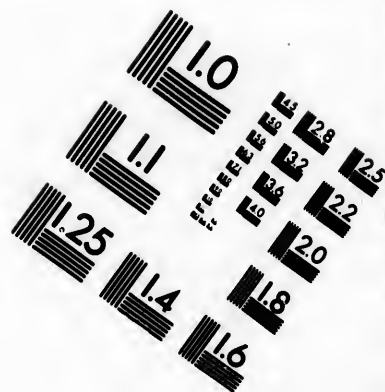
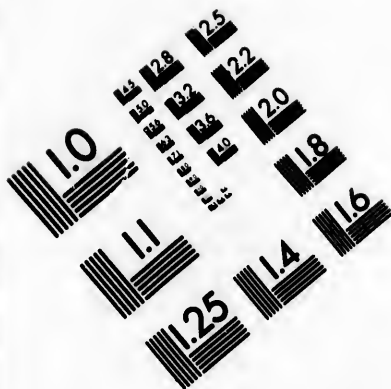
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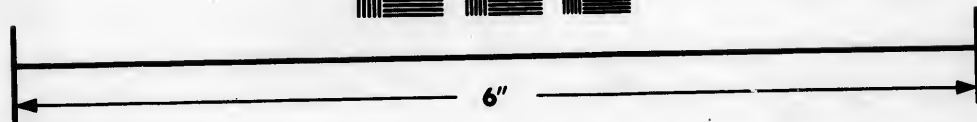
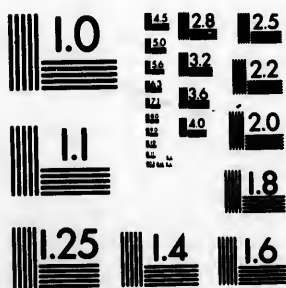


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He was a soldier in Capt. John Light's company, Col. Moore's regiment, Nov. 20, 1745, and was at the capture of Louisburg. He married Abigail, daughter of Jonathan and Anna (Ladd) Folsom. He died 1754; she died before April 3, 1761.

CHILDREN BORN EXETER, N. H.

49. James Sinkler¹ [97], b. Feb. 14, 1737, O. S.; res. in Exeter and Brentwood, N. H.

50. Richard Sinkler¹ [109], b. about 1740; res. in Sandwich, N. H.

51. Abigail Sinkler¹, b. about 1743; m. about Oct. 15, 1765, William Hackett.

52. Benjamin Sinkler² [14] (James², John¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1712, and was not of age at the date of his father's will, July 23, 1731. By that document he inherited land in Gilmanton, N. H., which he sold May 18, 1736, to Jonathan Norris of Stratham, N. H. He lived with his brother Ebenezer on Wheelwright's creek until he was 21 years of age.

His home was always in his native town. He was last taxed in 1757. Adversity came upon him and he received public aid. His death occurred previous to March 26, 1759. Nathan Taylor of Exeter dug his grave and tolled the bell of the meeting-house at his funeral. His wife was Elizabeth —, who died in 1766 or 1767.

There is no allusion to any children upon any document.

53. John Sinkler² [21] (John², John¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., before June 20, 1708, as he must of been of age June 20, 1729, when he received a deed of one-half of his real estate in Exeter, which included "Sinkler's Point." By various sales he had disposed of the most, if not all, of this tract by the 11th of December, 1733. He retained his residence in Exeter, and in public documents was called yeoman and husbandman. He was also a seafaring man and is called *coaster*. His death occurred previous to Sept. 28, 1747, and Nicholas Perryman was appointed administrator of his estate. The appraisal was taken Dec. 28, 1747, and his real estate consisted of 30 acres. There is no mention of wife or children.

54. Samuel Sinkler² [22] (John², John¹). He was born previous to 1709, and by his father's will, made Dec. 28, 1730, he was to inherit, after the decease of his mother, one-half of the homestead on Wheelwright's creek in Exeter, N. H. This was sold by his mother as executrix of his father's will, and himself as a legatee, to Capt. John Gilman of Exeter Dec. 4, 1734.

Mr. Sinkler was one of 215 original proprietors of Gilmanton May 20, 1727. On Dec. 3, 1731, then "of Newmarket in Exeter," sold this land to Matthew Little, which was signed by his wife Sarah (Mattoon) Sinkler. On June 6, 1733, they relinquished to Richard Mattoon of Exeter, for £30, all right to the estate of their honored father, Richard Mattoon of Exeter, deceased. On March 3, 1747-48, he deeded ten acres to Edward Sinkler, "being in ye Parish of Newmarket in the Town of Exeter," and acknowledged by him Feb. 27, 1758. This is the last reference found to him upon the records. The portion of Newmarket in which they lived is now South New-

market. He married Sarah, daughter of Richard and Jane (Hilton) Mattoon of Exeter. Her grandfather, Richard Mattoon, and her uncle, Hubertus Mattoon, were killed by the Indians while at work in their field July 1, 1706. Her mother was daughter of Edward Hilton, Jr., a prominent and influential man.

CHILDREN BORN EXETER, N. H.*

53. Edward Sinkler¹ [118]; a Revolutionary soldier; b. as early as March 3, 1726.
56. Richard Sinkler⁴ [119], b. before Dec. 3, 1731; res. Barnstead, N. H.; d. July 27, 1813.
57. Ebenezer Sinkler⁴ [120]; res. Weare, N. H.; was a Revolutionary soldier, and was killed at the battle of Saratoga Oct. 7, 1777.
58. Thomas Sinkler⁴ [32] (Joseph⁸, James³, John¹). He was born in what is now South Newmarket, N. H., in 1721, and was the first of his family in New Hampshire to receive the christian name Thomas, which after him was borne so frequently. His mother's father was Thomas Lyford, so the name is probably accounted for. In Newmarket he made his home for many years, and with his father and Samuel Sinkler he signed a petition on the 21st of November, 1746.

Thomas Sinkler

He located in (Buckstreet) Pembroke, N. H., being there in 1758, as his name appears on a petition with those of his father and brother John Sinkler. Henceforth his interests were those of a new locality. At this period the people in all the surrounding country derived a large part of their living from fishing at Amoskeag Falls, now Manchester, N. H. In order to protect the fishing interest a lengthy petition was sent to the state government to restrain fishing certain days in the week. This was signed by Mr. Sinkler and was dated July 13, 1764. The Indians had camped at these falls centuries before the advent of the palefaces, and knew their value. The lamprey eel, so abundant in these waters, has been eulogized by the late poet, William Stark, who speaks of their value to the people of Derryfield:

"From the eels they formed their food in chief,
And eels were called the Derryfield beef;
It was often said that their only care,
And their only wish, and their only prayer,
For the present world, and the world to come,
Was a string of eels, and a jug of rum."

Though his interests were connected with this new abode he retained a business connection with citizens near his early home. On Sept. 21, 1764, he purchased of George Jaffrey of Portsmouth a farm in "Ellonstown," to which he moved. This was sold Dec. 25, same year, to Abner Clough and James Kelsoe of Nottingham, N. H.

* Edward and Ebenezer Sinkler appear to be the sons of Samuel Sinkler, and the probabilities are so strong that they have been so arranged.

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Thomas Sinclair

He served as surveyor of highways in 1772, '82, '87, and as tything man from 1773-'76, and signed the Association test in 1776.

Like all of his warlike and patriotic kindred he served in the military arm of his government, being a soldier of the Revolution,—a member of Capt. Chase Taylor's company, Col. Thomas Stickney's regiment, Gen. John Stark's brigade,—and his company marched from Sanbornton to join the Northern Continental Army, but the company went only to Charlestown, N. H. He enlisted July 22, 1777, and was discharged Sept. 27, 1777.

The honor of being constable of the town was thrust upon him March 30, 1784, and he paid his fine and declined to serve. His son James Sinkler, after his return from his long and honorable service in the Revolution, lived in Sandwich, N. H., and to him he sold his farm of 90 acres Jan. 28, 1785, which was situated on Steele's Hill. There he lived from Feb. 1, 1768, to Feb., 1793, or 25 years. The name of his wife has not been ascertained.

Thomas Sinkler had been young, and now was he old; the weight of 72 years was upon him. He had been a pioneer in four settlements,—South Newmarket, Pembroke, Allenstown, and Sanbornton, N. H.,—and there was but one removal more before he went down to his rest. The tide of emigration was sweeping westward. His brother John Sinkler had already settled in Essex, Vt.; his son Benjamin Sinclair was in Greensborough, Vt. The farm in Sanbornton was sold, and he and his son James Sinclair and family removed to Hardwick, Vt., and were near their relatives. There he lived until, as the Hardwick town record says, "Died Dec. 7, 1796, Thomas Sinclair when under the care of James Sinclair, age 75."* His work was done, his race run; they placed him in a coffin made from boards (not dug out of a log as has been stated). It was painted black, and they laid him away to sleep his long sleep. Some of his children, and probably all of them, were born in Newmarket, N. H., as shown from records and information furnished, as follows:

CHILDREN.

59. Benjamin Sinkler² [130], b. Newmarket, N. H., about 1750; m. Hannah Sanborn, and died about 1810 in Hardwick, Vt.
60. Thomas Sinkler² [141], b. Newmarket, N. H., April 14, 1751; m. Mary Mead; m. 2d Nancy Pike; res. Meredith, N. H.

*The names of the earlier members of this family appear on town records and by their own signatures as Sinkler; later records of some of the same individuals have the spelling Sinclair or St. Clair; by 1800 most of them had adopted the latter forms.

61. Sarah Sinkler^d, m. her cousin James Sinkler, son of Joseph Sinkler of Sanbornton, N. H.
62. Bathsheba Sinkler^d, m. Simeon Walton; res. Vt.
63. James Sinkler^d [160], b. Newmarket, N. H., in 1757; m. Sarah, dau. of Philip Hunt, of Sanbornton, N. H. He d. in Barre, Genessee co., N. Y., Jan. 27, 1836, aged 78 years.
64. Zebulon Sinkler^d [163], b. Newmarket, N. H., May 20, 1758; d. Holderness, N. H., June 11, 1840. He m. Annie Conant, who d. Sept. 22, 1840.
65. Constantine Sinkler^d [172], d. in Meredith, N. H., before Sept. 3, 1783.

66. Joseph Sinkler, Jr.^d [33] (Joseph^d, James^d, John^d). He was born before May 27, 1736, in what is now South Newmarket, N. H., and when a boy went to Pembroke, N. H., then called Buckstreet, with his father, where he was a resident for several years. On May 27, 1757, he bought sixty acres of land in Allentown, N. H., and he was by the contract to build a house fit for a family to live in, clear ten acres fit for tillage or mowing, or both, and either he, or some one in his place, was to become an inhabitant of Allentown. He is probably the Joseph Sinkler of the French and Indian war, in the same company with Richard Sinkler, afterwards "Col." Richard of Barnstead, N. H., who enlisted in Capt. Jeremiah Marston's company April 20, 1760, and was in the service as late as July 6, 1760, and probably later.

Joseph Sinkler

Soon after he was a resident in Holderness, N. H., and was made fence-viewer, before its incorporation, at a meeting of the proprietors at the house of Mr. John Layn in New Durham, N. H., June 10, 1769. He lived on "South Hill," on a hundred acre lot "numbered 62 in the plan of said townships." This he and his wife Martha sold to Samuel Livermore, Esq., of Portsmouth, July 23, 1771.

He then drops out of the history of Holderness and appears in Sanbornton, N. H., where Thomas Sinkler, his brother, had located three or four years before, and as early as 1768.

When the flames of the Revolution broke forth, it found him ready for the conflict. On Dec. 16, 1776, then of Sanbornton, he enlisted for the war, and was paid Dec. 31, 1779, for "36 months and 27 days service." He was in Maj. Benjamin Whitecomb's Rangers side by side with his nephew, James Sinkler, who died in Barre, N. Y. In 1780, on the Depreciation Rolls, his name appears in Col. Alexander Scammell's Regiment, the 3d N. H. On March 1, 1784, he was still in Whitecomb's Rangers.

He resided in Sanbornton after the war, and there he died. The administration of his estate was granted to James Sinkler July 4, 1792. His wife was Martha ——. According to the best obtainable information the following appears to have been the record of his

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67. Joseph Sinkler, Jr.² Was a soldier of the Revolution, a member of Capt. Luther Richardson's company, Col. Timothy Bedell's regiment, raised for the defence of the frontiers on and adjacent to the Connecticut river. His term of service was 11 months and 26 days.
68. James Sinkler². He perhaps bought land in Henniker, N. H., of Jesse Nichols of Reading, Mass., July 1, 1789. He m. his cousin Sarah, dau. of Thomas Sinkler, and is believed to have settled in Vermont or Canada.

69. John Sinkler² [34] (Joseph², James², John¹). He was born in South Newmarket, N. H., in 1738. He went to "Buckstreet" in Pembroke, N. H., as he was but thirteen years of age when his father sold his home in South Newmarket, Sept 12, 1751.

On the 1st day of November, 1759, he signed a petition with his father and his brother Thomas, and objected to paying any of the old claims against Pembroke, contracted before Buckstreet became incorporated with it.

John Sinkler

A fac-simile of his autograph as appended to a petition in 1758.

He purchased his father's home farm April 15, 1761, on which he lived until Nov. 9, 1768, when he sold "one certain messnage or tract of land," "it being the whole of that lot I purchased of my honored father Joseph Sinclair."

He then disappeared from Pembroke, and went forth to help found new settlements. That was his mission, and nobly did he fulfill the purpose to which he was appointed. On the indented shores of Lake Winnepisaukee, now known as Wolfborough, N. H., whose bright waters add to New Hampshire's wealth and make her famous, and whose beauties rival those of Loch Lomond or Lake Lemman, our settler next makes his home. On the 30th of August, 1769, he purchased 86 acres of land there of David Sewall of York, Me. He made repeated purchases and sales of real estate. In this settlement he was a prominent, active, and influential citizen, and often held positions of public trust. The annual town meetings were frequently held at his house, namely in 1771, '73, '74, '75, and '76. He was Selectman in 1771, Clerk in 1773, Moderator in 1778, '80, and '82, Constable in 1779, Surveyor in 1776, '79, and '82, and frequently the Collector of Taxes. He was Auditor in 1774, and Deer Keeper in 1781, and '82. But this did not comprise all his positions of a public nature. He was an inn-holder, and on the 20th of February, 1776, all the training soldiers of Wolfborough met at his house, and he was re-elected Captain. This was one of the "Train Bands." He was mustered into service as a soldier in Capt. Joseph Chandler's company, Col. Daniel Wyman's regiment, Aug. 10, 1776. On Jan. 29, 1778, he sold to Peter Hodgdon of Kensington, N. H., the land

he bought Aug. 30, 1765, and Dec. 9, 1769. His last public appearance in Wolfborough was on June 3, 1782, when he presided at a special town meeting. He was called "Captain," and "Gentleman" on the public records. This closes his career in Wolfborough; henceforth his history is connected with other settlements. He was swept in with the west-going tide of emigration. He was in Fairlee, Vt., Dec. 1, 1783, and was in Moretown, Vt., Sept. 24, 1784, when he and his wife Mary sold land in Sanbornton, N. H., to Benjamin Colby of Sanbornton. He was a resident of Essex, Vt., probably in 1788, and certainly by July 1, 1791. There he resided until his death July 19, 1803, aged 65 years, and there his descendants reside unto this day. He married Mary —, who died in Essex, Vt., April 13, 1799, aged 59 years. She was born in 1740. In the burial ground at Essex Center, by the side of Mary his wife, and surrounded by his numerous kindred, and neighbors, and friends of his day and generation, as well as those of later days and generations, to keep him company, with a marble slab above him, with an appropriate inscription, he sleeps well till the day of the great awakening. On his tombstone he is called John Sinclair.

CHILDREN.

70. Jeremiah Sinkler⁶ [173], b. Pembroke, N. H., in 1705; res. Essex, Vt., and d. there Nov. 19, 1822.
71. Samuel Sinkler⁶ [183], b. Pembroke, N. H., in 1708; res. Essex, Vt., where he d. July 27, 1833.
72. John Sinkler, Jr.⁶, b. probably in Wolfborough, N. H., about 1770, res. in Essex, Vt., one-half mile distant from his brother, Jeremiah Sinkler. He took the Freeman's oath Sept. 6, 1808; was a farmer and lumberman. Was a soldier in the 1812-15 war, and rallied with the company from Essex, and was in the battle of Plattsburgh, N. Y., just across Lake Champlain, and thirty miles from his home. The cannonading was so severe that the dishes on the shelves in his house were shaken, and were placed upon the floor for safety. During the battle his wife was greatly affected, and wept violently. He m. Mary —, and perhaps m. Betsey — for his second wife.
73. James Sinkler⁶ [195], probably b. in Wolfborough, N. H., about 1772; res. Essex, Vt., and d. there.
74. Joseph Sinkler⁶ [196], b. Wolfborough, N. H., March 16, 1779; res. Essex, Vt., and d. there Dec. 2, 1837; he m. Polly Thompson.
75. Jonathan Sinkler⁶, probably b. in Wolfborough, N. H., and is supposed to be a son of John Sinkler¹, and brother of preceding children. He took the Freeman's oath in Essex, Vt., Sept. 2, 1794. No further record appears of him.

76. James Sinkler⁴ [35] (Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in South Newmarket, N. H., presumably about 1730. By the date of birth of his child it is apparent that he was settled and married at the time that his father removed to Pembroke, N. H., and the sale of his home farm Sept. 12, 1751.

Mr. Sinkler was a housewright and farmer, and was a soldier in the French and Indian war. In the possession of his great-grandson, Prof. Benjamin Davis of Concord, N. H., is the powder horn he

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carried, with this inscription upon it, "James Sincler his Horn made at fort Edward Nov. 17, 1758." It is unique in form and appearance,—beautifully embellished with artistic designs. A battle scene,—the meeting of hostile bands of soldiers with arms in position, and the words "Present, Fire." There are shown incidents of the hunter's life in the province forest,—the fleeing deer, and the swiftly pursuing hounds, and the wild turkey flying from the sly, cunning foe. This horn came into the possession of his son Noah Sinkler of Canterbury, N. H., and has been preserved in the family.

The Sinkler farm was a small one, of about forty acres, it is said. On Aug. 31, 1754, a highway was laid out by the town of Epping through his land.

His house was the scene of a thrilling adventure. His neighbors, Joseph Smith and wife, one day were walking and carrying their twin children, and when near the Sinkler home they espied a bear, when Mr. Smith dropped his child and ran for his gun. His wife seized the child, and with one under each arm hastened rapidly for the Sinkler house, with Bruin in hot pursuit. No sooner had she reached it and closed the lower half of the door, than the bear was there and springing up placed his paws upon it and looked eagerly in. Mrs. Smith seized the long-handled iron shovel and dealt him a fearful blow on the side of the head, which made him retreat to the road, where he sat for a time blinking his eyes, lapping his jaws, and rubbing his head. After taking time for reflection, he evidently became disgusted at such inhospitable treatment and retreated to the adjoining forests.

The site of the old Sinkler home can still be identified. It is near the Hedding camp-meeting ground, and depot of the Portsmouth & Concord Railroad in Epping, on or near the place known on the map of Rockingham County as J. & J. A. Thyng's farm. A short distance from the meeting of two roads, in a small cultivated field of less than one-half of an acre in extent, some two rods from the highway, there is a depression in the soil. This is the place of the Sinkler cellar. It was filled up, and yearly, above the ancient home, the crops are grown.

The name of Mrs. Sinkler and the dates of their death are not known.

CHILDREN BORN EPPING, N. H.

77. Jacob Sinkler² [202], b. Dec. 27, 1752; res. New Hampton, N. H., and d. Sept. 5, 1830. He m. Rachel Clifford June 16, 1777.
78. Barnabas Sinkler² [202], possibly son of James¹; res. in Unity N. H.
79. Noah Sinkler² [209], b. Feb. 20, 1755; m. Lovina Gault; res. Canterbury, N. H., and d. May 15, 1821.
80. Elizabeth Sinkler², b. about 1757; m. Nathaniel Martin; res. Pembroke, N. H.
81. Sally Sinkler², b. about 1750; was probably his dau.; m. Winthrop Colbroth.

82. Nathaniel Sinkler⁴ [39] (Richard², James², John¹). He was born in Stratham, N. H., before 1737, as he sold real estate with others Dec. 2, 1758.

By the will of his father he was to succeed to the homestead in Stratham, but if he possessed the same, it was only for a short period, as Richard Sinkler, his brother, soon had it in his possession. He was a signer of a petition for a bridge at the "Newfields" in 1755, and rendered military duty in the French war of the time, being a soldier in the company of Lieut. Hart in the Crown Point expedition, which was previous to March 18, 1757.

On April 19, 1758, then of Stratham, he and his wife Deborah, with Ephraim Green and his wife Abigail, who was probably Abigail Sinkler before marriage, deeded real estate in Epping, N. H.

They were residents of Hampton Falls as early as Feb. 5, 1762, where they lived for several years.

He was a signer of a petition there Nov. 21, 1765, of which this is a fac-simile of his autograph:

He had fixed convictions upon religious matters, and was a firm adherent of the Presbyterian faith, an attendant and member of the Presbyterian church. The curtain soon after falls upon his history for about twelve years, until it is lifted and reveals him to us again amid the glowing fires of the Revolution. After petitioning the government, permission was granted him March 19, 1777, "to export three hundred bushels of corn from Portsmouth to Machias."

He married Deborah —. He may have married the second time as Nathaniel Sinkler of Stratham married Sarah Allen of Portsmouth July, 1782, and no other Nathaniel Sinkler is known at that date. No mention of children upon any known records.

83. Richard Sinkler, Jr.⁴ [46] (Richard², James², John¹). He was born in Stratham, N. H., in 1740. He eventually came into possession of his father's homestead, on which he spent his life. It is situated on Quabog Road, in the western part of Stratham, and known in 1890, among the denizens of that locality, as the "old Sinclair place."

He was juror in 1776. Was a member of the Baptist religious society in 1786, tything man in 1791, and owned a considerable amount of real estate. He deeded his home farm to his son, Richard

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Sinkler, Dec. 18, 1805, and died there May 31, 1814, aged 74 years. The maiden name of Mrs. Sinkler was Elizabeth Morn of Stratham, born about 1750, and died Jan. 8, 1820, aged 70 years.

CHILDREN BORN STRATHAM, N. H.

84. Richard Sinclair^s, b. Dec. 1, 1771; d. Dec. 28, 1772.
85. John Sinclair^s [220], b. Jan. 28, 1775; m. Rhoda Flint, who d. May 3, 1804; he m. second Abigail Marston.
86. Richard Sinclair, Jr.^s [226], b. Oct. 11, 1777; res. Stratham, N. H.; m. Susan Wiggin and d. Aug. 20, 1856; she d. April 8, 1845.
87. Rachel Sinclair^s [232], b. about 1770; m. Joseph French of Stratham, N. H.
88. Rhoda Sinclair^s [235], b. July 10, 1785; m. June 1, 1812, Joseph Wiggin; res. Portsmouth, N. H., and d. August, 1870; he d. Dec. 20, 1860.
89. Elizabeth Sinclair^s, b. July 4, 178-; res. Portsmouth, N. H., and d. February, 1860; single.

90. John Sinkler^s [47] (Richard^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Stratham, N. H., in 1747. He was a farmer and blacksmith, and his life was passed in the town of his nativity, his home being in the westerly part of the town, near the Squamscott river, and about three miles from the village of Exeter. In 1786 he was a member of the Baptist society. He dealt considerably in real estate. His home was sold about 1822 to Paine Wingate. His wife was Elizabeth Pickering of Greenland, N. H., who survived Mr. Sinkler, and died Oct. 3, 1822. He died July 3, 1821, and they are buried in the cemetery near the Congregational church in Stratham.

CHILDREN BORN STRATHAM, N. H.

91. Micajah Sinclair^s [240], born August, 1703; d. 1847; res. Stratham, N. H.
92. Mehitable Sinclair^s, b. about 1704; single; lived and died in South Carolina.
93. Samuel Sinclair^s [247], b. March 22, 1705; d. in Stratham, N. H., June 20, 1807.
94. Martha Sinclair^s, b. about 1707; single; lived and died in Stratham, N. H.
95. James Sinclair^s [253], b. Sept. 20, 1709; res. Stratham, and d. there Jan. 1, 1877.
96. Daniel Sinclair^s, b. April, 1800; was a carpenter; res. in Bangor, Me., Roxbury, and Boston, Mass. In the latter part of his life he returned to Stratham, and ended his days. The social qualities were strongly developed in him, and he possessed in an eminent degree the talent of popularity. Was genial in manners, with an abundance of wit, and had a large and generous heart. He accumulated a good property, and at his death he left several thousand dollars in trust, for the benefit of the sick and destitute of his town. He was never married, and died in Stratham Dec. 18, 1879.

97. James Sinkler^s [49] (Ebenezer^s, James^s, John^s). Capt. James Sinkler was born in Exeter, N. H., Feb. 14, 1737, O. S. By trade a housewright, and was a citizen of Exeter until after April 3, 1761, and became a resident of the adjoining town of Brentwood.

before June 15, 1764. He sold Nov. 4, 1765, his "original right or proprietor's share of land granted to me in the town of Sandwich." Of his brother, Richard Sinkler of Sandwich, he purchased his right in land at "Wall's Cove" in Exeter.

In the Revolutionary war he rendered acceptable service. When the Connecticut troops refused to tarry beyond their term of enlistment, Dec. 6, 1775, and thus in the face of a strong enemy greatly imperiled the American cause, New Hampshire was called upon for aid, and nobly did she respond. The men of New Hampshire threw themselves into the breach, having enlisted for six weeks, and were called the "six weeks' men." The 30th company of these, on Winter Hill, was from Exeter or vicinity, and "James Sinkler" was 2d lieutenant of the company. It was commanded by Capt. Peter Coffin, sent to re-enforce Gen. John Sullivan, and was mustered into service at Medford, Mass. He was a captain in Col. John Waldron's regiment on March 6, 1776, which was stationed at Temple's farm. He rendered valiant service to his country; and to his death he bore the title of captain, and was held in general esteem.

James Sinkler

He m. Rachel, daughter of Benjamin and Rachel Folsom of Exeter, March 20, 1760. She d. May 20, 1764, in her 23d year, having been b. June 5, 1741. She left two children. He m. 2d Abigail Veasey, May 16, 1765. She d., and he m. 3d Elizabeth Blake, who survived him, and d. Dec. 28, 1827.

Mr. Sinkler lived to a good age. He made his will Feb. 25, 1802. His death probably occurred in the summer of 1811, as the appraisers of his estate were sworn Sept. 6, 1811. He had 90 acres of land with buildings which, with personal property, were valued at \$3,252.40.

CHILDREN BORN BRENTWOOD, N. H.

98. Benjamin-Folsom Sinclair³ [266], b. Nov. 16, 1761; res. in Waterborough, Me., and d. there April 9, 1851.
99. James Sinclair, Jr.³ [277], b. April 23, 1764; res. Brentwood, N. H., and d. there Oct. 31, 1851, aged 87 yrs. 6 mos. 8 days.
100. Henry Sinclair³, b. Feb. 9, 1766; d. March 7, 1766.
101. Abigail Sinclair³, b. Feb. 13, 1767; m. Joshua Beede, and settled in Danville, Vt., where they died. One of their daughters m. D. B. Senter of Danville. Another m. Peaslee Weeks of Danville, or Wheelock, Vt.
102. Rachel Sinclair³ [284], b. May 9, 1769; m. in 1795 Timothy Harris; res. Danville, Vt.
103. Jonathan Sinclair³ [294], b. June 13, 1773; m. Eunice Porter; res. in Palmyra, Me., and d. in Canaan, Me., aged about 51 years.
104. Molly Sinclair³ [300], b. May 15, 1775; m. Feb. 2, 1797, Jonathan Danforth; res. Danville, Vt., and d. there April 25, 1817.
105. Deborah Sinclair³, b. June 9, 1777; m. March 12, 1808, John Clifford; res. Brentwood, N. H., where they died. He was a farmer and b. in Brentwood. Oct. 31, 1767. She united with the Baptist church in Sept., 1800. Children b. Brentwood, N. H.:

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1. James Clifford⁶, b. March 12, 1810.
2. Levi-Brown Clifford⁶, b. Sept. 29, 1812. He m. Abigail Sin-
clair Marston, b. Oct. 7, 1815; d. Dec. 2, 1861. Children:
i. Laurin-Marston Clifford⁷, b. Feb. 3, 1837; m. Isabella
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Laurin Clifford⁸.
- ii. Hannah-Deborah Clifford⁷, b. March 25, 1839; m. James-
Byron Prescott. Child: George Byron Prescott⁸.
- iii. Mary Elizabeth Clifford⁷, b. March 18, 1841; m. Henry
Morgan. Children: Edward-Albert Morgan⁸; Lottie-
Frances Morgan⁸; Emily-Warren Morgan⁸, deceased;
Ella-Clifford Morgan⁸, deceased.
- iv. Abbie-Louise Clifford⁷, b. Jan. 24, 1844; m. Williston-
Allen Gaylord. Child: Laurin-Alfred Gaylord⁸.
- v. George-Jauvriu Clifford⁷, b. Aug. 3, 1847; m. Emma-
Gertrude Thyng.
- vi. Clara-Belle Clifford⁷, b. Aug. 7, 1853; d. aged 15 mos.
- vii. Otis-Freeman Clifford⁷, b. March 2, 1855; d. aged 6 mos.
3. George Clifford⁶, b. Aug. 13, 1813.
4. Hannah Clifford⁶, b. March 24, 1818; m. Samuel Sinclair of
Brentwood, N. H. (See his record.)
106. David Sinclair⁵ [312], b. May 7, 1779; m. Cynthia Porter of Danville,
Vt.; res. Palmyra, Me.; soldier; d. at Plattsburg, N. Y., May
20, 1813.
107. Ebenezer Sinclair⁵ [319], b. May 7, 1780; m. Mary Sanborn; res.
Mounmouth, Me.; d. June 15, 1843.
108. Betty Sinclair⁵, b. June 7, 1782; d. Feb. 25, 1802.

109. Richard Sinkler⁴ [50] (Ebenezer³, James², John¹). He
was born in Exeter, N. H., about 1740. He was left a minor by
the death of his father in 1754, and Gen. Nathaniel Folsom was his
guardian. He was a hatter by trade, and a farmer. He was a res-
ident of Exeter until after Oct. 15, 1765. The town of Sandwich,
N. H., had been granted by Gov. Benning Wentworth Oct. 25,
1763, in seventy-two shares, and Richard and James Sinkler each
secured a share. Very soon after Oct. 15, 1765, Richard Sinkler,
the hatter, removed to Sandwich for settlement, and first lived in a
log cabin, some twenty rods distant from the large two-story house
which he afterwards erected and which is still standing. His wife
was an excellent woman, very quiet, calm under all circumstances,
took life as it came, and was not much troubled by the vexations of
life. Mr. Sinkler was exactly the reverse: nervous, sharp, prompt,
and energetic. On one unlucky night the roof of their cabin took
fire; he sprang from his couch, quickly emerged from the domicile,
climbed upon the roof and labored mightily to subdue the flames.
Not so his good and worthy spouse; she did not arise to assist her
husband; but occasionally raised her head from the pillow and
drowsily inquired, "Father, are you like to put it out?" He suc-
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It was a new settlement. He reclaimed his farm from its natural
state. One year his crops had been largely cut off, and they were
shortened for the necessities of life. He went to Exeter, and re-
turned afoot, and brought a bushel of meal upon his back. When
the Revolutionary war broke forth it found him a patriot, and like

his relatives and namesakes, Col. Richard Sinkler and his son, Lt. Richard Sinkler of Barnstead, he too became a soldier, and rendered honorable service in behalf of liberty. He signed the Association Test in 1776. He was a private in Capt. Chase Taylor's company, Col. Thomas Stickney's regiment, Gen. John Stark's brigade, which marched from Sanbornton, N. H., and joined the Northern Continental Army in 1777. Engaged July 22, and discharged Sept. 29, 1777, he served two months and eight days.

The day following his return he enlisted in Capt. Nathaniel Ambrose's company, Col. Welch's regiment, which marched from Moultonborough (two miles from his home) and the adjacent towns, and joined the Continental Army under Gen. Gates at Saratoga, and after the surrender of Gen. Burgoyne marched with the guard as far as Northampton, Mass., and was there discharged.

He was collector of taxes for the town of Sandwich in 1781 and '90. On the 19th of October, 1784, he bought fifty acres of land in Moultonborough, N. H. His home (lately occupied by Ebenezer Tilton) was on the old Toppan road which leads from the Little Pond to Moultonborough, and not far from the line between the two towns. Over forty years he owned and lived upon this farm. On Oct. 5, 1807, he sold it with other lands to his son Jonathan Sinkler, and soon after removed to Haverhill, N. H. He and his wife were now old, and the remainder of their lives were spent with their son in Haverhill, although they occasionally returned to Sandwich to see their old friends, and to visit the familiar haunts where so many of the active years of their lives had been passed. He married —

— They died in Haverhill, N. H., and are buried there.

Before relinquishing Mr. Sinkler to history a pen picture should be given of his home in Sandwich. On one of the most magnificent locations in New Hampshire was his abode. Like the city of Jerusalem as described by the Psalmist, it was beautiful for situation. It was on a high, level tract of land which projects into that valley, remarkable for its beauty, in which much of Sandwich is situated. High hills and grand mountains surround it, whose contour is nearly perfect. The mountain gorges are symmetrical, the hill tops are rounded, and the sides are covered with fields or wooded growths.

In the south, in plain view of his home, was Berry Pond, or Little Winnipisaukee, whose waters glimmered in the brightness of the summer sun. Then there were the Red Hills in a southerly and westerly direction; in a northerly direction were the Sandwich mountains, with the bald, bold peak "White Face" plainly in sight. In the north-east "Cool Chocorua," ragged and rugged peak, pierced the skies, while in the southeast the mountains of Ossipee, with "Black Snout," bound one's vision. Thus living almost within their shadows, the mountains and the hills kept "ward and watch" about him.

CHILDREN PROBABLY BORN SANDWICH, N. H.

110. Richard Sinclair, Jr.⁵ [328], b. January, 1766; m. Rebecca Gilman; res. Sandwich, and died there May 28, 1848, aged 82 years.

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MARTHA SINCLAIR FOWLER.

111. Jonathan Sinclair² [335], b. about 1768; m. Abigail Frieze; d. in Newton, Mass.
112. Ebenezer Sinclair² [337]. He m. Mercy Hoag; res. Sandwich, N. H., and die. Sept. 29, 1815.
113. Samuel Sinclair² [348]; m. Sarah Moulton; res. Sandwich and Haverhill, N. H.; died and buried in latter town.
114. Abigail Sinclair² [355]; m. John Hackett; res. Sandwich, N. H., and died there.
115. Sarah Sinclair² [357]; m. Amos Hill; res. Sandwich, N. H., and died there.
116. Betsey Sinclair² [365]; m. Andrew Bean; res. Sandwich, N. H., and died there.
117. Hannah Sinclair²; she m. — Brown; res. Haverhill, N. H.

118. Edward Sinkler⁴ [55] (Samuel², John², John¹). He was born as early, probably, as March 3, 1726, as on March 3, 1747-8, he received a deed of ten acres of land from Samuel Sinkler, and must have been of age at that time, and was of the parish of Newmarket. He was still there in 1755, when he signed a petition for a bridge at the Newfields.

On Nov. 14, 1770, then of Holderness, N. H., he bought land of John Shaw of that town. In 1775 he was a resident of Gilmanton, and was one of the twelve men who volunteered to fight against the enemies of his country.

He enlisted May 8, 1775, in Capt. Aaron Kinsman's company, Col. John Stark's regiment, and served until Aug. 1, 1775, three months and one day. He was in the battle of Bunker Hill.

He drops out of view, but he may have settled in Maine. Circumstances point in that direction. He may have been the ancestor of the Sinklers of Blue Hill, Me., mentioned in the latter part of this book.

119. Col. Richard Sinkler⁴ [56] (Samuel², John², John¹). He was often called Col. Richard Sinclair. The statement that Samuel Sinkler was the father of Col. Richard came from a record inscribed in his family Bible — nearly half a century since — by Joshua Sinkler, son of Joshua and grandson of Col. Richard Sinkler. This statement is confirmed by my own investigations.

His father, Samuel Sinkler, was a husbandman and a resident "of Newmarket in Exeter," now South Newmarket, previous to Dec. 3, 1731, as he deeded land at that date. His mother was a daughter of Richard Mattoon. The exact date of Col. Richard Sinkler's birth is not known, but it was about 1730. He was born in Newmarket, was a carpenter and wheelwright by trade, and was a resident of Nottingham, N. H., in 1752. On Nov. 15, 1752, the first mention of his name is found upon the records, — when he sold forty acres of land in Epping, N. H. As he must have been twenty-one years of age at the time, it would make his date of birth previous to Nov. 15, 1731. He was a resident of Newmarket on Jan. 15, 1757, as on that date he purchased one-fourth part of lot No. 4 in Summer street in Nottingham. At this period he dealt considerably in real

estate and owned mills, and cut and sawed the lumber upon the same. That was the main business of his life.

The French and Indian war was then in progress, and lasted from the declaration of hostilities by England against France, May 17, 1756, until the conquest of Canada and the treaty of peace in 1763. New Hampshire was called upon for sacrifices, and her sons were continually in the field braving the dangers of the battle and the sufferings of camp and bivouac. In 1760 a regiment was raised for the invasion of Canada, commanded by Col. John Goffe. In this regiment Richard Sinkler enlisted March 28, 1760, in Capt. Jeremiah Marston's company. This force cut its way through the wilderness for a great distance and endured many privations. After the expiration of his service in the army he purchased, on April 27, 1764, land in Canterbury. In November of the same year he became a pioneer settler in Gilmanton, and lived for two years with his family on lot No. 1 in the 1st range of the lower one hundred acre lots. This was in the southeast part of the town, near the Barnstable line. (See map of Barnstead, N. H.)

He was a signer of the call for the first town meeting in Gilmanton, which was held July 31, 1766. In the latter part of that year his life in Gilmanton closed, and he became a resident of Barnstead. On the second day of June, 1767, he purchased of Edward Emerson of Portsmouth, N. H., one hundred acres, it being the "Lot said Richard Sinkler now lives on, and is No. 64, in 2d Division in Barnstead." On the same date he sold one-fourth part of a sawmill standing on Bear Pond stream.

Thus was this early resident engaged in his mill, in buying and selling real estate, and the other duties of life, while the political affairs between the colonies and Great Britain were approaching a crisis, and the great questions at issue were finally to be solved by the dread abutment of the sword. The French and Indian war had developed the military spirit of the people to a high degree, and had prepared them for the greater and grander struggle in which they were to victoriously engage. The Revolution was at hand, and Mr. Sinkler was to engage in it and bear a meritorious part. The great struggle found in him an early participant in its stirring scenes. In various ways he was earnest and active in the cause till the independence of the colonies was achieved and the founding of the great Republic was assured. He held a captain's commission in the 10th regiment, commanded by Col. Joseph Badger. He was a captain in active service in Col. John Waldron's regiment, stationed at Temple's farm, in Gen. John Sullivan's brigade in the Continental Army, March 6, 1776. In 1780 he commanded a company in Col. Thomas Bartlett's regiment, which was raised in June of that year for the defence of the very valuable fortress of West Point. On the 27th of October the regiment was discharged and he returned to his home in Barnstead. It was during this term of service that Arnold attempted to betray West Point into the hands of the enemy and

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This expedition closed his military career, but he was earnest in
the performance of civil duties and trust. He served as moderator
in his town at special meetings and at the annual meetings of 1775,
'76, '79, and '82; as selectman 1777, '78, and '80; and as chairman
of the board in 1775, '82, '83, and '84; was a surveyor of highways
and auditor in 1792.

With others he had rallied in defence of American liberty at the
very commencement of the Revolutionary war. On the 26th of April,
1775, the town voted to "Capt. Richard Sinkler, £1-11-6, Lawful
money for his and the mens expence for going Down below For the
Defence of our Country." He served on the committee to hire money
and soldiers for Barnstead, and on the committee of regulation in
1778.

Capt Richard Sinkler

A copy of his autograph as appended to a document June 18, 1777.

At length the war was over, the colonies were triumphant, the
republic was established, peace reigned, and the affairs which pertain
to peace engrossed the attention of men. All were engaged in
developing those things which add to the mental or physical comfort
of the people, increasing the resources of the town and state, and
thereby enhancing the happiness of the body politic. It was so in
the town in which lived the subject of this sketch, and he was still
prominent, still a servant of the public.

In one of those great freshets which almost yearly swell the rivers
to raging floods, causing them to overflow their banks and bear oppos-
ing obstacles away, the bridge had been swept off which spanned the
Suncook river, and on the 14th of December, 1784, the town voted
to rebuild the same, and Richard Sinkler, Esq., was made "overseer
of the hol bridge." On the 25th of October, 1785, he was made
overseer of the work, and he received 5 shillings per day for his ser-
vices as masterworkman, while the others received only 2 shillings
and 6 pence.

A meeting-house was to be erected, and Capt. Richard Sinkler,
now called Colonel for the first time in the records, was on the 25th
of March, 1788, appointed one of a committee to locate the same.

On March 11, 1788, he deeded a one hundred acre lot with sawmill,
it being No. 98 in 2d division, to his son John Sinkler, "in consid-
eration of love and good will that I bear" to him. On March 23,
1790, he sold 65 acres to his son Richard, Jr., a part of lot No. 64 in
the 2d division in Barnstead. He sold the remainder, "about 100
acres," "with all the buildings standing on said premises, it being
the same land and buildings where I the said Richard Sinkler now
live," to Joseph Cilley April 15, 1791. Thus the homestead of this

early settler, which he had bought June 2, 1767, and on which he had lived for almost a quarter of a century, passed out of his possession. (See map of Barnstead, N. H.)

The home of Col. Richard Sinkler, as previously stated, was on Lot No. 1, in the southeasterly corner of Gilmanton, occupied in 1888 by Harrison Carr. He left there in the latter part of 1766, went across lots, through the then wilderness, about a mile distant, and located on the farm lately owned by Rev. Nathaniel Wilson. It was in its natural state and the location was agreeable and pleasant. As time wore away the forests gave way to smiling fields, and instead of the music of the swaying branches of storm-swept forest trees, was only heard the breezes as they bore across the fields of grass, or with rapid undulations bowed the heads of acres of heavily bearded grain.

The barn which was his was destroyed by fire; his house is gone, and an elm tree more than a foot in diameter grows in the cellar, finding abundant nourishment for itself, while in summer's sun and in winter's storm its stately branches overspread the site of this early home. This place is situated on the "old Province Road," which was laid out and built by kingly authority,

"In good old Colony times
When we lived under a king."

An interesting part of the history of Barnstead is centered in this locality, and on the line of this highway. In a southerly direction, and some three-fourths of a mile from the home of Col. Sinkler, stood the old schoolhouse, where attended school some of the brightest lads ever raised in Barnstead, and among them was his descendant in the third generation, Hon. John G. Sinclair, who then lived with his mother's father, Joseph Norris.

Still following the ancient road in a southerly direction, is the farm first settled upon by Moses Dennett, the grandfather of its present occupant, Oliver Augustus Dennett. Then there is the former home of Dr. Joseph Adams (a relative of President John Adams), now occupied by Mrs. Clarissa Roberts. In the little rustic cemetery close at hand, surrounded and fenced in by a rough wall of unhewn stone, the eccentric physician has long been sleeping. Some twelve rods south of the Adams property, on the opposite side of the highway and in the well cultivated field owned by Hiram Rand, is a depression in the soil which marks an old cellar, now filled up, and over which, yearly, crops are grown. A few pear trees grow near it. This is all there is left to mark the former habitation and home of Lt. Richard Sinkler, son of the pioneer.

Then the elegant farm of Hiram Rand is seen. It was once the property and home of Charles Hodgdon, Jr., a brother to the wife of Lt. Richard Sinkler. Still going south about an eighth of a mile there is a diverging highway. In the corner of the field, made by the junction of these roads, are the marks of another cellar. This was the home of Charles Hodgdon, Sr., the father of the wife of

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Lt. Richard Sinkler. Over these broad acres for a great distance, in her youth she could look and wander, for her father was a large land owner and held the title deeds.

The journey being continued, another homestead is seen connected with the history of another generation of the Sinclairs of Barnstead, and the home of one of its early settlers. It was originally owned and settled upon by Joseph Norris, Sr., and in 1888 occupied by Fred P. Fletcher. This was the birthplace and early home of Martha Norris, wife of Charles G. Sinclair and mother of Hon. John G. Sinclair.

After leaving the province road soon is met the highway leading from Pittsfield to Barnstead Centre. In the center of the Parade, nearly opposite the church, is a dwelling house occupied by Mrs. Ellen Colbath. This was the home of Charles G. Sinclair and his wife Martha Norris, and the birthplace of Hon. John G. Sinclair, and where his earlier years were passed.

Col. Richard Sinkler rests in an unmarked grave on his homestead. He died July 27, 1813, in Barnstead.* He married in 1752-3 Polly, daughter of Capt. Joseph and Alice (Rawlins) Cilley of Hampton, N. H. (See appendix for Cilley family.) She possessed great courage and strength of character, and endured the hardships incident to the lives of pioneers with a marked degree of fortitude, ever looking forward to brighter and more prosperous days. During the repeated absences of her husband in the military service and in business, the cares of the family fell heavily upon her, but they were borne with womanly heroism. She died in Barnstead; date unknown. Formerly in a little orchard near the dwelling there were two graves in which reposed the dust of the heroic Polly Sinkler and her husband, the veteran soldier of two wars, Richard Sinkler.

CHILDREN.

120. Bradbury Sinkler⁴ [371], b. Newmarket, N. H., March 8, 1754; d. at Valley Forge during the term of his service in the War of the Revolution, March 5, 1778.
121. Richard Sinkler, Jr.⁴ [372], b. Newmarket, N. H., October, 1756; res. Barnstead, N. H.; a soldier of the Revolution; d. en route to Cincinnati, O., 1820.
122. Mary Sinkler⁴, b. in Nottingham, N. H., December, 1758; m. Mr. Weed; they resided in Perry, Lake co., O., where she died.
123. Joshua Sinkler⁴ [377], b. Nottingham, N. H., April 16, 1760; a soldier of the Revolution. He died at Maumee City, O., November, 1849.
124. Samuel Sinkler⁴ [388], b. Nottingham, N. H., May 10, 1762; a soldier of the Revolution. He died at Sinclairville, Chataqua co., N. Y., Feb. 8, 1827.
125. John Sinkler⁴ [406], b. Gilmanton, N. H., Jan. 13, 1763; d. Frederick, Ill., Nov. 4, 1845.
126. Elsie Sinkler⁴, b. Gilmanton, N. H., about 1764; d. at Vassalborough, Me., aged 18 years.

* This date was received from Mrs. Martha Sinclair of Kingston, Neb. She is the widow of David Sinclair, a grandson of the subject of this sketch.

127. Joseph Sinkler^d [419], b. Gilmanton, N. H., April 9, 1766; d. May 12, 1845, at Perry, Lake co., O.
 128. David Sinkler^d [432], b. Barnstead, N. H., Jan 3, 1770; d. May 20, 1853, at Perry, Lake co., O.

129. Ebenezer Sinkler^d [57] (Samuel^a, John^a, John¹). He was probably a son of Samuel Sinkler^a. By trade he was a joiner, and lived in different places. He was a soldier in the French and Indian war before 1764.

He married Mary, daughter of Capt. Jonathan Blunt of Chester, N. H., and was a resident of that town before July 5, 1771, when he and his wife sold to John Wilson of Chester the land which was set off to Mrs. Sinkler from her father's estate. On Dec. 31, 1772, he was a resident of Weare, N. H. (then or earlier called Halls Town), where they had inherited land from the estate of her father. They deeded to Samuel Blunt of Chester certain rights in land and building "out of the estate of our honored father Capt. Jonathan Blunt of Chester, deceased."

He is next heard of as a patriotic soldier of the Revolution, having enlisted early in the struggle and serving almost continuously until at the battle of Saratoga he gave up his life. He was a private in Capt. Samuel Richard's company, Col. John Stark's regiment, from April 23, to Aug. 1, 1775. At Bunker Hill his station was with the other men from Weare, N. H., "behind the rail fence" that extended from the redoubt part of the way east to the Mystic river. On March 22, 1777, he enlisted in the Continental army for three years and received a bounty of £22 5s 6d, for which he gave a receipt. He was with his Sinkler relatives from Barnstead, in Capt. Amos Merrill's company, Col. Joseph Cilley's regiment, and General Poor's brigade. Later on the battle of Bennington had been fought, and the American forces were closing in upon General Burgoyne. At the battle of Saratoga, N. Y., Oct. 7, 1777, a detachment of the British marched out of their position upon the left of the American forces. The English force consisted of the grenadiers and light infantry, and six field pieces. They placed themselves upon an elevated point in a cleared field a fourth of a mile distant from the American forces. The three N. H. regiments were ordered to attack them, which they did in brilliant style. The fight lasted for half an hour, when the enemy were driven from their position with the loss of their cannon and some prisoners. Our men pressed forward, attacked the German troops, drove them back, capturing military stores and provisions. It was during these famous exploits that Ebenezer Sinkler, the brave soldier, was killed. He made the supreme sacrifice, that of life itself, for the American cause. His family were left in destitute circumstances, and his widow applied to the state for assistance, which was not granted, though she received help from the town.

His property consisted of 150 acres of wild land in Wentworth, N. H. He had three children, the oldest under 14 years of age; names not known.

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129a. Ebenezer Sinclair². Probably a son of Ebenezer of Weare, N. H., who was killed at the battle of Saratoga in the Revolutionary war, and who was owner of land in Wentworth, N. H., at time of his death.

Ebenezer 2d of Charlestown, N. H., on April 6, 1795, bought of Joshua Gove of Weare, N. H., all the right he had in John Page, Jr.'s land in Wentworth, N. H. Mary Sinkler was witness to the deed. On Sept. 1, 1795, then living in Wentworth, he sold the same to Joseph Sewell.

An Ebenezer Sinclair, apparently the same, was a resident of Barre, Vt., previous to 1804, and was residing there on Dec. 24, 1808, when he disappears from the records. He was frequently at law with his neighbors, and his name often appears in the court records at Chelsea, Vt. It is not known that he had a family.

John Sinclair², or St. Clair, as his family now call the name, appears to have been another son of the Revolutionary soldier. (See his record in the latter end of this book.)

130. Benjamin Sinclair² [59] (Thomas², Joseph², James², John¹). He was born in Newmarket, N. H., about 1750. He was a brother to Thomas Sinclair of Meredith, N. H., who was born in that place.

He was an early settler of Meredith, being there Nov. 2, 1772, and purchased of his brother Thomas Sinclair on Nov. 28, 1772, a portion of Lot No. 19, 2d division.

He bought of his brother Thomas, Dr. Henry Dearborn, and others, Oct. 19, 1774, one hundred acres in Meredith, the original right of Joseph Goodwin, which he sold to Ebenezer Pitman of that town Feb. 20, 1775.

He was a Revolutionary soldier and was a member of Capt. John Moody's company, Col. Nahum Baldwin's regiment, which was raised in New Hampshire in September, 1776, to re-inforce the Continental army at New York. The regiment participated in the battle of White Plains Oct. 28, 1776, and was discharged early in December of that year. Mr. Sinclair was allowed for 320 miles travel, and the amount paid him was £8 13s 4d.

He lived in Meredith in 1780, and on Aug. 18 sold a portion of his homestead to Joseph Robinson of that town.

About the year 1790 he removed to Greensborough, Vt., and settled upon the farm owned in 1890 by James B. Calderwood. It comprised then some fifty acres. He cleared the land from its natural state and there he and his family, the most of the time, lived till his death, which occurred about 1810, at the age of some sixty years. No dates securable. He and his wife and family were much respected people, and were regular attendants of the Methodist meetings, which in those days were holden in barns.

In his old age he moved into Hardwick, and died there. He married Hannah Sanborn, who probably died in Hardwick, Vt. He was buried in Hardwick, Vt.

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131. Ruamie Sinclair⁴, b. July 3, 1770; m. in Greensborough, Vt., Benjamin Philbrook. They lived in that town, and later in Hardwick, Vt., where he died March 31, 1839. She died there Dec. 8, 1846. Children b. Hardwick, Vt.:
1. Israel Philbrook¹, b. April 3, 1797; m. Sarah Carter and died Nov. 19, 1865.
 2. Benjamin Philbrook¹, b. March 24, 1799; d. March 9, 1875.
 3. Sarah C. Philbrook¹, b. July 2, 1800; d. June 21, 1857.
 4. Herman Philbrook¹, b. Dec. 13, 1802; m. Sophia Duncan, and died April 27, 1833.
 5. Alfred S. Philbrook¹, b. May 2, 1804; carpenter. He married Nov. 2, 1833, Susan Clough, who was born Ryegate, Vt., Oct. 24, 1810. Children b. Bradford, Vt.:
 - i. Hiram Alfred Philbrook¹, b. Oct. 2, 1834; was a Universalist clergyman at Rockland, Me. He married in Boston, Mass., Dec. 8, 1858, Louisa, daughter of Gray King of Claremont, N. H. Children: Laura King², b. 1860; Mary King², b. 1864; Maria King², b. 1866.
 - ii. Joseph W. Philbrook¹, b. Nov. 12, 1836; m. —; he died May 15, 1875, and left five children in the West.
 - iii. Susanna C. Philbrook¹, b. October, 1846; d. July 22, 1882.
 - iv. Charles C. Philbrook¹, b. Sept. 12, 1841; was a grocer in Brookline, Mass. He married in Boston, Mass., Feb. 4, 1867, Elvira-Louise, daughter of Fred Bacon of Bradford, Mass. Children: Lella-Elvira Philbrook², b. July 1, 1869; Charles-Frederick Philbrook², b. Dec. 24, 1871.
 6. Daniel Philbrook¹, b. May 26, 1806; d. August, 1880.
 7. Judith Philbrook¹, b. March 9, 1815; d. April 8, 1853.
132. Nathaniel Sinclair¹ [445], b. Meredith, N. H., Sept. 19, 1773; m. Sarah Pease of Meredith, N. H., and died at Woodstock, Vt., July 2, 1843.
133. Hannah Sinclair¹, m. Stephen Adams in Greensborough, Vt.
134. Sally Sinclair¹, m. in Greensborough, Vt., Amos Smith, who rem. to Craftsbury, Vt. She died in Greensborough and he married twice afterward.
135. Benjamin Sinclair¹ [457], b. Meredith, N. H., Jan. 28, 1778; d. March 15, 1840, in Levant, Me.
136. Jeremiah Sinclair¹. Lived in Greensborough, Vt., and erected the house owned in 1889 by James B. Calderwood. He cleared much of the Calderwood farm from its natural state. There two of his children are buried, only a few rods from where the present barn stands. He lived for a while in Canada where his first wife died. He married, second, Rhoda Fay. He sold his farm to Amos Smith about 1825. Was for a while in Hardwick, and finally removed more than fifty years ago to Port Kent, Black Rock, or some other place in New York, and of him or his family no other information has been received.
137. Dolly Sinclair¹, m. in Greensborough, Vt., Levi Stevens. They died in Greensborough.
138. Enoch Sinclair¹ [465], b. Meredith, N. H., Sept. 1, 1790; m. Huldah Townsend of Concord, Erie co., N. Y. He died at Hampton, Ia., April 3, 1873.
- (Miss L. E. St. Clair of Hampton, Ia., daughter of Enoch St. Clair, No. 138, son of Benjamin Sinclair, No. 130, in a letter, Feb. 26, 1889, said, "James, the Revolutionary soldier, No. 150, was an uncle of my father." Her mother was then living and knew the Revolutionary soldier well).

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139. Susan Sinclair⁴, m. in Greensborough, Vt., Ezra Eastman; farmer, and lived in that town. She died there when a young woman, and was buried in the Lincoln cemetery. He subsequently married, and his son by second marriage, Dustin C. Eastman, resided in Greensborough. Children by 1st marriage, b. Greensborough, Vt.:

1. Adaline Eastman⁷, m. Ezra Dickinson; res. in Canton, Mass., where she died. Three children.

2. Jane Eastman⁷, m. Enoch Dickerman (brother of Ezra), and lived in Sharon and Canton, Mass. She died in West Mansfield, Mass., about 1833.

3. Elias Eastman⁷, lived in Greensborough, Vt., and died there when about 18 years of age.

140. Asa Sinclair² [478], b. Nov. 7, 1798, in Hardwick, Vt. Removed to Barre, N. Y.; was twice married, and died in Rollin, Lenawee co., Mich., March 18, 1848.

141. Thomas Sinclair⁴ [60] (Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John). He was born in Newmarket, N. H., April 14, 1751, and settled in Meredith, N. H., when a young man, being there previous to Nov. 13, 1772, when he deeded land to his brother Benjamin Sinclair, also of Meredith. The land of Constantine Sinclair was adjoining theirs.

The home of Mr. Sinclair was in the Pease school district, near the "Oak Hill Church," and the farm was owned in 1888 by a son of Dea. Thomas Veasey. He was a tall, slender man, with not an overstock of vitality, and disease for several years was upon him. Upon that farm he lived, reared his large family, and died of consumption.

His educational advantages had been few, yet he fully appreciated the value of learning. He attended the Free Baptist church, and though not a member, was deeply interested in religious things, and the reading of the Scripture in his family was his daily practice.

The homes of the people were lighted by tallow candles. Once when reading the Bible aloud,—"The Lord said unto Moses,"—he exclaimed, "Snuff that candle," which made so ludicrous a composition in connection with the words of "Holy Writ" that laughter was with difficulty suppressed among the youthful members of the family. He was emphatically a home man, quiet in manner, gentle by nature, and his attention was more engrossed with his private affairs than with those of a public nature. He married at Meredith Aug. 9, 1774, Mary Meed, b. at Stratham, N. H., Oct. 25, 1755; d. at Meredith Oct. 21, 1790, aged 34 yrs. 11 mos. 26 days. He married 2d Jan. 9, 1791, Nancy Pike of Meredith, who was in her 34th year. She had two children and d. Nov. 26, 1827, aged about 70 yrs.

CHILDREN BORN MEREDITH, N. H.

142. John-Meed Sinclair⁴ [489], b. Feb. 11, 1776; res. Freedom, Me., and d. there Oct. 30, 1826. He m. Sarah Leavitt of Deerfield, N. H.

143. James Sinclair³ [495], b. May 9, 1777; res. Union, Me.; m. Sally Wiggin of Stratham, N. H. He d. in South Thomaston, Me., June 25, 1858.

144. Thomas Sinclair² [507], b. Dec. 27, 1778; m. Polly Robinson; res. in Freedom and Dover, Me.; d. in Dover July 3, 1844.
145. Mary Sinclair³ [517], b. April 12, 1781; m. Hezekiah Smith, and res. Meredith, N. H.
146. William Sinclair⁴ [527], b. Sept. 18, 1782; m. Nancy Dow; res. Meredith, N. H., and d. April 15, 1815.
147. Joseph Sinclair⁵ [529], b. Sept. 17, 1785; m. Isabel Doekham; res. Meredith, N. H. He died Feb. 13, 1878.
148. Sarah Sinclair⁶, b. March 27, 1787; m. Jonatham Cram; res. in Meredith, N. H., then removed to Woodbury, Vt., where she d. of a fever Sept. 27, 1834. Children:
 1. Augustus-Melvin Cram, b. May 12, 1832.
 2. William Cram, b. about 1834.
149. Susan Sinclair⁷, b. May 15, 1789; m. James Foss; res. Meredith, N. H. She d. March 6, 1824.

150. James St. Clair⁸ [63] (Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James², John¹). He was born in Newmarket, N. H., in 1757. As his father was in "Buckstreet," in Pembroke, the following year, it must have been in that town that the earlier years of his youth were passed. His brothers, Benjamin and Thomas Sinclair, had already located in Meredith, N. H., and there he was a resident in 1776. He early went into the military service of his country by enlisting Dec. 5, 1776, in Capt. Benjamin Whitcomb's Independent Company of Rangers, and served until Dec. 31, 1779. He went as a soldier for Sanbornton, though a resident of Meredith, and received a bounty. During the lull of arms he attended to his individual interests. On Jan. 7, 1779, being then "a Continental soldier," he purchased sixty-five acres of land in Sandwich, N. H., a part of the original right of Benjamin Norris of Stratham, N. H., the brother-in-law of his great uncle, Richard Sinkler², of that town.

When his three years of honorable service were about expiring, his patriotic ardor was not chilled, but with his courage undaunted, and his love of country strengthened by the sacrifices he had endured, he re-enlisted for the war. Was in Major Whitcomb's company of rangers; for a time in Capt. William Rowell's company. He was made a corporal Nov. 1, 1780. Cornwallis surrendered to Washington at Yorktown, Va., Oct. 19, 1781. On the 30th of December of that year was a National Thanksgiving. Peace was at hand.

St. Clair was made sergeant and continued with the army until "the cruel war was o'er." On the 19th of April, 1783, there was a formal proclamation of the cessation of hostilities. On June 6, 1783, his long and heroic service as a soldier of the Revolution closed, and he was honorably discharged at West Point, N. Y., the discharge being signed by General Washington, and he received a "Badge of Merit." It was nobly won. In a family noted for its numerous soldiers, and they attesting their devotion to country by valiant and repeated services, Mr. St. Clair had, by continuity and length of time, surpassed them all, and subsequently was pensioned by the government.

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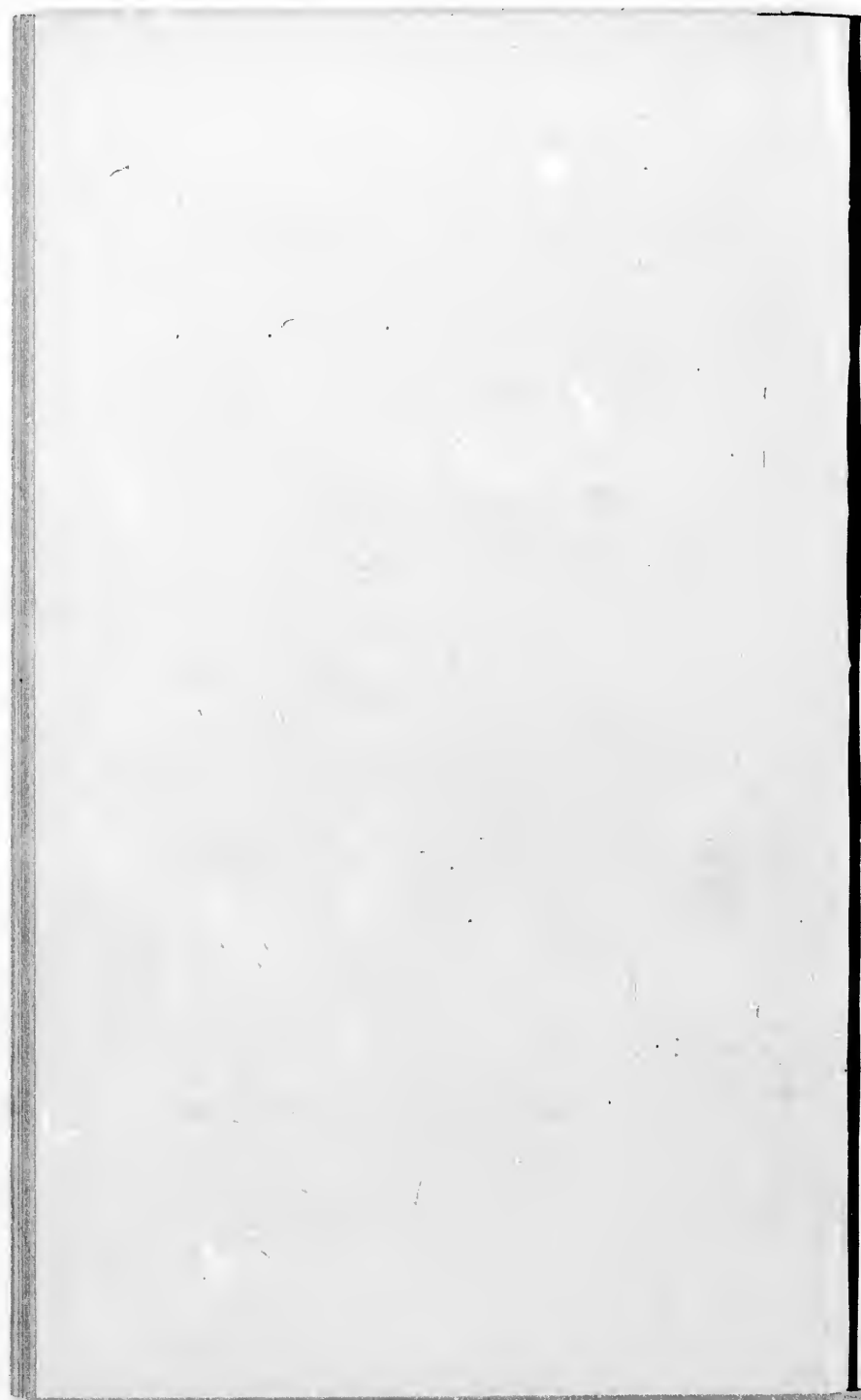
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Laying aside the arms and habits of the soldier he immediately located in Sandwich, N. H., and earnestly devoted himself to the pursuits of peace. His stay in that town was short. His father, Thomas Sinkler, had become old; the infirmities of age were upon him and he wished for the help and companionship of his son. So James St. Clair, the soldier, on the 28th of January, 1785, bought the homestead of his father near the foot of Steele's hill in Sanborn-ton, N. H., and moved upon it. There they lived until March 17, 1792, he sold his ninety acres, and with his aged father, in February, 1793, settled in Hardwick, Vt., near his brother Benjamin, who was in Greensborough, Vt., and his uncle, John Sinclair, who was in Essex, Vt. He made his influence felt in his new home, for he was active and enterprising. In 1796 he was one of a committee to arrange for the settlement of Rev. Mr. Tuttle in that place. On Dec. 7 his father died in a ripe old age. He dealt in real estate and, in 1801, removed to Wolcott, Vt., where he was selectman in 1802-'3 and '4, and as moderator of the annual meeting in 1804. About 1808 he, with the Northrops and other friends, removed to Russell-town, Canada, where he lived till the breaking out of the 1812-'15 war with Great Britain. It was a great calamity to him. He was loyal to his country and would not fight against her. So he and his family fled by night from an approaching rigorous conscription, the men afoot, the women and children on horseback, and crossed the line into the United States. Save what they carried with them everything was abandoned, farms, farming utensils, stock, household furniture, all of which was confiscated by the enemy. It was a hard necessity which drove him from his home and property, and as old age was approaching, left him almost penniless in the world. They lived in Peru, Union Springs, and Palmyra, N. Y., and in 1816 he removed his family to Vermont, where his friends and relatives, Mrs. James Sinclair, Mrs. Simeon Walton, and Mrs. Isaac Colby, were residing. He joined his son in Barre, N. Y., and about 1817 visited relatives in Ohio, and called upon and visited Gen. Arthur St. Clair of Revolutionary fame, and who was born in Thurso, Scotland. The General was then living on Chestnut Ridge in the Ligonier Valley, Penn. It was about eighteen months before the General's death. His dwelling was a double log house of the western style, which a neighborhood would put up in an afternoon. It was in the vicinity of the large estate which he owned at the commencement of the Revolution. At that time General St. Clair was farming; help being short his visitor, James St. Clair, lent an assisting hand and helped him secure his crop of corn. He staid with the General some three months. The incidents of this visit and the assistance he rendered the General were often related to his family, and afforded him pleasure and delight. The subject of their relationship was discussed by them, and he stated on his return that they were relatives, "cousins"; the degree of cousinship was not stated. (See pedigree of John Sinkler of Exeter, N. H., page 44.)

He returned to Barre, N. Y., where he resided with his family until his death, Jan. 27, 1836. In personal appearance he was tall and commanding, nearly six feet in height, straight as an arrow, with blue eyes, brown hair, fair and light complexion. His mental powers were more than ordinary, and he was very intelligent. In his old age his mind went back to the scenes of his youth, the associations of his boyhood. He often spoke of his brother, Thomas Sinclair of Meredith, and frequently mentioned Zebulon and Constantine Sinclair, and his grandchildren always supposed they were his brothers. When telling of their boyish pranks he would rub his hands with glee and laugh heartily. Thus did he re-live the life of his youth. A notice published at the time of his death thus sums up his life:— "He was at the battles of Monmouth, and Brandywine; was at Valley Forge, and at the taking of Burgoyne. He was at West Point at the time of Arnold's treason, and in the unsuccessful attack on Quebec, and in several other actions of less importance."

He married Sarah, daughter of Philip Hunt of Haverhill, N. H., and later of Sanbornton, N. H., where many of his descendants still live. She was born June 5, 1759, married in 1783, and died in Barre, in the part now Albion, N. Y., March 10, 1834. He spelled his name Sinclair or Sinclear until late in life when he changed the orthography to St. Clair. These are fac-similes of his autographs, appended to pension papers in the Pension Office at Washington, D. C. In his discharge papers his name is spelled James Sinclear. In his application for pension, June 12, 1818, he signed his name James Sinclear.

James Sinclear

In his affidavit asking for the transfer of the payment of his pension from one agency to another, Sept. 4, 1820, he signed his name James St. Clair.

James St. Clair

The latter orthography he followed in the later years of his life, and it is the form adopted by his family and descendants.

CHILDREN.

151. Polly St. Clair⁴, b. Sandwich, N. H., Oct. 2, 1784; died in infancy.
152. Joseph St. Clair⁵ [536], b. Sanbornton, N. H., Jan. 17, 1786; m. Lucy Brown; res. Rochester, Sangamon co., Ill., and died May 8, 1839.

* The actual names of these female St. Clairs were
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153. Polly St. Clair^s [541], b. Sanbornton, N. H., Nov. 11, 1787; m. Heze-
kiah Whitney; res. Batavia, N. Y. She died in Morristown, Vt.,
March 6, 1812.
154. James St. Clair, Jr.^s [546], b. Sanbornton, N. H., Sept. 6, 1789; m.
March 17, 1811, Patience M. Northrop; res. Barre, N. Y.
155. Sally St. Clair^s [554], b. Sanbornton, N. H., March 10, 1791; she mar-
ried John Myers, who died, and she married 2d Nehemiah Ran-
dall; res. Barre, N. Y., and Wellington, O.
156. Betsey St. Clair^s [562], b. Sanbornton, N. H., Oct. 18, 1792; m. March
28, 1810, Jadutham Sherman; res. near Washington, Ill.
157. Miriam St. Clair^s [573], b. Hardwick, Vt., Oct. 3, 1794; m. Sept. 7,
1817, George McKinsty; res. —, Ill.
158. Nancy St. Clair^s [582], b. Hardwick, Vt., Nov. 22, 1796; m. Dr. James
Brown; res. Mechanicsburgh, Sangamon co., Ill.
159. Rachel-Tucker St. Clair^s [588], b. Hardwick, Vt., June 15, 1796; m.
William Culver; res. East Beekmantown, Clinton co., N. Y.
160. Levi-Hunt St. Clair^s [593], b. Wolcott, Vt., May 6, 1800; res. Roches-
ter, Sangamon co., Ill.
161. Electa-Jane St. Clair^s, b. Wolcott, Vt., Nov. 13, 1802; d. Barre, N. Y.,
May 25, 1825; she was a teacher.
162. Philip St. Clair^s, b. Wolcott, Vt., 1804; d. 1804.

163. Zebulon Sinclair^s [64] (Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s).
He was born in Newmarket, N. H., May 22, 1758. (See latter part of
James St. Clair's sketch, No. 150.) In personal appearance he was tall
and commanding, was fully six feet in height, well proportioned, and
weighed more than two hundred pounds, was intelligent, social, and
fond of society. He was a soldier of the Revolution, and many were
the tales he told of his experiences on scouting expeditions against
the Indians, and his dangers in camp and field. While traveling
through the forests they went in Indian file, kept continually in
motion, and with their dippers, without for a moment stopping,
scooped up the water to drink from the flowing streams they passed.
Thus were they continually on the lookout for the wily foe, who
might lie in ambush.

At the commencement of the Revolutionary struggle he enlisted in
Capt. Jeremiah Clough's company, in Col. Enoch Poor's regiment,
Gen. John Sullivan's brigade, and served one year, from the last of
December, 1775, to the last of December, 1776. At this time he
was of Sanbornton, N. H., and enlisted there.

He entered the Continental service for the war, and served till
April 1, 1778,—one year and three months,—when he procured a
substitute and returned home. During this period he was a member
of a company commanded by Lieut.-Col. Ebenezer Smith, which on
the alarm of July 7, 1777, marched for the relief of the garrison at
Ticonderoga, a nine days' service. The expedition was fruitless of
beneficial results, as General St. Clair, who was in command, deemed
himself unable to check the advance of General Burgoyne, and so
abandoned the fort.

Young Sinclair saw honorable service soon after. General Bur-
goyne having sent a detachment of his army to seize a large amount
of stores at Bennington, Vt., was met by troops under General Stark
of New Hampshire, and defeated Aug. 16, 1777. Sinclair was in

that battle, and continued with the forces which pressed on and joined the American army, which at Saratoga and Stillwater defeated Burgoyne, and caused his surrender to Gen. Horatio Gates Oct. 7.

"Burgoyne, unconscious of impending fates,
Could cut his way through woods, but not through Gates."

He was for a time in Captain Addridge's company of rangers, under Major Whitcomb, which was stationed on the frontier of Canada, and was besides in several skirmishes with the Indians.

After the war he lived in Sandwich, and sold his land of 27 acres Feb. 2, 1790, to Hezekiah Webster. Was then a resident of Meredith, where he sold his land of 165 acres and buildings to William Mead Sept. 1, 1801. He sold land in Holderness to Jonathan Towle April 16, 1810. He then lived in Holderness, in that section of the town and on the farm owned in 1888 by Edward Merrill, and occupied by Samuel D. Merrill. The original buildings are now demolished. They stood on a little plot of ground he had reserved on a gently sloping hillside. Late in life, when the infirmities of age had bowed his once stalwart form and greatly reduced his strength, he removed a half-mile distant and spent the last years with his son Zebulon. It is the farm owned and lived upon in 1888 by his grandson, John Taylor Gilman Sinclair, in East Holderness, two miles distant from Squog bridge. He received a pension from the government for his valiant military services.

He was married by Rev. Joseph Woodman of Sanbornton, N. H., to Annie Conant March 1, 1779. She was probably of Newmarket, and was born Dec. 10, 1754. Her last years were ones of much suffering, caused by a severe fall, which made her a cripple and obliged her to walk with crutches.

He died June 11, 1840. She survived her husband till the 22d day of September, 1840, when she passed away. The veteran soldier and his life companion rest side by side in the cemetery at Squog bridge, Holderness, N. H.

CHILDREN.*

164. Anna Sinclair², b. Nov. 4, 1781; d. Nov. 4, 1781.
165. Joseph Sinclair², b. 1782; d. 1784.
166. Anna Sinclair¹, b. 1786; m. Mr. Jewell, and lived in Tamworth, N. H. Both deceased.
167. Catherine Sinclair², b. Aug. 4, 1789; m. Mark Jewell of Tamworth, N. H.; farmer. Both deceased. Child:
Nancy, m. Ferdinand Huckins, and res. in Tamworth, N. H.
168. Joseph Sinclair², b. Nov. 28, 1791; farmer; res. in Holderness, where his wife, Ann Sinclair, sold Oct. 12, 1820, for \$300, a part of lot No. 33, 3d division, on College road to Joshua Norris of Centre Harbor, N. H. On June 3, 1820, he had unpleasant legal business with Elijah Hawkins of Vershire, Vt. He m. Annie Connor; removed to St. Charles, Minnesota, where he died. Child:
Alexander Sinclair¹; farmer; res. St. Charles, Minn.

* This record of births was found by the author appended to the pension papers of Mr. Sinclair, File No. 9616, in the Pension office, Washington, D. C.

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169. Sally-Peas Sinclair², b. Feb. 26, 1793; m. Samuel Tilton of Tamworth, N. H.; farmer. Both deceased. Children:
1. Elbridge Tilton¹, res. Tamworth, N. H.
2. Hamilton Tilton¹, res. Tamworth, N. H.
3. John Tilton¹, res. Nashua, N. H.
4. Martin Tilton¹, res. Quincy, Mass.
5. Katie Tilton², m. Mr. Lord.
170. Zebulon Sinclair² [902], b. Feb. 25, 1798; res. in East Holderness, N. H.
171. Polly-Mead Sinclair², b. Feb. 12, 1801, at Meredith; d. June 19, 1801.

172. Constantine Sinclair² [65] (Thomas², Joseph², James², John¹). Probably born in Newmarket, N. H. (See latter part of sketch of James St. Clair, No. 150.) He was a farmer, and was early a resident of Meredith, N. H. In official documents he is called of New Hampton, and also of Meredith. His home was evidently near the boundary line of the two towns, and it is hard to determine in which it was situated, but probably in Meredith. As early as Nov. 2, 1772, he owned and probably lived upon lot No. 19, in the 2d-division of lands in Meredith. A portion of this lot was owned at this date by Benjamin Sinclair and his brother Thomas Sinclair, both of that town at that date. A little later James St. Clair, brother of the foregoing, was a resident of Meredith, and on March 5, 1790, Jacob Sinclair of Epping, N. H., a cousin of the foregoing, was a near neighbor to them, but within the limits of New Hampton, thus adding one more to the clan Sinclair, who had been, or were then, residents of Meredith and New Hampton, and who lived in close proximity to each other.

Constantine Sinclair bought land in New Hampton March 1, 1781. He married Huldah —, who survived him. But the time approached when this pioneer could no longer fell the forest and convert into smiling fields with abundant harvest the land where only gloomy woods had stood before. Sickness came to him, and in spite of the services of his attending physician, Dr. Beniah Sanborn, he died previous to Sept. 3, 1783.

On that date the administration of his estate was granted to Benjamin Pease of Meredith. Inventory of estate was taken Nov. 27, 1783; the widow's third set off Dec. 8, 1783; and license granted to sell the real estate July 23, 1784. There is no record or mention of children.

173. Jeremiah Sinclair² [70] (John², Joseph², James², John¹). He was born in Pembroke, N. H., in 1765, and his youth was spent in Wolfborough, N. H., as his father was a resident there during those years. He went as a soldier in the Revolution from that town when young, enlisting Sept. 21, 1781, and was discharged Nov. 6 of the same year. He was in Capt. Jacob Smith's company of rangers, raised for the defense of the northern frontiers of New Hampshire, and was under Col. Joseph Whipple and Col. David Page.

He was living in Wolfborough on Dec. 23, 1783, and signed a

document and the accompanying cut is a fac-simile of his autograph:

Jeremiah Sinclair

After the close of the war he resided in Eaton, N. H., and bought Oct. 19, 1799, of Eli Glines one hundred and fifty acres, "the land he now lives on," for three hundred dollars. This was one mile from Eaton Centre and near Glines' Hill. Later he removed to Essex, Vt., where lived his father, bought a farm, erected buildings, and there spent the remainder of his life. He was a soldier of two wars, the Revolution and the last war with Great Britain, 1812-'15. He was with the company from Essex, Vt., and with them participated in the fight at Plattsburg, N. Y. He was large, with florid complexion, dark hair, stood more than six feet in height, weighed two hundred and twenty-five pounds, was strong and powerful, and in his youth was fond of athletic sports, and was noted for his great strength and successful feats in lifting, jumping, and wrestling, the games then in vogue at all public fairs and many public gatherings. Was a farmer.

The maiden name of Mrs. Sinclair was Abigail, sister of Col. Eli Glines of Eaton, N. H. She was born in that town in 1765; died in Essex, Vt., Aug. 13, 1826, aged sixty-one years.

They attended and were members of the Freewill Baptist church. Mr. Sinclair died in Essex Nov. 19, 1822, and they and other Sinclairs are buried in the cemetery at Essex Centre, Vt.

CHILDREN.

174. Noah Sinclair^s [607], b. Essex, Vt.; farmer and merchant; res. Bartlett, N. H., and died there March 13, 1872.
175. Abigail Sinclair^s [614], m. John Keeler; res. Essex, Vt., and died there Nov. 7, 1870.
176. Thomas Sinclair^s [618], m. Mary Austin; res. Essex and Berkshire, Vt., and Bartlett, N. H.; d. in Conway, N. H., Sept. 11, 1865.
177. Eli Sinclair^s [627], res. in Essex and Richford, Vt., and died in the latter town. He married Almira Miller.
178. John Sinclair^s [628], m. Lucretia Wheelock; res. Essex, Vt., and Grafton, Mass.; d. in Grafton Jan. 4, 1862.
179. Polly Sinclair^s [632], m. Joseph Barney Weed; res. Essex, Vt., where she died in 1870.
180. Mercy Sinclair^s, m. Jonathan Moses; res. Huntingdon, Vt. Two daughters:
 1. Hannah Moses^s.
 2. Abigail Moses^s.
181. Leander-Dudley Sinclair^s [644], res. Bartlett and Ossipee, N. H.; d. in Ossipee, N. H., Oct. 28, 1889.
182. David Sinclair^s, res. in Essex, Vt.; m. ———, who died leaving one child. He married, second, Mercy Tiffany who died in Lowell, Vt. He died in Essex, Vt. Children:
 1. Clarissa Sinclair^s, m. Mr. Robinson, and died in one of the western states.
 2. Roswell-M. Sinclair^s, d. in Lowell, Vt.

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183. Samuel Sinclair⁴ [71] (John⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). He was born in Pembroke, N. H., in 1768. His youth was spent with his parents in Wolfborough, N. H. and Essex, Vt. He was baptized in Dover, N. H., March 10, 1800. After 1784 his life was largely spent in Essex, Vt. He took the Freeman's Oath Sept. 3, 1793. Was a farmer, and owned a highly productive and valuable intervalle farm on Onion River, which was recently in the possession of Erastus Whitcomb. He was also engaged in the lumber business.

His wife was Nancy Calkins, who died in Essex, Vt., Sept. 6, 1842, in her 70th year. He died in Essex July 27, 1833, in his 65th year, and is buried at Essex Centre, with his father and others of his race.

CHILDREN BORN ESSEX, VT.

184. Michael Sinclair⁴ [657], b. July 29, 1793; m. Anna White; res. Essex, Vt., and Hubbell's Falls, Vt.; died and is buried at Hubbell's Falls.
185. Samuel-Connor Sinclair⁴ [663], b. July 12, 1795; m. Samantha Barney and Sally Remington; res. Lyndonville, Orleans co., N. Y., and died there Nov. 18, 1838.
186. Chester-Henderson Sinclair⁴ [674], b. July 19, 1806; res. Essex, Vt., and Moira, Franklin co., N. Y.; died at Moira Oct. 9, 1883.
187. George-W. Sinclair⁴ [677], born about 1808; res. Essex, Vt., and Schoolcroft, Mich.; was thrice married.
188. Eliza Sinclair⁴, b. 1810; d. Sept. 3, 1812. On her tombstone are these lines:

"Torn from the arms of parents dear,
Relentless death has placed me here."

189. Susan Sinclair⁴, m. Alonzo Stevens; res. Essex, Vt.; both deceased.
Children:
 1. A. J. Stevens⁴, res. Winoski, Vt.
 2. Cassius-P. Stevens⁴, res. Essex, Vt.
 3. Lucia Stevens⁴, m. John S. Tubbs; res. Winoski, Vt.
190. Charlotte Sinclair⁴, m. Eli Chittenden of Williston, Vt. Their daughter:
 1. Elizabeth Chittenden⁴, m. Thomas-H. Canfield of Arlington, Vt.; no children.
191. Hosea-B. Sinclair⁴. Took Freeman's Oath in Essex, Vt., Sept. 6, 1825. Married Lucinda Barney, daughter of Hiram Barney, who died July 28, 1831, aged 28 years. He died at Lyndonville, Orleans co., N. Y. Child:
 1. Cornelia Sinclair⁴.
192. Warner Sinclair⁴, b. February, 1800; d. Nov. 1, 1800.
193. Lucy Sinclair⁴, b. 1802; m. Elijah Cockle and died Feb. 19, 1830, aged 28 years.
194. A son⁴, b. April 17, 1818; d. July 18, 1818.

195. James Sinclair⁴ [73] (John⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). His home was upon a small farm in Essex, Vt. From his early years he was deaf and dumb, which fact caused him much sorrow. Was once married, but the latter years of his life he lived entirely alone.

By a severe accident to his ankle he was lame all his mature years. In spite of his great afflictions he was full of wit and mirth and was generally liked. The name of his wife is not known, nor is there any record of children.

196. Capt. Joseph Sinclair⁴ [74] (John⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John¹). He was born March 16, 1779, probably in Wolfborough, N. H., of which place his father was a resident. His home was in Essex, Vt., on a farm, lately owned by Joshua Whitcomb, in close proximity to the bridge which crosses Brown's river, and was a farmer and lumberman. He owned and operated a sawmill at Jericho Corner, two miles from his home. Like all his race he was patriotic, and like the majority of them he rendered military service to his country.

During the war of 1812-'15 he was Captain of the Essex military company which rallied to the support of the American cause, and participated in the victorious battle of Plattsburg, N. Y., which carried such joy to the hearts of Americans.

He took the Freeman's Oath early in life, Sept. 6, 1803.

Mr. Sinclair was an energetic and successful business man. Large in stature, he stood fully six feet in height, with dark hair and fair complexion. He died in Essex, Vt., Dec. 2, 1857.

Mrs. Sinclair's maiden name was Polly Thompson of that town, born March 2, 1780.

CHILDREN BORN ESSEX, VT.

197. Fannie Sinclair⁴, b. June 3, 1800; m. Carlos Stevens of Essex, Vt., who died Jan. 31, 1834, aged 42 years. No Children.

198. Freeman-A. Sinclair⁴ [684], b. May 28, 1802; res. Essex, Vt.

199. Sally Sinclair⁴ [896], b. June 19, 1806; m. Joel Bellows of Essex, Vt., and died June 6, 1882.

200. George H. Sinclair⁴, b. April 24, 1814; d. Sept. 28, 1817, aged 3 years, 5 months.

201. George-Braughton Sinclair⁴ [700], b. March 23, 1823; res. Essex, Vt.; d. July 31, 1888.

202. Jacob St. Clair⁴ [77] (James⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John¹). He was born in Epping, N. H., Dec. 27, 1752.

He had just entered young manhood and was laying out his plans for his life work, when the war of the Revolution broke forth and earnestly engaged the attention of the patriotic sons of New Hampshire. He was full of fervent love for his country and immediately engaged in her defence.

Jacob Sinclair

On April 23, 1775, he enlisted for eight months in a New Hampshire company under command of Capt. Daniel Moore, Col. John Stark's regiment, and was stationed at Winter Hill, and participated in the battle of Bunker Hill on June 17th of that year. Before the expiration of his term he re-enlisted for six weeks, being one of the New Hampshire men who took the place of the defected Connecticut troops. He then re-enlisted in Capt. George Reid's company, and Stark's regiment, for one year. After his re-enlistment at Winter Hill he marched to Montreal, Can., thence to Mt. Independence,

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 encouraging flight at Princeton, N. J., on Jan. 3, 1777.

According to his sworn statement in the Pension Office in Wash-
 ington, D. C., he served continuously from April, 1775, till about
 the middle of February, 1777, having been twenty-two months in the
 service when he was discharged at Morristown, N. Y. Thus ended
 his military career. He is called Lieutenant, having filled that office
 probably in the militia.

On June 16, 1777, he was married to Rachel Clifford of Epping,
 N. H., who was born Jan. 15, 1759, and on March 24, 1778, he
 rented of Henry Butler of Nottingham a farm in Epping, which Dr.
 Flsk had owned, and where he died. On this place he lived some
 three years and perhaps longer. His residence in Epping continued
 till 1790. On the 22d of February, 1790, "James Sinclear of
 Epping, Gentleman," for £100 bought of Andrew Neale, black-
 smith, and his wife Mary, formerly of Exeter but then of New Hamp-
 ton, a farm of 50 acres, with buildings, in the latter town. This
 farm Neale had purchased July 5, 1777, of Daniel Ward of Moul-
 tonborough, N. H., and was situated in that part of Moultonborough
 called the "Gore," afterwards included in New Hampton. On the 2d
 of March, 1790, with his teams and loaded goods he left Epping for
 his new home, at which he arrived on March 5th, and which was
 ever after his abode. He lived in the log house of his predecessor
 for nine years, when he erected the large and commodious house, on
 the same site, which was occupied by his grandson, the late Charles
 P. St. Clair. The brick for its massive chimney (which took 20,000)
 he made and burned himself.

Mr. St. Clair was a thrifty settler and soon doubled his area of
 territory by purchasing the farm of his neighbor, Jonathan Dow, and
 fifty more acres of Dea. John Rand. He was a tailor as well as
 farmer, and most of the deerskin breeches and other tailor work of
 the neighborhood were made by him, for which his neighbors in pay-
 ment worked upon his farm. Thus was his farm successfully culti-
 vated with but little of his personal labor upon it.

For his military services he received a pension of eight dollars per
 month, commencing March 5, 1819. The certificate allowing his
 claim is signed by John C. Calhoun, Secretary of War, and is in the
 possession of his grandson, as well as other valuable relics of this
 early settler.

He and his wife and family were constant attendants of the church
 at New Hampton Centre, and there some of his children were bap-
 tized.

The home of Mr. St. Clair was on a high elevation in New Hampton,
 and the view of the country around is fine indeed. The abode of his
 relative, Thomas Sinclair, a pioneer settler of New Salem, afterwards
 Meredith, was two miles away in the east in a small valley. Zebu-
 lon Sinclair, another relative, was a resident of Meredith till 1801.

In the north, some fifteen miles distant, can be plainly seen the rugged features of White Face; in the northeast are the Ossipee mountains, within sight of which, and almost beneath their shadow, was dwelling his father's cousin, Richard Sinclair, Sr., one of the earliest residents of Sandwich, N. H. With his relatives not distant from him, surrounded by his loving family, the years glided happily past. The rocky, uneven, but richly productive acres of his farm gave them an abundant support. Living to nearly fourscore years of age, he died Sept. 5, 1830, aged 77 yrs. 8 mos. 9 days. His wife was vigorous, and survived him many years. She died in New Hampton Feb. 19, 1852, aged 93 yrs. 1 mo. 4 days.

CHILDREN BORN EPPING, N. H., EXCEPT THE LAST.

203. Betsey St. Clair^a, b. Feb. 10, 1778; d. March 10, 1858, aged 80 years, 1 month. She married Feb. 25, 1798, Joshua Robert of Meredith, N. H., now Laconia. He was a farmer. He died leaving two children. She married 2d, Noah Robinson of Laconia. Children:
 1. Polly Roberts^a, m. Eli Dow; lived in Belmont, N. H.
 2. Eliza Roberts^a, m. Noah (?) Swain of Laconia, N. H. Had child:
 i. Noah Swain^a; res. near Boston, Mass.
 She married 2d, Ebenezer Pitman, and died about 1880. He is deceased. Child by second marriage:
 ii. Joshua Robinson^a, m. Sarah Hall of Belmont, N. H.
 Both deceased; no children.
204. Polly St. Clair^a, b. Dec. 21, 1780; was accidentally killed by the falling of a limb of a tree when 5 years of age.
205. Benjamin St. Clair^a [710], b. Nov. 11, 1782; d. Oct. 5, 1782; res. New Hampton, N. H.
206. Polly St. Clair^a, b. Feb. 15, 1789; m. Washington Smith of Laconia, N. H.; farmer. He was seriously injured by the giving way of the floor of the Town House in that place and, after a few days of suffering, died March 18, 1855. His wife died June 10, 1863, aged 74 yrs. 3 mos. 25 days. Children (by tradition):
 1. George W. Smith^a, d. Hartford, Ct.
 2. Rachel Smith^a, m. John Langdon Robinson; res. Laconia, N. H.
 3. Mary Smith^a, m. Gorrill Corliss; res. Laconia, N. H.
 4. Joshua Smith^a, d. California.
 5. Sarah Smith^a, m. Monroe Robinson; res. Laconia, N. H.
 6. Ebenezer Smith^a, res. and died in the West.
 7. Samuel L. Smith^a, res. Charlestown, Mass.
 8. Catherine Smith^a, m. Nathan Baldwin; res. Laconia, N. H.
207. Ira St. Clair^a [715], b. New Hampton, N. H., Aug. 9, 1798; d. Deerfield, N. H., April 5, 1875.
208. Barnabas Sinkier^{a*} [78] (James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). Copy of autograph May 23, 1794:

Barnabas Sinkler

* Ancestor not positively known, but probably was a son of James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a.

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He was a resident of Unity, N. H., at the time of the Revolution-
ary war; was a member of Capt. Samuel Wetherbee's company, in
Col. Isaac Wyman's regiment, in the service of the united colonies,
sent to join the Northern army Aug. 20, 1776, and received advance
wages and bounty to the amount of £9 18s 10d. On the 5th of
November, 1776, he was at Mount Independence.

He survived the war, and for many years lived in Unity. In 1790
he signed a petition against the division of that town, and also one
on May 23, 1794, to the same effect. His name does not appear
upon the records of that town after 1795.

209. Noah Sinclair² [79] (James², Joseph², James², John¹). He
was a brother to Jacob St. Clair of New Hampton, N. H. The
light of day first greeted his opening eyes in Epping, N. H., Feb.
20, 1755; by another authority, Feb. 17, 1756. Of his earliest years
nothing is known, but when the time approached for the manhood of
America to assert itself, he came to the front. He was one of those
ready, when the hour came, to resist British aggressions. When the
English commander in Boston sent forth a detachment of his forces
to destroy the stores of the patriots at Lexington, and which resulted
in the battle of that name April 19, 1775, the whole land was aroused.
The troops of New Hampshire immediately prepared for war, and
young Sinclair was one of them. He was then of Epsom, being there
in 1775. On May 2, 1775, he enlisted as a drummer for 8 months in
Capt. Henry Dearborn's company, Col. John Stark's regiment, in the
N. H. line. His regiment and company marched to the vicinity of
Boston, and was in the battle of Bunker Hill on June 17th. He
served his 8 months, and in the last of December enlisted for 1 year
in Capt. Amos Morrill's company, Col. John Stark's regiment, and
was with the American army at St. Johns, one hundred and fifteen
miles north of Ticonderoga, which was the first British port in
Canada. There on the 14th of June, 1776; he was severely wounded,
by being shot through the wrist of his left arm with two musket balls,
which fractured both bones, "by which he lost the use of his hand."
For this he was pensioned by the state and nation.

Autograph July 3, 1786:

Noah Sinclair

While this wound unfitted him for much manual labor, and for the
ordinary duties of the soldier, it did not quench his patriotic ardor
nor dampen his military enthusiasm. He was still zealous to share
the dangers of camp and field in the cause of liberty and the defence
of his country.

* Many of the facts relating to his military service and experiences were
gathered from his pension papers in the Pension office at Washington,
D. C., by the author.

After the expiration of his year's service, he re-enlisted Feb. 17, 1777, for three years, under Capt. Michael McCleary, 3d N. H. regiment, commanded by Col. Alexander Scammell. He enlisted for Loudon, and at the time was a resident of Epsom, N. H. He was also a part of the time in Capt. James Gray's company of 3d regiment; was a drummer, and promoted to a drum-major May 28, 1779. During this term of service he participated in the battle of Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777, where the British troops were routed; was at the battle of Saratoga, where his commanding officer, Capt. McCleary, was killed, and at the final surrender of Gen. Burgoyne, Oct. 17, 1777, he was present.

In the following year, 1778, he was with that portion of the army which hung upon the rear of the British army in their march into New Jersey, and participated in that fearfully contested but successful battle of Monmouth on June 28.

The following season, 1779, he was with his regiment, the 3d N. H., under Gen. John Sullivan, in the campaign against the Indians between Wyoming, Pa., and Niagara, N. Y. They marched through the wilderness, over rocky glens and mountain ridges, through gloomy and hardly penetrable swamps, and forded rushing rivers, ever going "through the unsoiled remnant of a world" seldom or never trod save by the lurking foe. He participated in the successful battle with the Indians at Newtown (now Elmira, N. Y.) Aug. 29, 1779. Indian towns were ruined, and their marvelous fields of corn and grain were everywhere destroyed. Devastation and ruin marked the pathway of our army. The expedition started from Easton, Pa., June 18, 1779, and returned to that place on the 15th of the following October.

Sinclair served his entire term of enlistment and was honorably discharged at Camp Danbury, Conn., Jan. 25, 1780, by Maj. James Norris, of his regiment and a resident of Epping, N. H.

He was at one time a resident of Pembroke, N. H. After his long and arduous service in the army he located in Canterbury, N. H., settling there previous to May 25, 1781; at that date he bought 80 acres of land there of James Glines of Concord, N. H. He became quite an extensive landholder; was called in the records Yeoman and Gentleman. He was a good mechanic, and made all of his plows and farming utensils. Was a deacon of the church, and looked upon with much respect by his townsmen. Was large in size, and 5 feet 10 inches high, weighed 200 lbs., of light and florid complexion, was commanding in his appearance, possessed great strength, and was noted for his athletic exploits. His views were always positive, and he was rigid in their practical execution. His long and useful life was closed in the town of his adoption May 15, 1821,—aged 66 yrs. 2 mos. 25 days.

His wife was Lovina Gault of Canterbury, N. H., who was born there April 27, 1758, and died Jan. 10, 1828, very suddenly while sitting at the table.

re-enlisted Feb. 17, 1862, at Cleary, 3d N. H. regiment. He enlisted for 3 years at Somers, N. H. He was with the company of 3d regiment at the battle of Benning, Aug. 28, 1862. The rebels were routed; was at the battle of Antietam, Sept. 17, 1862, as a banding officer, Capt. of Co. A, 3d N. H. of Gen. Burgoyne,

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- CHILDREN BORN CANTERBURY, N. H.

210. Betsey St. Clair², b. Jan. 9, 1782; d. young.
211. James St. Clair², b. April 2, 1784. He went to sea and never returned.
212. William St. Clair², b. Jan. 21, 1786; farmer, and res. in Canterbury, N. H. Possessed much musical talent, and was an acceptable teacher of music and led the church choir. He enlisted in the 1812-15 war with Great Britain, and after his term of service returned to Canterbury, where he died of disease contracted in the army before Sept. 9, 1819, when administration was granted upon his estate.
213. Sarah St. Clair² [716], b. March 1, 1788; she d. in Concord, N. H., May 3, 1872.
214. John St. Clair², b. June 1, 1790. He lived in Canterbury, N. H. He bought of Thomas Glines of Washington, Orange co., Vt. (son of James Glines of Concord, N. H.), Nov. 19, 1812, five acres of land in Flag Hole meadow, in Canterbury. Was a soldier in the 1812-15 war, and was killed instantly while on picket by an Indian in ambush, who shot him through the head. He had been at seven battles and had escaped unhurt. He was a corporal of 9th regiment, U. S. army. His estate was administered upon Jan. 17, 1816; single.
215. Polly St. Clair², b. July 22, 1792. She never married. She was quite celebrated as a weaver, doing the nicest and most elaborate kind of work. She d. in Canterbury June 13, 1848.
216. Noah St. Clair², b. Oct. 26, 1795; d. in Pembroke, N. H. He never married.
217. Abigail St. Clair² [721], b. March 10, 1797; m. Israel Davis of London, N. H.
218. Nancy St. Clair² [727], b. Oct. 2, 1799; m. March 26, 1822, John Fletcher of Canterbury, N. H.
219. Winthrop St. Clair² [732], b. May 7, 1802; res. Canterbury, N. H.

220. John Sinclair^s [85] (Richard, Jr.^s, Richard^s, James^s, Johnⁿ). He was born in Stratham, N. H., Jan. 28, 1775. He owned property in that town, in Exeter, and a farm in Nottingham, N. H. He was a farmer and resided in Exeter, N. H., where he died August, 1815. He married Rhoda Flint, born May 14, 1777, and died May 3, 1804. He married 2d, Abigail Marston, who lived on the farm in Nottingham, N. H., after the death of Mr. Sinclair.

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221. Mary F. Sinclair⁶, b. Nov. 10, 1800; m. Aaron Sawyer and res. in Methuen, Mass.
222. Susannah Sinclair⁶, b. Feb. 27, 1803; m. Parker Manson of Portsmouth, N. H. Both deceased. No children.
223. Rhoda Sinclair⁶, d. of consumption when young.
224. Catherine Sinclair⁶, m. Amos Bangs; rem. to Gardiner, Me., and died there.
225. George Marston Sinclair⁶, b. Exeter, N. H., April 12, 1808; d. on Saratoga street, Boston, Mass., June 10, 1871. He married, May 18, 1837, Charlotte Jennings, daughter of Seth and Lucy (Clark) Turner. She was born in Boston, Mass., Jan. 3, 1817, where she resided in 1888. Children:
 1. John Sinclair⁷, b. Jan. 25, 1839; d. in Boston, Mass., Nov. 6, 1871; single.
 2. Charlotte Sinclair⁷, b. Sept. 10, 1840; res. East Boston, Mass.
 3. George Sinclair⁷, b. Aug. 5, 1846; d. Boston, Mass., April 4, 1884; unmarried.

226. Richard Sinclair, Jr.⁵ [86] (Richard⁴, Richard³, James², John¹). He was born in Stratham, N. H., Oct. 11, 1777. He was a farmer and resided in his native town on the home farm, which he conveyed to his son, Joseph F. Sinclair, and he in his old age lived with his son-in-law, James Chase, in Stratham, N. H., where he died Aug. 20, 1856, aged 88 yrs. 10 mos. 9 days. He married, April 21, 1806, Susan Wiggin, born April 13, 1782, and died with her son in Roxbury, Mass., April 8, 1845, aged 62 yrs. 11 mos. 26 days.

CHILDREN BORN STRATHAM, N. H.

227. Martha Sinclair⁴, b. Aug. 8, 1807; m. July 22, 1842, Lewis B. Hawkins; res. Boston, Mass. Child: William Hawkins⁵. All are deceased.

228. Joseph F. Sinclair⁴, b. June 27, 1809; m. Lucy Larabee of Roxbury, Mass. He owned and sold the home farm in Stratham. Resided in Boston, Mass., and Chicago, Ill. Was a real estate owner and lost heavily by the great fire. He died in Chicago, Ill., in 1874. His wife is deceased. Children:

1. Lucy Ann Sinclair⁵, m. George Ellis of Boston, Mass. Had five children.

2. Susan Wiggin Sinclair⁵, single; res. Chicago, Ill.

229. John T. Sinclair⁴, b. April 24, 1817; m. Minerva Severy; res. Exeter, N. H. Mrs. Sinclair was born in Dixfield, Me.; died of apoplexy in Exeter Jan. 5, 1889; she was a member of the Baptist church. They lived in Roxbury and Newtonville, Mass., and made Exeter their home about 1850. He died in Exeter May 4, 1889. Children:

1. John Albert Sinclair⁵, carpenter; res. Exeter, N. H. He m. Dec. 27, 1869, Farnella C. Page of Exeter. Children:

- i. Effie G Sinclair⁶.
- ii. Charles A Sinclair⁶.
- iii. Lucy A. Sinclair⁶.
- iv. Joseph F. Sinclair⁶.
- v. Susan M. Sinclair⁶.
- vi. Mattie S. Sinclair⁶.

2. Emma Sinclair⁵, m. Jan. 11, 1870, George A. Janvrin of Beloit, Wis. Children:

- i. Mary W. Janvrin⁶.
- ii. Grace E. Janvrin⁶.

3. Ida Sinclair⁵, m. Jan. 23, 1880, Dana B. Cram of Raymond, N. H.; farmer. Child:

- i. Arthur J. Cram⁶.

230. William R. Sinclair⁴, b. Jan. 25, 1819; carpenter; lived and died in Newton, Mass.; was twice married. Child:
William Gerry Sinclair⁵, b. 1844; d. Nov. 4, 1887.

231. Susan E. Sinclair⁴, b. March 11, 1822; m. Dec. 1, 1842, James Chase; res. Stratham, N. H., and is deceased. Children:

1. Joseph F. Chase⁵, b. Sept. 25, 1844; is deceased.
2. George E. Chase⁵, b. Sept. 26, 1854.

232. Rachel Sinclair⁴ [87] (Richard⁴, Richard³, James², John¹). She was born in Stratham, N. H. She married Joseph French and resided in Stratham, N. H.

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N. H., where he died
He married, April
and died with her son
2 yrs. 11 mos. 26

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died in Exeter May 4,

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Joseph French and

CHILDREN.

233. Daniel French⁴, m. Mary Turner; res. Boston, Mass.
234. Eliza French⁴, m. John Piper of Stratham; resided and died in Ken-
sington, N. H. Children:
 1. Joseph Piper⁷.
 2. John Henry Piper⁷, m. Anna Barber of Portsmouth, N. H.;
res. Malden, Mass.
 3. Daniel Piper⁷, res. South Hampton, N. H.
 4. Orren Piper⁷, res. South Hampton, N. H., and is deceased.
 5. Charles Piper⁷, res. Kensington, N. H.; is deceased.
 6. Anna Piper⁷, m. Clinton Gove of Kensington, N. H.
- Mrs. Eliza Piper⁴, m. 2d, Elder Henry Pottle of Stratham, N. H.,
where he died; she died in Greenland, N. H. Children by second
marriage:
 1. Joseph Henry Pottle⁷, d. in Greenland, N. H., leaving a
family.
 2. Susan Maria Pottle⁷, m. Samuel Cate. Children:
 - i. Mary Emily Cate⁸, m. Samuel Prescott of Hampton
Falls, N. H.
 - ii. Samuel Henry Cate⁸, res. Pottsville, Penn.
 - iii. Lizzie Rachel Cate⁸, m. Samuel Hutchins; res. South
Hampton, N. H., and is deceased. One son.
 3. Lizzie Emily Pottle⁷, m. Nathan Knowles; res. North Hamp-
ton, N. H. Children:
 - i. Albert Knowles⁸.
 - ii. Reuben Knowles⁸.

235. Rhoda Sinclair⁴ [88] (Richard⁴, Richard⁴, James², John¹).
She was born in Stratham, N. H., July 10, 1785; married June 1,
1812, Joseph Wiggin, who lived in Portsmouth, N. H., on the farm
now occupied by Hon. Frank Jones, and was a noted farmer. He
died Dec. 20, 1860; she died Aug., 1870.

CHILDREN BORN PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

236. Susan Wiggin⁴, b. Feb. 13, 1813; m. March 25, 1835, Thomas Carpen-
ter, who lives in Stanstead, Canada. She d. Feb. 14, 1845, at
Plattsburgh, N. Y.; no children.
237. Lucy Maria Wiggin⁴, b. March 18, 1815; m. April 19, 1838, Calvin
Selden Hodgdon of Portsmouth, N. H., where they lived many
years, but are now residents of Exeter, N. H. He was b. Barn-
stead, N. H., Jan. 23, 1815; carpenter and farmer. Children b.
Portsmouth, N. H.:
 1. Rhoda Maria Hodgdon⁷, b. April 4, 1840; res. Exeter, N. H.
 2. Joseph Wiggin Hodgdon⁷, b. March 25, 1841. Was a soldier
in the 1st Mass. cavalry, and d. of disease contracted in
the army, at Brentwood, N. H., June 13, 1865.
 3. Abbie Anna Hodgdon⁷, b. June 16, 1849; res. Exeter, N. H.
238. Ann Amelia Wiggin⁴, b. March 9, 1817; m. April 5, 1843, Samuel
Shaw of York, Me.; farmer; res. Portsmouth, N. H. He d.
March, 1862; she d. there June 7, 1882. Children:
 1. Charles Wiggin Shaw⁷, b. June 16, 1845; res. Portsmouth,
N. H.; m. Mary Walker; is a soapstone manufacturer;
1 child.
 2. Emma Thankful Shaw⁷, b. July 3, 1847; m. Henry Marston;
res. Portsmouth, N. H.; hardware dealer; no children.
 3. Joseph Orren Shaw⁷, b. June 5, 1851; m. Clara McClellan;
farmer; res. Portsmouth, N. H.; 3 children.

4. Rhoda Ann Shaw¹, b. July 23, 1853; m. Ellery Amazeen of North Hampton, N. H.; no children.
5. Albert Samuel Shaw¹, b. July 22, 1858; d. April, 1860.
239. Charles Augustus Wiggin², b. March 9, 1822; m. Nov., 1843, Martha Ann Coffin of Portsmouth, N. H., who d. at South Hadley Falls, Mass. He is a mechanic and merchant, and lives in Stoneham, Mass. Children:
 1. Susan Lizzie Wiggin², b. Jan. 6, 1845; m. Charles Parker of Kennebunk, Me.; machinist; res. Stoneham, Mass.
 2. Annie Coffin Wiggin², d. young.

240. Micajah Sinclair⁴ [91] (John⁴, Richard², James², John¹). He was born in Stratham, N. H., about 1793; carpenter. Had a strong, social nature and kind heart, and was much beloved. He married Nancy, daughter of Stephen and Lydia (Buzzell) Hoyt of Northwood, N. H., who died of consumption at Northwood, N. H., March 18, 1835. He m. 2d Abigail —, who for her 2d husband married Mr. Ayer. Mr. Sinclair resided in Stratham, N. H., and died May, 1847.

CHILDREN BORN STRATHAM, N. H.

241. Charles Sinclair¹, b. about 1824; res. in Newmarket, N. H., and d. about 1884; single.
242. Lucretia Sinclair², b. about 1825; m. Mr. Willis, and d. of consumption about 1855.
243. Lydia Ann Sinclair², b. about 1827; m. Benjamin Clough; res. Pittsfield, N. H., and d. about 1860; no children.
244. Elizabeth Sinclair², b. about 1830; m. Mr. Miles of Epping, N. H., and is deceased.
245. John William Sinclair², b. about 1832; res. San Francisco, Cal., and was m. and had a family.
246. Martha Sinclair², b. 1843; m. May 28, 1863, Asa G. Dame of Durham, N. H. She d. Feb., 1867; 1 child.

247. Samuel Sinclair⁴ [93] (John⁴, Richard², James², John¹). He was born in Stratham, N. H., March 2, 1795; was a factory machinist for many years, and resided in Dover, N. H., in Exeter, and in Newmarket. He then purchased a farm in his native town of Stratham, which is now owned by his son, Samuel J. Sinclair. There he passed the remainder of his life, and d. June 20, 1867.

He had fine business capacity and excellent financial ability, and was eminently successful. He was very conservative and looked with distrust and disapproval upon hazardous enterprises. His property was the result of the slow accumulations of many years. His success was won by care and prudence, combined with persistence and the exercise of good judgment. No public positions were filled by him. He married Sept. 28, 1823, Elizabeth, daughter of James and Deborah (Folsom) Lane of Stratham, who was born July 18, 1799, and died Feb. 24, 1868.

CHILDREN.

248. Samuel James Sinclair³ [737], b. Dover, N. H., Dec. 21, 1824; res. Stratham, N. H.

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d. April, 1860.

m. Nov., 1843, Martha
at South Hadley Falls,
and lives in Stratham,

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249. William Henry Sinclair², b. Newmarket, N. H., April 21, 1828; lived in Stratham. Was a young man with bright prospects; was fond of study, had high and broad ideas of life. His vista lay bright and broad before him, when consumption claimed him for its victim, and he d. Aug. 18, 1847, aged 19 yrs., 3 mos., 28 days. He was a student at the time in Bowdoin College, Me.
250. Elizabeth Deborah Sinclair², b. Stratham, N. H., Sept. 28, 1830; m. Oct. 27, 1852, George Stickney of Exeter, N. H. She d. July 4, 1853. He removed to Sioux City, Iowa.
251. Mary Jane Sinclair², b. Stratham, N. H., Sept. 20, 1832; m. May 24, 1858, William Oliver Brooks of Elliot, Me.; ship carpenter. He d. June 26, 1879, aged 51 years. Children:
1. Lizzie Augusta Brooks², b. Elliot, Me., Aug. 7, 1859.
2. Carrie Louise Brooks², b. May 24, 1866; d. Aug. 27, 1868.
She m. 2d William Hill of Elliot, Me., who was b. Feb. 4, 1821.
252. Caroline Newman Sinclair², b. Stratham, N. H., March 10, 1842; m. Jan. 24, 1871, Rev. Benjamin Drake Conkling of Burlington, Kansas. He was b. March, 1840, in Cincinnati, Ohio; graduated at Marietta College and at Theological Seminary at Andover, Mass., in 1868; Congregational clergyman; has preached at Kent, Ohio, Flint and Hudson, Mich., Whitewater, Wis., Savannah, Ga., Watertown, Conn., Olathe, Kansas, and now (1888) Burlington, Kansas; no children.

253. James Sinclair² [95] (John⁴, Richard², James², John¹). He was born in Stratham, N. H., Sept. 20, 1799. He was a carpenter and resided at Bangor, Me., and vicinity, and at Roxbury, Mass. Returned to Stratham, where he died Jan. 1, 1877, aged 78 yrs. 2 mos. and 11 days.

He married Oct. 5, 1828, Mary Leavitt of Stratham, who was born Sept. 30, 1810, and died Feb. 14, 1853. He married 2d, Mrs. Caroline Robinson of South Newmarket, N. H., Sept. 16, 1855. Two children by second marriage.

CHILDREN.

254. Sarah Elizabeth Sinclair², b. Oct. 16, 1829; m. James H. Diman of Stratham, N. H., and who lives in Haverhill, Mass. Children:
1. Fred Diman², b. 1855; d. aged about 15 years.
2. George Diman², b. 1857; m. his cousin, Mabel Geer of Concord, N. H., and res. Minneapolis, Minn.
255. James Sinclair, Jr.², b. Dec. 21, 1830; res. Newmarket, N. H. He m. Addie —, and has three children.
256. Mary L. Sinclair², b. July 2, 1832; d. June 19, 1857; res. Stratham, N. H.
257. Caroline Sinclair², b. Feb. 18, 1834; m. George Stoddard. He died and she m. 2d, Mr. Woodward and lived in California. No children.
258. Martha Sinclair², b. April 5, 1835; m. John Madly Geer of Stratham, N. H., then of Concord, N. H., where he now resides. She died Dec. 22, 1875. Child:
1. Mabel Geer², m. her cousin George Diman; res. Minneapolis, Minn.
259. Abby W. Sinclair², b. Jan. 21, 1839; d. June 16, 1853.
260. Lucy Ann Sinclair², b. July 28, 1841; d. June 19, 1864.
261. John L. Sinclair², b. July 3, 1843; was killed in the war for the Union at Ft. Wagner, July 18, 1863.

262. Corinna Alice Sinclair^a, b. Aug. 22, 1845; m. Josiah Kelly of Stratham, N. H., and resided there. He was a carpenter and died June, 1886. Children, born Stratham, N. H.:
1. Charles James Kelleyⁱ.
 2. Mary Olive Kelleyⁱ.
 3. George Kelleyⁱ.
 4. Josiah Kelleyⁱ.
263. Ellen Maria Sinclair^a, b. June 26, 1847; m. Horace Ellison; res. Stratham, N. H. and died in Newmarket, N. H. Children:
1. George Ellisonⁱ.
 2. Alfred Ellisonⁱ.
264. Abble Frances Sinclair^a, m. Clinton Norton of Northwood, N. H. Child:
1. John Nortonⁱ.
265. Ida May Sinclair^a.

266. Benjamin Folsom Sinclair^a [98] (Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, Johnⁱ). He was born in Brentwood, N. H., Nov. 16, 1761. He accompanied his father for a time in the Revolutionary war, and was his awriter for him when at Bunker Hill. He settled in Waterborough, York co., Me., where he purchased a tract of wild land of some 200 acres. He was accompanied to that place by acquaintances and citizens of Brentwood, namely, Trueworthy Dudley, William Gilpatrick, and Samuel Cammett. They were among the very earliest settlers of that town, which was then a wilderness. He was a farmer and miller. He erected his buildings and hewed his farm from a wilderness, and made it one of attractiveness and productiveness. Like the most of his race he also owned a part of a saw-mill, an institution so essential and so profitable in a new settlement. In his personal appearance he stood some 5 feet 10 inches in height, was light complexioned, with dark hair and blue eyes, and weighed some 170 pounds.

He was prominent in local affairs, a man of prayer and an attendant of the Baptist church. The family altar had a prominent place in his family and he was rigid in his observance of religious duties.

He married April 13, 1784, Mary Peavey, who was born in Brentwood, N. H., Sept. 2, 1763, and died in Waterborough, Me., Dec. 12, 1796, leaving five children. He married Dec. 19, 1797, second, Dorothy, daughter of David and Sarah Stevens of Waterborough, Me., who was born in Alfred, Me. She died in Waterborough Dec. 16, 1851. She had light complexion with blue eyes and dark brown hair.

He died in Waterborough, Me., April 9, 1851.

CHILDREN BORN WATERBOROUGH, ME.

267. James Sinclair^a, b. Nov. 11, 1786; was a soldier in the last war with Great Britain; was never married. His home was in the town of his birth, where he died July 9, 1869.
268. Samuel L. Sinclair^a [739], b. Jan. 21, 1789; res. Portland, Me.
269. John Sinclair^a [742], b. March 1, 1791; res. Waterborough, Me.
270. Benjamin Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 18, 1793; he was an invalid after his 23d year, and died unmarried April 26, 1865.
271. Mary Peavey Sinclair^a [747], b. Dec. 4, 1795; m. Joshua Sawyer of Limington, Me.

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272. Sarah Sinclair⁴ [757], b. Sept. 5, 1797; m. William Stimson of Lhn-
erick, Me.
273. David Sinclair⁴ [760], b. April 1, 1799; m. Mary Hastings.
274. Joanna S. Sinclair⁴ [762], b. Dec. 4, 1800; res. East Waterborough,
Me.
275. Henry S. Sinclair⁴ [764], b. Aug. 30, 1802; m. Rachel Boston.
276. John Lewis Sinclair⁴ [774], b. July 27, 1804; res. Waterborough, Me.

277. James Sinclair, Jr.⁴ [99] (Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer⁴, James²,
John¹). He was born in Brentwood, N. H., April 23, 1764; was a
tanner. He resided in the town of his birth. His mind was keen,
his judgment clear and sound, was a great reader, and well versed
on many subjects. Was an intelligent thinker and quick at repartee,
and in politics a democrat. He united with the Baptist church in
September, 1800. He married Mary Nay, who was born May, 1764,
and died Nov. 1, 1851, aged 87 yrs. 8 mos. He died Oct. 31, 1851,
aged 87 yrs. 6 mos. 8 days.

CHILDREN BORN BRENTWOOD, N. H.

278. Samuel Sinclair⁴; farmer; res. Brentwood, N. H. He m. Hannah,
dau. of John Clifford, who d. March 1, 1824. He d. Dec. 29, 1820.
1 daughter: Hannah Sinclair⁴, d. May 24, 1830.
279. Rachel Sinclair⁴ [777], b. Aug. 31, 1789; m. Samuel C. Shaw of Brent-
wood, N. H., in 1806; res. Palmyra, Me.
280. Henry Sinclair⁴ [782], b. March 13, 1792; d. Sept. 25, 1841.
281. Abigail Sinclair⁴. She m. Ellphalet Robinson of Brentwood, N. H.
He was a farmer and carpenter.
282. Mary Sinclair⁴ m. James Marston of Brentwood, N. H.; farmer and
carpenter.
283. Benjamin Sinclair⁴ [792], b. April 13, 1800; m. Dec. 15, 1826, in Ray-
mond, N. H., Abigail Clark, dau. of Jeremiah Veasey, b. Nov.
25, 1800; d. Oct. 1, 1882. He d. March 2, 1840.

284. Rachel Sinclair⁴ [102] (Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer⁴, James²,
John¹). She was born Brentwood, N. H., May 9, 1769; married in
1795 Timothy Harris, who was born in Methuen, Mass; farmer.
Resided Danville, Vt., where he died Dec. 16, 1856; she died May
19, 1853.

CHILDREN BORN DANVILLE, VT.

285. Rachel Harris⁴, b. May 14, 1796; m. John Chapman. They lived and
died in Danville, having 10 children.
286. James Harris⁴, b. Nov. 17, 1798; m. Jerusha Stevens; res. at Mel-
bourne, Canada, and d. at Barnston, Can., 1888, leaving 1 dau.
287. Timothy Harris, Jr.⁴, b. Oct. 12, 1800; m. Hannah Porter; res. Dan-
ville, Vt., and d. there in 1851; 2 sons.
288. Deborah Harris⁴, b. 1802; m. John McLane; lived in Durham, Canada,
and had 7 children.
289. John Harris⁴, b. Jan. 20, 1804; m. Lucy Lawper. He was
drowned on his return voyage from California; 3 children.
290. Abigail Harris⁴, b. Jan. 20, 1806. She m. Mr. Cross, who soon died.
She m. 2d Samuel Brown; lived in Lyndon, Vt., and d. there in
1878.
291. Samuel Harris⁴, b. July 30, 1808; m. Kate Smart; res. Minnesota;
2 children.

292. Miriam Harris^s, b. July 20, 1810; m. Lewis Weeks, who d. at Brattleborough, Vt., 1874. She res. Danville, Vt.; no children.
 293. Betsey Harris^s, b. Oct. 30, 1812; d. July 7, 1848; single.

294. Jonathan Sinclair^s [103] (Capt. James^s, Ebenezer^s, James^s, John^s). Brentwood, N. H., was his native town, where he was born June 13, 1773. He went early to Maine and settled in Palmyra. He was a sailor. He married Eunice Porter, a native of Vermont, who died in Canaan, Me.; he d. in Canaan, Me.

CHILDREN BORN PALMYRA, ME.

295. Hiram Porter Sinclair^s [798], b. Dec. 11, 1805; m. Jan. 1, 1829, Lydia Tuttle; res. Palmyra, Me.; d. Sept. 13, 1855.
 296. Clarissa Ann Sinclair^s [807], b. Jan. 2, 1811; m. Jan. 2, 1833, Rev. Sullivan A. Maxim; res. St. Albans, Me. He was a Baptist minister. She d. in Harmony, Me., June 6, 1848.
 297. Harriet Sinclair^s, b. June 9, 1813; d. at Great Falls, N. H., Sept. 8, 1830; single.
 298. Maria Sinclair^s, b. Sept. 20, 1816; d. Palmyra, Me., March 2, 1835; single.
 299. James Sinclair^s, b. Oct. 2, 1818; d. July 5, 1819.

300. Molly Sinclair^s [104] (Capt. James^s, Ebenezer^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Brentwood, N. H., May 15, 1775, and married Feb. 2, 1797, Jonathan Danforth, son of Jonathan and grandson of Jonathan Danforth. He was born July 27, 1772; was a farmer by occupation, and his residence after marriage was in Danville, Vt., where Mrs Danforth died April 25, 1817. Her faithful christian life and peaceful death made a happy and lasting impression on the minds of her children, who held her in loving remembrance.

CHILDREN, BORN DANVILLE, VT.

301. Jonathan Danforth^s, b. May 11, 1798; res. Ft. Covington, N. Y. His daughter, Mrs. J. Q. Hoyt, resided at Barnet, Vt.
 302. Mary Danforth^s, b. Jan. 26, 1800; m. Mr. Mott and resided in New York.
 303. Ebenezer Danforth^s, b. Nov. 16, 1801; furniture dealer; res. Morris-town, Vt. His sons, Charles^s and Alfred^s Danforth, resided respectively in Hamburg, Iowa, and Turner county, Dakota.
 304. Mallinda Larabee Danforth^s, b. July 12, 1803; m. Richard Pierce Hawley; res. Elkhart, Ind. He was born in Danville, Vt., Jan. 15, 1800, and was son of Samuel Hawley who was born in England and died in Danville, Vt. Richard Pierce Hawley was a farmer and died in Elkhart Sept. 23, 1887. She died there May 16, 1873. Children, born Danville, Vt.:
 1. Emily Danforth Hawley^s, b. April 20, 1830; m. James Miller; res. Elkhart, Ind.; merchant.
 2. Mary Hawley^s, b. June 30, 1833; teacher; res. Elkhart, Ind.
 3. Augustus Pierce Hawley^s, b. Sept. 29, 1837; m. Mary Maria Hill; painter and carpenter; res. Passumpsic, Vt. He enlisted Oct. 23, 1861, in the 8th Vt. Vols; was discharged as Sergt. Sept. 15, 1863; was commissioned as Captain in 2d La. Vols., and was discharged Oct. 15, 1864. Was in eighteen battles. He served in the Ordnance Department from Oct. 20, 1864, until Jan. 1, 1866. Children:

Weeks, who d. at Brattle-
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missioned as Captain in
1 Oct. 15, 1864. Was in
the Ordnance Department
00. Children:

i. Clinton Pierce Hawley^s, b. Passumpsic, Vt., July 3,
1867; res. Livingston, Mont.

ii. Day Danforth Hawley^s, b. Passumpsic, Vt., Jan. 28,
1871; student; res. in his native town.

305. James Danforth^s, b. July 3, 1805; was a wheelwright; later in life
was in the cabinet business; was a leading and consistent mem-
ber of the Second Advent Church; resided in Massena, N. Y.,
where he died March 23, 1877. He married Jan. 21, 1833, Phi-
lena, daughter of Daniel and Polly (Sprague) Kenney of Bethel,
Vt. She was born there Dec. 16, 1805, and has for fifty-one
years resided at Massena, N. Y. Children, born Massena, N. Y.:

1. Mary Danforth^s, b. March 15, 1835; died there Feb. 21, 1859.

2. Judson Danforth^s, b. July 8, 1836; d. Jan. 21, 1837.

3. Judson Danforth^s, b. Oct. 31, 1839; d. March 7, 1843.

4. James Danforth^s, b. July 27, 1843; d. Aug. 15, 1853.

5. Elizabeth Danforth^s, b. Sept. 22, 1845; m. Aug. 25, 1874,
William Bradford. He was born in Louisville, St. Law-
rence county, N. Y., Nov. 17, 1834, and resides in his
native town. Children:

i. Bessie Philena Bradford^s, b. Massena, N. Y., Aug. 31,
1876.

ii. James Danforth Bradford^s, b. Louisville, N. Y., Sept.
19, 1880.

6. Samuel Danforth^s, b. March 11, 1849; m. July 2, 1873, Jennie
C. White, b. Shelburne, Vt., Nov. 11, 1853. He is a hotel-
keeper; res. Massena, N. Y. Children, born Massena,
N. Y.:

i. Henry White Danforth^s, b. Nov. 10, 1873.

ii. James Lavater Danforth^s, b. Feb. 3, 1875.

iii. Carrie Louise Danforth^s, b. Oct. 10, 1876.

iv. Kate Lenore Danforth^s, b. Oct. 12, 1878.

v. Robert Tilotson Danforth^s, b. July 18, 1880.

vi. Arthur Samuel Danforth^s, b. July 31, 1882; d. Nov. 13,
1885.

vii. Stanley Oliver Danforth^s, b. Sept. 14, 1885.

viii. Philena Elizabeth Danforth^s, b. May 9, 1887.

306. Cynthia Danforth^s, b. Feb. 3, 1807; m. Hiram Houghton. Her son,
Corles Houghton, resided in Rochester, Minn.

307. Betsey Danforth^s, b. March 19, 1809; m. June 11, 1835, Lyman K.,
son of Ira and Mrs. Hannah (Fuller) Harvey and grandson of
Zechariah Harvey of Passumpsic, Vt., who was born March 19,
1744, and died Sept. 26, 1813. Mr. Harvey was a farmer and re-
sided in Barnet, Vt. He was born in Barnet, Vt., March 21, 1813.
His wife died April 12, 1884. Children, born Barnet, Vt.:

1. Olin H. Harvey^s, b. Aug. 31, 1836; m. Lydia Felch; res. Pas-
sumpsic, Vt.; farmer; was in the Union army and died at
Fairfax Court House, Va., Dec. 29, 1862.

2. Helen M. Harvey^s, b. Ft. Covington, N. Y.; m. June 16,
1871, Timothy Keith; farmer; res. Barnet, Vt.

3. Charles E. Harvey^s, b. June 28, 1845; d. June 28, 1859.

4. Emma J. Harvey^s, b. Jan. 4, 1849; teacher; res. Passumpsic,
Vt.

5. Curtis C. Harvey^s, b. Sept. 20, 1850; m. Feb. 22, 1876, Susan
E. Mason; farmer; res. Passumpsic, Vt. Children:

i. George Harvey^s, b. October, 1876.

ii. Charles E. Harvey^s, b. Oct. 15, 1878.

iii. Henry Olin Harvey^s, b. Oct. 24, 1881.

iv. Lyman Harvey^s, b. March 21, 1885.

308. Harriet W. Danforth^s, b. March 14, 1811; m. Aug. 5, 1832, Owen F.
White, b. Bangor, Me., Dec. 10, 1809; son of Samuel White; res.
Passumpsic, Vt., and removed to Rochester, Minn., where he

- died Feb. 11, 1866; farmer. She married, second, at Rochester, Minn., in 1872, Benjamin Gould; and she died at Winona, Minn., Sept. 24, 1886. Children, b. Passumpsic, Vt.:
1. Harriet D. White², b. July 24, 1833; m. Curtis S. Woods; res. Passumpsic, Vt.; he is deceased. She resided in Rochester, Minn. Child:
 - i. Edgar C. Woods⁴, res. Duluth, Minn.
 2. Mary Jane White², b. Sept. 23, 1834; d. Passumpsic, Vt., Oct. 6, 1845.
 3. Charles O. White², b. Ft. Covington, N. Y., Nov. 10, 1840; m. July 16, 1863, Rachel Downing; she was born Feb. 27, 1845; res. Winona, Minn. Children:
 - i. Nellie D. White³, b. Nov. 16, 1864; d. June 11, 1865.
 - ii. Henry A. White³, b. Nov. 30, 1866.
 4. Cornelia J. White², b. Feb. 7, 1845; d. Rochester, Minn., April 20, 1863.
 5. Sophia C. White², b. May 31, 1847; m. Dec. 20, 1863, Thomas J. Seymour, b. Somerville, O., Oct. 11, 1842; salesman; res. La Crosse, Wis. Children, b. Trempealeau, Wis.:
 - i. Nellie Seymour³, b. Dec. 10, 1864.
 - ii. Gladys Maud Seymour³, b. Jan. 20, 1868.
309. Chester Danforth³, b. March 13, 1813; res. Danville, Vt., and died near Milwaukee, Wis., when a young man.
310. Calvin Erastus Danforth³, b. April 9, 1816; m. Aug. 22, 1845, Sarah Amanda, daughter of Solomon Waterbury of Long Island, N. Y.; farmer; res. Charles City, Iowa. He lived in Danville, Vt., 22 years, in New York, in Wisconsin 22 years, and 16 years in Iowa. Was in the real estate and loan business, and died in Charles City, Iowa, Feb. 13, 1884. His wife was born in Massena, N. Y., Oct. 17, 1820. Children:
1. James A. Danforth⁴, b. Oct. 10, 1846, at Prairie du Sac, Wis.; real estate dealer; res. Chicago, Ill.
 2. Hobart W. Danforth⁴, b. April 26, 1848, at Prairie du Sac, Wis.; m. Olive Bush; real estate dealer; res. Charles City, Iowa.
 3. Fred C. Danforth⁴, b. March 10, 1854, at Prairie du Sac, Wis.; m. Oct. 10, 1887, Electa Waterbury; real estate and loan business; res. Parker, S. D.
312. David Sinclair³ [186] (Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). He was born in Brentwood, N. H., May 7, 1779, and settled in Palmyra, Me. He was a soldier in the 1812-'15 war with Great Britain and died at Plattsburg, N. Y., May 20, 1813. His widow received a pension from the government. He married Cynthia Porter of Danville, Vt. After the death of Mr. Sinclair she returned to her native town. She died with her daughter, Mrs. James Hawley, at Ft. Covington, Franklin county, N. Y.

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313. David Porter Sinclair³ [816], died about 1870 at Durham, Can.
314. John Turner Sinclair³ [820], res. St. Johnsbury, Vt.; rem. to Milwaukee, Wis.
315. Ebenezer Nay Sinclair³, went west early; no family.
316. Cynthia Sinclair³, b. 1814; m. James or Richard Hawley in Danville, Vt. She married, second, Henry W. Purdy at Ft. Covington, N. Y., and died there June 13, 1870. Children:
 1. Susan Hawley⁴, d. 1836.

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2. Cynthia Hawley^d, b. Feb. 20, 1840; res. Gardner Road, Brook-
line, Mass.

3. Emma J. Purdy^d, b. Oct. 21, 1848.

4. Melissa Purdy^d, b. Oct. 22, 1850.

5. Ella Purdy^d, b. 1855; d. 1857.

6. Henry Purdy^d, is deceased.

317. Diantha Jane Sinclair^d [829], m. March 31, 1831, William Libby, and
died at Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 24, 1888.

318. Louisa Ann Sinclair^d [838], m. June 18, 1834, Isaac Newton, son of
Philip Colby; res. Danville, Vt.

319. Ebenezer Sinclair^d [107] (Capt. James^d, Ebenezer^d, James^d,
John^d). He was born in Brentwood, N. H., May 7, 1780. He went
early to Maine and settled in Monmouth. He was a farmer and
cultivated his broad acres till his death, June 15, 1843.

He married Mary Sanborn.

CHILDREN.

320. Abigail Sinclair^d, b. April 2, 1803; m. John Coombs; they resided in
Readfield, Me.; both deceased. Children:

1. Ivory Coombs^d, res. Readfield, Me.; is deceased, leaving a
family.

2. Mary Ann Coombs^d.

3. Blake Coombs^d, res. Readfield, Me.

4. Another daughter; name not known.

321. Ann Sinclair^d, b. June 12, 1805; lived and died in Monmouth, Me.;
single.

322. Betsey Sinclair^d, b. July 24, 1807; m. Daniel McDuffie and is dead.

323. Henry Blake Sinclair^d, b. October, 1809; m. —; res. Monmouth,
Me., on the homestead. No children.

324. James Madison Sinclair^d [841], b. March 25, 1812; res. Augusta, Me.

325. Harriet Sinclair^d, b. Jan. 18, 1815; m. Dr. Addison Brawn; res.
Biddeford, Me. She is deceased. One child.

326. Cynthia Sinclair^d, b. Jan. 14, 1821; lives with her brother, Henry
Blake Sinclair, in Monmouth. Single.

327. Joseph Dalton Sinclair^d, b. Oct. 7, 1825; m. Elizabeth Stimpson; res.
Monmouth, Me.; both deceased. One child:

1. Frank H. Sinclair^d

328. Richard Sinclair, Jr.^d [110] (Richard^d, Ebenezer^d, James^d,
John^d.) He was born in Sandwich, N. H., January, 1766. He occupied
a part of the original farm of his father in East Sandwich, on farm
now lived upon by his grandson, George Robinson. This house
stood some twenty rods north of the home of his father. Was a
carpenter and wheelwright. He sold most of his property to his
father, Nov. 14, 1803, after his removal to Falmouth, Me. He was
in what is now Portland, Me., and carried on business there. He
was strongly urged by a certain debtor to accept his pay of him in
land, but this was declined. "Had his foresight equaled his hind
sight," as Beecher once expressed it, his fortune would have been
made, for the land was in what is now the most valuable portion of
Portland. He returned to Sandwich, lived and died on a portion of
the old homestead, May 28, 1848, aged 82 years, and is buried in
"Little Pond Cemetery."

In personal appearance, he was tall, angular, bony, and not remarkable for beauty. His reputation was excellent. Was a very religious man and morning and evening petitions ascended from his family altar to the Council Chamber of the King of Kings and Lord of Lords. His observance of the Sabbath was of the most right character, and his family were taught to observe it in the same manner. He and his wife were members of the Congregational church.

He married about 1790 Rebecca, daughter of Nicholas and Judith (Piper) Gilman*, of Gilmanton. She was born July 5, 1769, and died in Sandwich July 3, 1857, aged 88 years.

CHILDREN BORN SANDWICH, N. H.

329. Jonathan Sinclair^d, b. Oct. 9, 1791. He lived in Boston, Mass. On April 2, 1829, he bought land in Sandwich of his uncle, Jonathan Sinclair of Haverhill, N. H. This he sold to Paul Wentworth of Sandwich, July 12, 1837. He m. Abigail, dau. of Josiah and Ruth Blanchard^d, of Boston, Mass. She was b. in Boston, June 5, 1791, and was an interesting and finely educated woman. He d. on Berry Pond in Moultonborough, N. H., and is buried in "Little Pond Cemetery"; no children.
330. Judith Gilman Sinclair^d, b. Sept. 20, 1793; m. Nicholas Gilman of Gilmanton, N. H., who was a merchant and resided in Boston, Mass., where he died. Children:
1. Fidelity Gilman^d.
2. John Gilman^d.
331. Betsey Sinclair^d, [846] b. Oct. 1, 1795; m. Nov. 20, 1821, Meshech Robinson, Jr., of Sandwich, N. H. She d. Dec. 15, 1877.
332. Joseph Gilman^d, b. Nov. 24, 1797. Left Sandwich, N. H., when young, and never returned. He lived in Boston, Mass., for a time, when he disappeared and was never definitely heard from.
333. Clarissa Sinclair^d, b. Aug. 31, 1799; m. Mr. Tilton, who d. in Sandwich, N. H. She m. 2d Isaac Mitchell, of Campton, N. H., and they resided in Boston, Mass., until her death, when he returned to Campton and d. there. Children:

* Nicholas Gilman and his wife Judith (Piper) Gilman, were of Gilmanton, N. H. They were married, March 12, 1790.

CHILDREN BORN GILMANTON, N. H.

Anna Gilman, b. Dec. 3, 1761.
Wiggins Gilman, b. June 24, 1763.
Joseph Gilman, b. March 24, 1765.
Nathaniel Gilman, b. March 16, 1767.
Rebecca Gilman, b. July 5, 1769; m. Richard Sinclair.
Nicholas Gilman, b. April 29, 1771.
Elizabeth Gilman, b. Aug. 9, 1773.

† Family of Josiah Blanchard of Boston, Mass. Josiah Blanchard d. in Burlington, Mass., May 6, 1806, aged 47 years. Ruth his wife d. in Burlington, Mass., Feb. 29, 1808, aged 47.

CHILDREN BORN BOSTON, MASS.

Sally Blanchard, b. March 31, 1783; d. Boston, March 18, 1811.
William Page Blanchard, b. March 8, 1785.
Josiah Blanchard, b. March 19, 1787.
Charles Blanchard, b. May 27, 1789; d. Dec. 29, 1795, at Burlington, Mass.
Abigail Blanchard, b. June 5, 1791.
Lydia Belknap Blanchard, b. Aug. 29, 1793.
Abner Blanchard, b. May 12, 1795; drowned at Newburg, N. Y., July 8, 1810.

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1. Rebecca Mitchell'; m. Arthur Blaisdel of Campton, N. H.,
who in 1888 res. in Center Harbor, N. H.; she d. in Camp-
ton, and is buried there. Child:
1. Emma Blaisdel'; m. Mr. Howe; res. Stoneham, Mass.
2. Daniel Mitchell'; harness maker; lived and d. in Concord,
N. H. He m. Abbie Straw. Child:
1. Charles Straw'; lives in East Weare, N. H.
334. Ebenezer Sinclair², b. Feb. 15, 1801. Removed to Boston, Mass., and
d. there. Carpenter. He m. Mary White, who resides in that
city. Child:
1. Emily Sinclair², b. in Boston, Mass., and lives there.

335. Jonathan Sinclair³ [111] (Richard⁴, Ebenezer², James¹,
John⁵). He was born about 1768 in Sandwich, N. H. He was a
blacksmith; settled at Moultonborough Corner, N. H., where he
carried on business for many years. He lived in a one-story house;
it still stands, though another story has been added. It is owned by
Dr. Isaac Adams, and occupied by Albion Richardson as a hotel.
He was there on July 3, 1803, and was called "Gentleman" in deeds.
He became possessor of considerable real estate, among which was
the home farm of his father in Sandwich. Before March 30, 1809,
he had removed to Haverhill, N. H. Sept. 26, 1810, a deed was
acknowledged by him, conveying his shop and land in Moulton-
borough to Simeon Moulton of that place.

At Haverhill he became a strong and leading spirit. His black-
smith business was managed successfully, as was also his country
store. He was also the owner and manager of a hotel. This was
in the early years, at least, kept in the three-story brick house owned
and occupied in 1888 by Dr. Spaulding. For a number of years he
was deputy sheriff, and captain in the militia. He was medium in
size, with dark brown hair. He married Feb. 24, 1800 (or July 24,
1800, as Moultonborough records say) Abigail, daughter of George
Frieze of Moultonborough Corner; her early home being the place
(in 1888) lived on by Stephen Jacklard. Late in life they removed
to Newton, Mass.; lived with their daughter, died there, and are
buried in Mt. Auburn.

CHILD BORN MOULTONBOROUGH, N. H.

336. Augusta Sinclair². She married Ezra Hutchins of Newton, Mass.
Their children still there.

337. Ebenezer Sinclair⁴ [112] (Richard⁴, Ebenezer², James¹,
John⁵). He was born in Exeter, N. H.; baptized Aug. 29, 1762,
by Rev. Woodbridge Odlin. He lived on a small farm near the Red
Hill, the south part of his native town. The place is owned (1888)
by Mrs. Elizabeth Uiman, daughter of the late Isaac Adams. He
was a farmer and held in much estimation. His wife was Mercy
Hoag of Sandwich, who was born Nov. 30, 1763. They were mar-
ried by Rev. Jacob Jewell April 11, 1786. She was a most excellent
woman; she and her husband were members of the Society of Friends.
He fell from a loaded team in the field, and his injuries was so serious

that after a few days of great suffering he died Sept. 29, 1815. Enoch Hoag of Sandwich was administrator of his estate; inventory taken Oct. 16, 1815. She survived him many years.

They had an interesting family, intellectually bright, and fine scholars for the advantages they possessed.

CHILDREN BORN SANDWICH, N. H.

- 338. Asa Sinclair⁶. Blacksmith; settled in Haverhill, N. H.
- 339. Judith Sinclair⁶; m. May, 1813; pub. (April 17, 1813) Josiah Ambrose of Moultonborough. They settled in Corinna, Me.
- 340. Betsey Sinclair⁶; m. April 27, 1809, John Johnson of Sandwich; went to Corinna, Me.; returned to Sandwich and d. there.
- 341. John Sinclair⁶ [855]. He settled in Haverhill, N. H.; was a blacksmith.
- 342. Lydia Sinclair⁶ [806]; m. Joseph Smith of Moultonborough, N. H.
- 343. Sarah Hill Sinclair⁶ [872]. b. Jan. 10, 1795; m. John Cook of Sandwich, N. H.
- 344. Moses Hoag Sinclair⁶ [880], b. March 5, 1797; res. Haverhill, N. H.
- 345. William M. Sinclair⁶ [885]; res. Parishville, N. Y.
- 346. Isalah Gould Sinclair⁶ [890], b. March 10, 1797; d. in Sandwich, N. H., Dec. 23, 1856.
- 347. Mary Sinclair⁶, b. Nov. 8, 1806; d. Nov. 14, 1827.

348. Samuel Sinclair⁶ [113] (Richard⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). He owned a small part of the original homestead of his father, and his house stood only a few rods distant from that of his brother Richard. This he sold to his brother Jonathan, then of Moultonborough, and the buildings were taken down. He was a blacksmith; removed to Moultonborough Corner, and his place of business was a short distance from that of Jonathan's. He sold his premises there April 18, 1800. He resided in Sandwich in 1803, and soon after removed to the north part of the town of Haverhill, N. H.; received a life lease of land there beneath the shadows of the mountains, built a block house, and there lived, died, and was buried in Haverhill. His life was not a successful one, and was marred by some moral blemishes. He was married by Rev. Jacob Jewell Nov. 17, 1791, to Sarah, daughter of Daniel Moulton of Sandwich. Her life was made beautiful by the good deeds she performed, and the patience and fortitude with which she bore the many sorrows and trials which darkened her life. She died in Haverhill, N. H.

CHILDREN BORN SANDWICH, N. H.

- 349. James Sinclair⁶; went to sea; was absent for about 20 years, during which time not a word was heard from him. He then returned and died at Haverhill, N. H.
- 350. John Sinclair⁶ [892]; lives in Haverhill, N. H.
- 351. Samuel Sinclair⁶ [898]. He was b. Dec. 14, 1800. Lives in Haverhill, N. H. He m. Eliza Hamblett.
- 352. Hannah Sinclair⁶ [908]; m. Simeon Hildreth; res. Haverhill, N. H.
- 353. Myra Sinclair⁶. She m. Mr. Davenport of Newbury Vt.; she m. 2d, after Mr. Davenport's death, Levi Hamblett, and d. in Canaan, N. H., leaving a family. Child by 1st marriage:
 - 1. Edward Davenport⁷, b. Sandwich, N. H.
- 354. Stephen Badger Sinclair⁶ [913]; m. Sally Nute of Sandwich, N. H.

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355. Abigail Sinclair⁴ [114] (Richard⁴, Ebenezer², James², John¹). She was probably born in Sandwich, N. H.; there her life was spent. She married John Hackett. He was a farmer and lived in the north part of the town on the sloping side of Young Mountain. They died in Sandwich. They had a family of children, but full records are not obtained. Among their children, born Sandwich, N. H. was

356. John Hackett, Jr.⁴; lived and died in Sandwich. He m. Abigail Beau, who was b. in Sandwich. She d. in that town. Children:

1. Betsey Hackett⁷; m. James Bryer of Sandwich. She lives in N. Sandwich (1888). Children:

i. Mary Bryer²; m. Austin Richardson. 2 children: Luella Richardson²; Frederick Allen Richardson².

ii. Abbie S. Bryer²; m. Schuyler Bennett, and d. about 1862.

iii. Allen Bryer²; m. Hannah B. Fogg. Children: Clara Emma Bryer²; James Allen Bryer².

iv. James R. Bryer²; m. Rhoda-Elizabeth Bennett; 3 children: Abbie S. Bryer²; Ellen Minnie Bryer²; Effie May Bryer².

2. William Hackett⁷; m. Polly Quimby; both of Sandwich, N. H.; she died; 2 children, both deceased. He m. 2d, Lydia Martin. Children:

i. Roswell Hackett².

ii. Arvilla Hackett².

3. Elmira Hackett⁷; m. Charles Hackett; both b. and d. in Sandwich.

4. Sally Hackett⁷; d. in Sandwich; unmarried.

5. Richard Hackett⁷; lived in Sandwich; was never married, and d. in that town.

6. Abigail Hackett⁷; lived and died in Sandwich; was never married.

7. Mary Hackett⁷; m. Mr. Thrasher. Had children:

i. William Thrasher².

ii. John Thrasher².

iii. Sargent Thrasher².

iv. Lucretia Abigail Thrasher².

v. Sarah Thrasher²; who m. Mr. Hackett, and had a son named Willie Hackett².

8. John Hackett⁷; lived in Sandwich. He m. Hannah McGaffey of that town. He was b. Feb. 7, 1792, and d. March 16, 1855. She was b. Nov. 22, 1797, and d. in Sandwich, Nov. 15, 1840. Children b. Sandwich, N. H.

i. Mary Jane Hackett², b. March 31, 1815; d. Oct. 9, 1822.

ii. Lucy M. Hackett², b. April 9, 1818; d. June 18, 1844; unmarried.

iii. Albert F. Hackett², b. May 10, 1821. Res. in Sandwich; m. Susan Smith. He d. Jan. 26, 1877.

iv. Andrew McGaffey Hackett², b. Aug. 15, 1823; m. Marinda Harmon of Madison, N. H. He d. March, 1859.

v. Anson McGaffey Hackett², b. Nov. 14, 1825; d. in Sandwich May 13, 1841; unmarried.

vi. Hiram Hackett², b. Oct. 12, 1847; m. Submit Waterman of Bradford, Vt. He d. in Sandwich, Sept. 2, 1884.

vii. Mary Jane Hackett², b. Nov. 25, 1830; d. in Sandwich, Sept., 1861.

- viii. Sarah Ann Hackett³, b. May 22, 1833; m. Albert Quimby of Sandwich, where both died. Her death was in July 1863.
- ix. William Hackett³, b. July 6, 1835; d. April 2, 1841, in Sandwich.
- x. Hannah Hackett³, b. Oct. 12, 1839; d. Oct. 15, 1841.

357. Sarah Sinclair³ [115] (Richard⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). She was born probably in Sandwich, N. H., and married Amos Hill, who lived on the Red Hill road in that town. Farmer; both deceased.

CHILDREN BORN SANDWICH, N. H. (Traditionally reported.)

- 358. James Hill⁶; lived in Sandwich; farmer; he m. Ruth Brown of Moultonborough. Children:
 - 1. Laura Hill⁷.
 - 2. Amos Hill⁷.
 - 3. John Hill⁷.
 - 4. Eliza Hill⁷, d. young.
 - 5. Abbie Hill⁷.
 - 6. Oren Hill⁷.
 - 7. Josiah Hill⁷.
- 359. Sally Hill⁶; m. —; lived in Tuftonborough, N. H.
- 360. Abigail Hill⁶; m. Hills Silver; lived near Sandwich Centre. Children:
 - 1. Polly Silver⁷, m. Ambrose Hill.
 - 2. Amos Hill Silver⁷; m. —; lived in Lowell, Mass.; no children.
 - 3. Lucy Ann Silver⁷; m. Mr. Hunt of Lowell, Mass.
- 361. Eliza Hill⁶; d. single in Sandwich, N. H.
- 362. John Hill⁶; d. in Sandwich, of consumption; unmarried.
- 363. Amos Hill⁶; m. Nancy, dau. of Jonathan S. Moulton of Sandwich. Children:
 - 1. George Moulton⁷.
 - 2. Sarah Moulton⁷.
- 364. Rebecca H. Hill⁶, b. Sept. 25, 1809; d. Feb. 28, 1882; she m. Oct. 31, 1832, Robert Hill of Sandwich, who was b. Dec. 26, 1802, and d. Jan. 5, 1877. Children:
 - 1. Mary Hill⁷, b. Sept. 18, 1833; d. Sept. 19, 1833.
 - 2. Charles B. Hill⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1834; m. Sept., 1857, Harriet J. Thompson. He d. July 23, 1879. Children:
 - i. Hattie A. Hill⁸, b. Sept. 23, 1859; m. James Burrows, July, 1880. Child: James W. Burrows⁹, b. May 2, 1891.
 - ii. Sadie A. Hill⁸, b. April 18, 1870.
 - iii. Emma G. Hill⁸, b. Jan., 1879.
 - 3. John D. H. Hill⁷, b. March 1, 1836; d. March 26, 1874.
 - 4. Mary H. Hill⁷, b. May 7, 1838; d. May 22, 1838.
 - 5. Samuel A. Hill⁷, b. June 1, 1840.
 - 6. Mary A. Hill⁷, b. July 7, 1846.

365. Betsey Sinclair³ [116] (Richard⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). She was baptized in Exeter, by Rev. Woodbridge Odlin, July 25, 1762, and went as a child with her parents to Sandwich, N. H. She married Andrew, son of Josiah Bean, who lived in the north part of Sandwich, N. H. He was born June 24, 1763, at Sandwich. He was a farmer and carpenter. Was a soldier in the 1812-'15 war, and died while in the service at Burlington, Vt., in November, 1813. She died in Tuftonborough, N. H., May 1, 1851.

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366. Josiah Bean^s; soldier; died in the army in the 1812-'15 war at Bur-
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367. Andrew Bean^s; soldier in the 1812-'15 war; survived the war and had
a family. His sons, Jonathan Bean^s, Andrew Bean^s, and Silas
Bean^s, lived recently in Vermont.
368. James Bean^s; soldier; stationed at Portsmouth, N. H., in the last war
with England. He had sons: Augustine^s, and Isalah^s, who live in
Tuftonborough, N. H.; Stephen^s resides in Ossipee, N. H., and
Sewell^s lives in Newburyport, Mass. Their sisters: Louise^s,
married Joash Knapp; res. Bridgton, Me.; Elizabeth^s, married
Mr. Coffin; and Dolly^s, married Mr. Norton; and both reside in
Newburyport, Mass.
369. Jephtha Bean^s; died single.
370. A son, — Bean^s; d. —, aged about 9 months.
- 370a. Mary Bean^s; m. a Mr. Beunett.
- 370b. Betsey Bean^s; m. Mr. Bryer.
- 370c. Hannah Bean^s; m. Mr. Bryer.
- 370d. Jane Bean^s; died single.
- 370e. Dolly Bean^s; m. Mr. Wiggins.
- 370f. Lydia Bean^s; m. Mr. Bickford.
- 370g. Rev. Silas F. Bean^s, b. Oct. 3, 1807; m. Oct. 10, 1836, Ursula A.,
dau. of Joseph M. and Betsey (Cassidy) Seavey, who was b. at
Pittsfield, N. H., Aug. 20, 1818, and d. at Tuftonborough, N. H.,
Dec. 1, 1845, leaving 2 children. He m. 2d, March 15, 1848,
Mary A., dau. of Solomon and Dorcas (Hanson) Abbot, b.
Ossipee, N. H. She was b. June 26, 1823, and still lives. He
is a Baptist clergyman and has preached in many places in New
Hampshire. Resides at Melvin Village (P. O.), Tuftonborough,
N. H. Children:
1. Andrew I. Bean^s, b. Pittsfield, N. H., June 24, 1837; res. Tuf-
tonborough, N. H.; died at Dover May 7, 1857.
2. Caroline Frances Bean^s, b. Tuftonborough, N. H., June 9,
1839; m. March 24, 1861, to C. H. Shepard of Tuftonbor-
ough. He is an editor and photographer.
3. Ella A. Bean^s, b. May 5, 1850, at Tuftonborough; m. July
23, 1878, Orlando Richardson of that town; farmer.
4. Adelaide L. Bean^s, b. Tuftonborough, Nov. 4, 1852; m. March
7, 1880, Dana W. Brewster of Somerville, Mass.
5. Silas W. Bean^s, b. Jan. 10, 1855, at Tuftonborough; m. Cora
A. Bean of that place and resides there; farmer.
6. Eva M. Sinclair Bean^s, b. Tuftonborough, July 24, 1866; res.
Tuftonborough.
7. Ettie Gertrude Sinclair Bean^s, b. Tuftonborough, Sept. 9,
1869.

371. Bradbury Sinkler^s [120] (Col. Richard^s, Samuel^s, John^s,
John^s). He was born in Newmarket, N. H., March 8, 1754, and
resided in Barnstead, N. H. He was early a soldier in the Revolu-
tionary war, and by repeated enlistments was in the service the
greater part of the time until his death.

A copy of his autograph as it appeared June 18, 1777:

Bradbury Sinkler

He was in Capt. Joseph Badger's company to re-enforce the army

supposed to be at Crown Point July 23, 1776; and was a corporal in the same company and certified to Aug. 29, 1776, as a soldier in Capt. Amos Morrill's company, Col. John Stark's regiment, in the Continental Service, mustered into service July 1, 1777.

He shared in the great privations and sufferings of the American army. On the 23d of December, 1777, the army went into winter quarters at Valley Forge, about 22 miles from Philadelphia, where it remained till the following spring. The army lived in huts made of round logs, covered with earth and straw. It was during this distressing winter that this patriotic soldier of Barnstead succumbed to disease, and died in camp March 5, 1778.*

He had been married but a short time. His wife was Sarah Bunker of Barnstead, N. H. They were married by Rev. William Parsons June 26, 1777. After the death of Mr. Sinkler she was married 2d, Dec. 5, 1778, by Rev. William Parsons to Henry Tibbetts of Barnstead.

372. Lt. Richard Sinclair^a [121] (Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John², John¹). He was born in Newmarket, N. H., Oct. 6, 1756, and lived in Barnstead, N. H.

Fac-simile of his autograph in early life:

Richard Sinkler

Like his father, brothers, and all his race in this country, he possessed military spirit which found abundant scope for its exercise in the Revolutionary war, which broke forth just as he had attained young manhood's estate. He was an early participant in that struggle, and was a soldier almost continually by repeated enlistments. On July 23, 1776, he became a member of the company of Capt. Joseph Badger, Jr., raised out of Col. Joseph Badger's regiment, and commanded by Col. Joshua Wingate, "to re-enforce the American Army supposed to be at Crown Point." The term of enlistment was short, and on Aug. 29, 1776, he had been again mustered into the same company raised for service in Canada. Our army having retreated from Canada, the regiment finally joined the Northern army in New York. He was a drummer in this company. In his pension papers at Washington, D. C., it is stated that he and his company marched to Ticonderoga, was stationed awhile at Mt. Independence, and that he served in that campaign six months.

He enlisted April 23, 1777, for one year, in Col. Alexander Scammell's company, in the 3d Battalion of the New Hampshire forces. He served his term and enlisted April 23, 1779, for one year in the same company in place of John Mudgett.

*Many of the details of his military experience will be found in the sketch of Maj. Samuel Sinclair, his brother, as he was in the same company and shared in the same experiences up to the time of his death.

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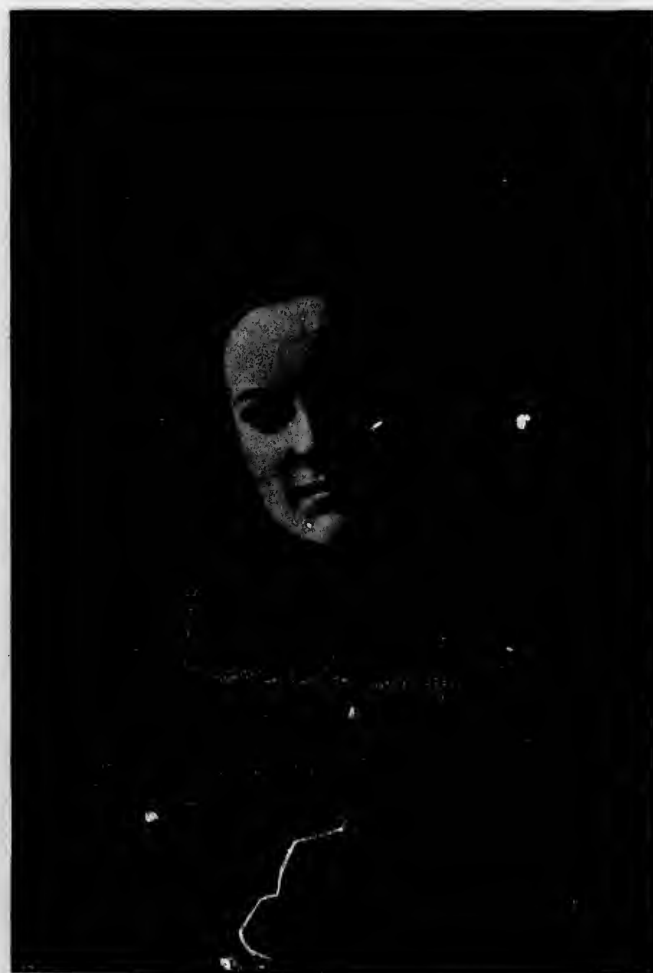
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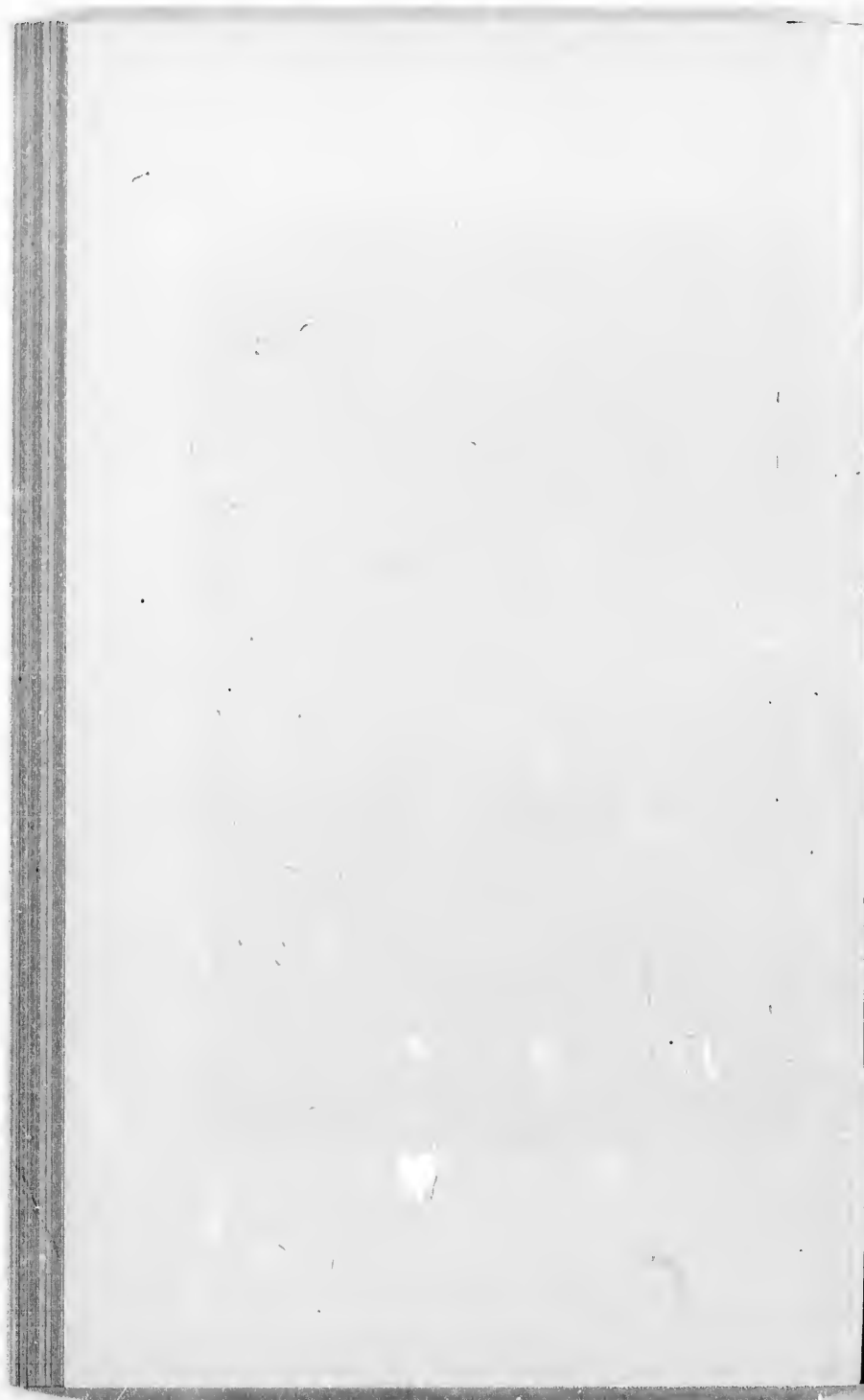
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When his term of service had expired, in 1780, his zeal was unabated, and he was still a valiant soldier and patriot despite the fatigues and perils of his campaigns. It was a time of great depression and gloom for the struggling patriots. The campaign of 1779 had been almost entirely barren of beneficial results to the Americans. The currency was depreciated. The winter of 1780 had been intensely cold, and the ill-clad, ill-fed, and unpaid American soldiers had endured untold sufferings. Yet the fires of patriotism glowed more brightly, and new sacrifices were promptly made. More men were needed and more men flocked to the standard.

The fortress of West Point, on the Hudson, was of vast importance to the National cause, and more troops were needed for its defence. New Hampshire raised and sent at least two regiments for its protection—that of Col. Moses Nichols, and that of Col. Thomas Bartlett of Nottingham. Richard Sinclair, Jr., enlisted as an ensign in this latter regiment June 29, 1780. He was in the company commanded by his father, Capt. Richard Sinkler, and went to West Point.

This was at an important period in the great struggle. Benedict Arnold became commander-in-chief of the fortress and plotted its betrayal into the hands of the English. Maj. John Andre, a British spy, visited him on the night of Sept. 21, 1780. He was arrested, tried as a spy, and executed Oct 2d, of that year. The traitor, Arnold, escaped to the English lines. Twenty-five days after the execution of Andre this company, in which was young Sinclair and his father, was discharged, and they returned to Barnstead.

This closed his highly honorable career as a soldier. No sooner was he relieved of his military duties than he resumed those of a progressive and public-spirited citizen. He served his town many years as a public officer. He was Selectman in 1781-'82, Surveyor of Highways in 1785, '86, '87, '88, and '91, Collector of Taxes 1783, '84, '85.

He signed a petition for the appointment of Capt. Charles Hodgdon as a Justice of the Peace Dec. 23, 1788. Was moderator of special town meetings Feb. 2, 1789, and Jan. 13, 1801.

He was chosen one of the town's committee Nov. 3, 1789, to settle the boundary lines between Barnstead and Barrington. Soon after he and others successfully petitioned for a higher tax upon the people, so that they might be enabled to build a bridge across the Suncook river. Was a juror May 3, 1794, and a member of a town's important committee March 31, 1795. On June 10, 1802, his cousin, Hon. Bradbury Cilley, bought land in Barnstead of him.

For \$1000, on July 1, 1802, he sold to Charles Hodgdon of Barnstead, "all his land and real estate in the town of Barnstead, together with two pews in the Northerly Meeting House in Barnstead, adjoining the Minister's pew so called, and the other write over it in the Gallery, also all my buildings and out-houses to me belonging."

The most of his kindred had left Barnstead. His brothers were in

Vermont, Maine, Pennsylvania, and New York. He had the feelings of the pioneer, the western fever was upon him, and about 1809 he left Barnstead and joined his brother, John Sinclair, who, more than ten years before, had located at or near French Creek, Penn., and which was not far distant from their brother, Samuel Sinclair of Sinclairville, N. Y. It is probable that he did not meet with the success that he anticipated, as his family did not join him.

He lived with his brother, and in 1820 left his house and started on a visit to Cincinnati. Was taken sick on the way and died in Ohio.

His wife was Elizabeth (called Betsey), daughter of Charles Hodgdon of Barnstead. They were married by Rev. William Parsons Oct. 27, 1784. She was born in Barnstead in 1762, and was a near neighbor to the Sinklers. Their home was on the Old Province Road and near her father's house. (See map of Barnstead, N. H.) She was pensioned by the government for her husband's Revolutionary services. "She was a Puritan," was much beloved, and died lamented. Her death occurred in Barnstead, N. H., in 1840, age 78 years.

CHILDREN BORN BARNSTEAD, N. H.

373. Nancy Sinclair⁶ [916], b. 1786; d. June 2, 1856. She married, Nov. 26, 1810, Obadiah Eastman; res. Dorchester, N. H.
 374. Polly Cilley Sinclair⁶ [925], b. May 2, 1789; m. July 2, 1807, Abraham Runnells Bunker of Barnstead, N. H.
 375. Charles Grandison Sinclair⁶ [935], b. May 4, 1793; m. Jan. 20, 1825, Martha G., daughter of Joseph Norris of Barnstead, N. H. (See Norris Family at the end of this book).
 376. Ellza S. Sinclair⁶, b. 1800; m. Nov. 28, 1825, William Jenkins of Barnstead, N. H. They had five children, and all but the fourth, Ellza Augusta Jenkins, died at birth; she died May 2, 1826, aged 6 months. Mrs. Jenkins died July 29, 1830.

377. Joshua Sinclair⁶ [123] (Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, James², John¹). He was born in Nottingham, N. H., April 16, 1760. When he was four years of age, his father removed to Gilmanton, where a few years of his boyhood were spent, and he was with his parents in Barnstead, N. H., in 1767, which was his home till several years after the close of the Revolutionary war.

Having inherited a large amount of military spirit, it was early developed, and found abundant room for its exercise in the stirring times in which he lived. He gave the best of his life to arduous military service in the cause of his country. He enlisted early from Barnstead, as a soldier in the Revolutionary war, and served a portion of the time in the same company and regiment with his brothers.

He was a member of the company of Capt. Joseph Badger, Jr., raised out of the regiment of militia commanded by Col. Joseph Badger, which was the 10th New Hampshire. This company was mustered into service July 23, 1776. The regiment, of which this company was a part, was under Col. Joshua Wingate of Stratham, N. H., and was raised to re-enforce the American

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In his pension papers, now on file in the Pension Office in Washington, D. C., he says that he was a nephew of Col. Joseph Cilley, and was attached to his person.

His bounty as a Continental soldier from Barnstead, was £27 13s 6d. He enlisted into the Continental army in Capt. Amos Morrill's company, Col. Joseph Cilley's regiment, and served from June 20, 1777, to June 20, 1780, and was honorably discharged at West Point, N. Y. This was the 1st N. H. regiment, and with the 2d and 3d N. H. regiments formed a brigade, was stationed at Fort Ticonderoga, on Lake Champlain, under Gen. Sullivan, where it remained till July 6, when it withdrew on the approach of the British army under Gen. John Burgoyne.

He was continuously with the regiment and shared its fatiguing marches, privations, and dangers. He was, as he says in his application for a pension, in both battles at the taking of Burgoyne in Oct. 1777. He suffered while living in the rude log huts, in which the American army passed the winter from Dec. 23, 1777, till the following spring at Valley Forge. He was with the army the following season, and was in the battle of Monmouth, on June 28, 1778. It was at this engagement that Gen. Lee, who commanded the American forces, ordered a retreat and for its nearly disastrous consequences received a sharp and stunning rebuke from Washington. Under the eye and direction of the commander-in-chief, the battle recommenced and neither the day nor honor were lost.

Sinclair shared in the campaign of General Sullivan against the Indians of the Five Nations, and was in the engagement at Newtown, now Elmira, N. Y., Aug. 29, 1779. *

After his long and arduous military service in the cause of his country, he engaged actively in the pursuits of peace. He helped to develop business enterprises which had necessarily been neglected and prostrated by the nearly eight years of war.

June 7, 1784, copy of autograph:

Joshua Sinclair

By trade he was a carpenter, and for a time lived in his boyhood home in Barnstead. He then joined his brothers, Maj. Samuel Sinclair and John Sinclair, in getting out ship timber and in operating sawmills, at Vassalboro', on the Kennebec river. This was his home

* For fuller details of his military experience, see the sketch of his brother, Maj. Samuel Sinclair, No. 388. They were in the same company and shared the same experiences and privations.

for some years. While there on Dec. 22, 1794, he married Abigail Pattee of that town. She was daughter of Capt. Ebenezer Pattee, a shipmaster, and was born Oct. 4, 1769, in Georgetown, Mass., and was "of slender constitution." They were married by Ezekiel Pattee, Esq.

Their home was afterward in Unity, Me., where he resided many years. His wife died at Bangor, Me., Dec. 5, 1847. In 1834 on the death of his nephew, Charles Grandison Sinclair, he very kindly offered to take his son, now the Hon. John G. Sinclair, and educate him, but the mother would not give up her son and the offer was declined. Immediately afterward Mr. Sinclair went West, and died in a little less than two years, Nov., 1849, at Maumee City, Ohio, where he had gone to live with his son, William Sinclair. Thus another vallant soldier of the Revolution and patriotic son of New Hampshire found a resting place in western soil.

CHILDREN.

378. George Washington Sinclair* [937], b. Vassalboro', Me., Nov. 14, 1796; res. Unity, Me.; d. there Oct. 28, 1830.
379. Abigail Sinclair*, b. Vassalboro', Me., March 26, 1798; m. Dec. 28, 1818, Thomas Bagley of Troy, Me., and d. May 19, 1829. Children:
 1. Hester Ann Bagley*; d. aged 14 yrs.
 2. Jefferson Bagley*; m. Nancy Enlth; res. in Wisconsin, and d. in War of the Rebellion; one daughter:
 - i. Ella Bagley*.
 3. Hester Bagley*; m. John Gordon; res. California; 3 daughters.
 4. William Edwin Bagley*; res. Winona, Minn.
380. William Sinclair* [942] (changed to St. Clair), b. Vassalboro', Me., May 3, 1799; physician.
381. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair* [944], b. Unity, Me., June 13, 1801; m. Celinda Bakeman.
382. Mary Sinclair* [949], b. Unity, Me., April 2, 1803; m. 1832, Alden Chandler, and d. May 3, 1841, in Freedom, Me.
383. Joshua Sinclair* [962], b. Unity, Me., July 12, 1805; d. Racine, Wis., Oct. 17, 1848.
384. Jane Sinclair*, b. Unity, Me., Feb. 19, 1807; d. aged 21 yrs.; single.
385. Elizabeth Lovejoy Sinclair*, b. Unity, Me., Aug. 23, 1809; m. in Maumee City, Ohio, Alpheus W. Boynton; removed to La Fayette, Ohio, where she died; her children died in infancy.
386. Daniel Lovejoy Sinclair*, b. Unity, Me., Jan. 18, 1811; d. May 6, 1816.
387. Dorcas Burnham Sinclair*, b. Unity, Me., March 6, 1813; she m. as his 2d wife, Alden Chandler, and d. in Marinette, Wis. (See sketch of her sister Mary, No. 949.)
388. Maj. Samuel Sinclair* [124] (Col. Richard*, Samuel*, John*, John*). He was born in Nottingham, N. H., May 10, 1762. His early life was spent in that town, in Gilmanton, and Barnstead, N. H.

Samuel Sinclair

His opportunities to acquire learning were few and his education was limited. His father was a farmer and millwright, and without question, his early life was spent in these employments, and thus he

* He and most of his descendants spelled their name Sinclear.

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The regiment was next commanded by the accomplished Col. Alexander Scammell, at one time adjutant-general of the Continental army, and who died at Williamsburg, Va., Oct. 6, 1781. It was last commanded by Col. Henry Dearborn, subsequently secretary-of-war for eight years, and a general in the last war with Great Britain.

Mr. Sinclair enlisted for three years into this regiment, in Capt. Amos Morrill's company, June 20, 1777, and was mustered into service July 1 of that year, and was then fifteen years of age.*

He was with the regiment at Fort Ticonderoga when the approach of General Burgoyne compelled the Americans to evacuate. The 1st N. H. regiment struck its tents on July 6, 1777 and marched thirty miles to Castleton, Vt. During five rainy days, the regiment continued its march to the Hudson river, being without shelter and suffering greatly for provisions. On Sept. 19, 1777, the regiment led by Colonel Cilley rendered most distinguished service in the first battle of Stillwater or Bemus's Heights. Bancroft in his account of the battle speaks highly of this regiment. In the second battle, called the Battle of Saratoga, Oct. 7, 1777, Colonel Cilley and his regiment rendered still more valiant service, and it was upon this ensanguined field that Ebenezer Sinclair fell for his country.†

Samuel Sinclair often described the awful silence that prevailed as the New Hampshire troops moved steadily up the slope toward the British grenadiers, who stood in bold relief with their bayonets glistening in the sun. His position was in the center of the company and in the front rank. The first discharge of musketry passed harmlessly over the heads of the men from the Granite State, who rushed

* His brothers, Bradbury and John Sinclair, from Barnstead, and his relative, Ebenezer Sinclair, from Weare, N. H., were in the same company. The former enlisted and were mustered in the same day and shared the campaign with him.

† See sketch of Ebenezer Sinclair.

forward and carried the eminence, after one of the most desperate encounters of the war. During the conflict Colonel Cilley drove back the enemy and captured a brass twelve pounder, and the British retook it. This cannon was five times taken and retaken during the battle. It was at length retaken by the Americans, when Colonel Cilley mounted the cannon, dedicated it to the American cause, and assisting in loading it he turned it upon the retreating enemy.

Later in the battle, at the head of his regiment, Colonel Cilley marched to intercept a force of the enemy who had advanced through the woods. Mr. Sinclair heard distinctly the words of the British officer in command to "fix bayonets and charge the rebels". Colonel Cilley's clarion voice rang out so loudly his defiant reply as to be heard by the British, "That is a game that two can play at", and resolutely ordered his men to advance and charge. Then ensued a contest which drove the British from the field, and in which Colonel Cilley was slightly wounded.

Ten days later the enemy surrendered at Saratoga, and the 1st N. H. regiment moved slowly southward, and on Nov. 21st joined the army under General Washington, at Whitemarsh, thirteen miles from Philadelphia. On Dec. 13th of that year the regiment marched to Valley Forge and took up its winter quarters. They lived in log huts covered with earth and straw. The sufferings of the regiment while at this place were intense for want of proper clothing and food, and by reason of great exposure, between forty and fifty men of this regiment died during the winter and spring and early summer following its encampment at Valley Forge. Among them was Mr. Sinclair's brother, Bradbury Sinclair, who died March 5, 1778.

In June, 1778, the army moved out of its winter quarters and occupied Philadelphia, which the British had evacuated. It pursued the enemy across New Jersey and fell in with British at Monmouth, and on the 28th of June, Mr. Sinclair with the regiment participated in the battle. The day was fearfully hot. The 1st N. H. regiment left their coats and packs at Englishtown before the fight, which gave them a great advantage over the enemy, who fought in their warm coats. Mr. Sinclair said that on that day he had seen many soldiers lying beside of a stream of water dead, from drinking too much while heated, and with not a wound upon them.

After this battle the regiment marched northward with Washington's army, crossed the Hudson and camped at White Plains, where they remained until September. On the 11th of September the 1st N. H. and other regiments moved eastward. On Dec. 2d they took up winter quarters at Reading, Conn., where they remained until April 10, 1779. Then they marched to the Highlands of the Hudson, where they remained until May 9th, when they moved on to Easton, Penn., where they arrived May 18th. They continued their march to Wyoming, Penn., the scene of the Indian massacre of the previous year. On July 31st Colonel Cilley and his regiment marched with the army of General Sullivan against the Indians in western New

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York. They reached Tloga Aug. 11th, and on the 21st of Aug. were joined by the army of James Clinton. On the 26th the forces took up their line of march through the forests of the Indian country. At Newtown, near Elmira, on Aug. 29th, they found a thousand or more Indians under the "Monstrous Brandt," and some two hundred whites under the two Butlers, and Johnson posted behind a breastwork which extended from the river to the hills. Poor's brigade, including Colonel Cilley's regiment, marched back of the hills in order to cross them and thus gain the rear of the enemy. As they ascended the hill they were fired upon by the Indians, who at the same moment gave a most hideous yell, which resounded through the forest and made the whole hillside seem to be covered with Indians. The brigade reached the top of the hill under a constant fire. The Indians fled from the hilltop and breastwork and the Americans were victorious. Mr. Sinclair was in this battle as a member of Cilley's regiment. He used to relate among other incidents of the fight, that he saw a rocky place on the bank of the river, where the Indians crossed after the battle, and some canoes which they had used, which were drenched with the blood of the wounded and dead. This circumstance is referred to, also, in Colonel Stone's life of Brandt.

In the latter years of his life Major Sinclair, when a resident of Sinclairville, often conversed with Indians who had participated in the battle. The Seneca Reservation was only a few miles distant, and parties of Indians often came to hunt and fish along the banks of the Cassadaga creek, and camped near Sinclairville. The more intelligent ones were in the habit of visiting him at his hotel, and often talked of Sullivan's march against their towns. Had this information been kept many facts of interest and importance relating to the battle would have been preserved.

After the battle the army moved forward to the Indian towns on the Genessee river, which they destroyed with their fields of corn. The Indian country was laid waste and the army returned east, arriving at Easton, Penn., Oct. 15, 1779.

In this expedition Mr. Sinclair went as far west as Painted Post, Steuben co., New York, then regarded as a waste country. Little did he dream that in a little more than thirty years, he would push one hundred miles farther into the wilderness, and found a beautiful and thriving village. Yet such was the case. After leaving Easton the army went into winter quarters Dec. 1st at a place between Danbury and Newtown, Conn. There it remained until April 6, 1780, when he, Mr. Sinclair, was honorably discharged, and was probably at West Point, N. Y., with his regiment at the time. He was then but eighteen years of age, and had had a remarkable experience for so young a soldier. He had seen three years of arduous service in a gallant and active regiment, under one of the most courageous officers in the army. Four of the Sinclairs were in the same company at the commencement of his three years' service.

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It is a remarkable fact that so many of a family or connection should be in the service. Mr. Sinclair's uncle, Col. Joseph Cilley, commanded the regiment. Perhaps a little later than his discharge his father, Capt. Richard Sinkler, and his brother, Lt. Richard Sinclair, were in Col. Thomas Bartlett's regiment and were at West Point.

The three years of service closed his active military career. He had rendered effective aid to his country, had endured hardship as a good soldier, and toward the close of his life was pensioned by the government. After his return to New Hampshire he spent some time in Barnstead and in Gilmanton, being in the latter town in 1783. He was a resident of Vassalborough, Me., in 1784, and on April 16, 1788, he purchased land there. This was on the Kennebec river, where he erected sawmills and got out masts and ship timber for market. Before 1795 he had again removed to the borders of settlement in New York and settled at Utica, intending to purchase real estate there. But real estate was rapidly enhancing in value so that he made no purchases. While at Utica he worked upon the long bridge over the Mohawk river. About 1795 he resided for a year at Cherry Valley, N. Y., which had been settled previously by people of Scotch blood from the Scotch settlements of Windham and Londouderry, N. H. He made no purchases of land there as land was too high in price, and he again "moved on." Much of Mr. Sinclair's life had been spent upon the frontier and he was accustomed to its hardships. Being an unusually strong and resolute man, familiar with the expedients of border life and skilled in all its methods, he was inclined by the habits of his life to move with the line of settlement as it extended westward.

Madison county, N. Y., lying west of Utica and Cherry Valley, prior to 1790 was an unbroken wilderness. Soon after, settlements began and Mr. Sinclair became a settler in Eaton, that county, before April 11, 1796, as he received a commission as Captain in the militia bearing that date. Subsequently, while a resident of Eaton, he was by Governor Jay commissioned as First Major of Militia and was ever after known by that title. He was a farmer while there, and owned landed estate on the Chenango river. He was a contractor for building a portion of the turnpike from Cherry Valley, N. Y., through Madison and Morrisville to Syracuse. He was owner of stock in this turnpike, and it was while fulfilling his contract that he ceased to be a citizen of Eaton. On Sept. 12, 1805, for one thousand dollars, he bought fifty-five acres of land in the village of Madison, Madison co., N. Y., and became a resident about 1806. For fourteen hundred dollars he bought, on April 30, 1807, fifty-seven more acres. He cleared this land and erected the first tavern in that village, in which he resided as long as he remained in Madison. But

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now the rich and fertile region of western New York, known as the Holland Purchase, came into market. Where now are several large cities, fifty villages, and half a million inhabitants, was then a dense wilderness of magnificent forest trees, unbroken except by the rivers and lakes, and here and there, at wide intervals, by the clearings that had been commenced by the early settlers.

The land of the Holland Purchase was offered for sale at twenty shillings per acre, while its price in Madison and the eastern counties of the state was much higher. Mr. Sinclair saw that his large family of boys in a few years would demand a wider field for their employment than his narrow possessions at Madisonville afforded. For these reasons, and a natural partiality for pioneer life, he was led to seek a home still farther in the West. Accordingly, about 1808, Mr. Sinclair journeyed through the new and unsettled region of the West to French Creek; in north-western Pennsylvania, to where his brother, John Sinclair, resided, and there purchased lands, after which he returned to Madison county. In 1809 he again travelled through the wilderness to French Creek, intending to prepare for a residence there. Finding his title to the land at French Creek to be doubtful he sold his interest in it, and in the fall of 1809 commenced his journey back to Madison. On his way he stopped at the land office at Batavia, N. Y., with a view of obtaining land at some isolated part for a mill site, somewhere within the limits of the Holland Purchase. He looked over the minutes of surveys and maps of the Holland Land Company with Joseph Ellicott, and without having personally visited the locality he determined from the height of the adjacent hills and the narrowness of the chasms through which a mill stream flowed, where it was intersected by one of the lot lines, that lot 41 (now Sinclairville), in the 4th township and 11th range of the Holland Land Company's land (now Charlotte), was the location desired, and accordingly he took an article of the whole of lot 41, consisting of 360 acres and which includes the principal part of the village of Sinclairville, and also all of lot 63, in the town of Gerry, and either then or a little later a portion of lots 64 and 65 in Gerry, and all of lot 28 in Charlotte, in all 1530 acres. He agreed to pay for these lands at the rate of twenty shillings per acre. He then returned to Madison county.

Upon Mr. Sinclair's return to Madison county he formed a partnership with William Berry of that county in the enterprise of settling and building mills upon the lands he had selected.

At the beginning of the year 1809 the whole population of Chautauque county was scarcely two thousand souls. A wilderness covered its entire extent, broken only by the improvements that the few settlers had made, which consisted of isolated clearings, each generally of a few acres in extent, scattered at long intervals from the Cattaraugus creek to the Pennsylvania line, and nearly all of them within four or five miles of the shore of Lake Erie. Settlement had been made at Mayville, and a few settlers had established themselves upon the shores

of Chatauqua Lake, and along Chatauqua Outlet and Conewango creek. The streams through the county were unbridged; the roads were but wilderness paths, little better than Indian trails. As yet no one had ventured to break away from the settlements that were slowly gathering in the northern and more acceptable parts of the county, to penetrate into the woods that then covered its interior. In April, 1809, was commenced a small settlement south of the ridge in the northwestern part of the town of Charlotte; and one a little later in the same season at Charlotte Centre.

Mr. Berry, in pursuance of the arrangement he had made with Major Sinclair, came to Chatauqua county in November of that year and pushed four miles further into the woods south of the Pickett settlement, three miles beyond Charlotte Centre, to the land selected by Mr. Sinclair, and in three days erected the body of a log house; and then Berry, the same fall, returned to Madison county.

Late in the day in the month of March, 1810, Mr. Sinclair, and his son John, and his hired men, and William Berry and his wife, and two children, arrived at the log house built the fall before. They shoveled away the snow from a large birch log and built a rousing fire against it. They then constructed a wigwam, and placed in it and over it plenty of hemlock brush, and, notwithstanding the snow was quite deep, passed a comfortable, yet novel, night. This wigwam they occupied for two days and nights until the log houses were sufficiently prepared to be occupied. The house was the first built in Sinclairville. In it the first schools and first religious meeting of the town were held. During the summer Major Sinclair erected a saw-mill. He then returned to Madison county. Sept. 19, 1810, Major Sinclair, his wife, and family, consisting in all of ten persons, left Madison for Chatauqua county. The family and their goods were carried in five covered wagons, with water pails and tar buckets dangling from their axletrees. They passed over the Cherry Valley turnpike, a leading highway of travel in those days. They crossed the Cayuga lake in a ferry-boat, and traveled over bad roads to Buffalo, then a small settlement of thirty or forty houses and less than two hundred inhabitants. This was before it was burned by the British. From Buffalo they followed the shore of the lake to Cattaraugus creek, passing around the "points" or capes that extend into it. They arrived at Richard William's log tavern in Canadaway, now Fredonia, Oct. 10, 1810. They stopped on their way to measure the great walnut tree at Silver creek, and to view the burning springs at Fredonia. At Fredonia the family remained a week, until a woods road could be cut, by men employed by Mr. Sinclair, fifteen miles through an almost unbroken forest to Sinclairville. This was the first wagon road constructed into the central part of the county. When the road was completed the family resumed its journey and arrived at Sinclairville Oct. 22, 1810. The members of his family, that so came with him from Madison, consisted of his children, Samuel, David, Joseph, Sally, and Nancy Sinclair; his

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In 1811 Mr. Sinclair built a frame gristmill. That year the 4th of July was duly observed, and Mr. Sinclair entertained all the people that could be gathered at a dinner prepared by him. So many actual settlers had taken up land by the close of 1811, in the central part of the county, that a new town was organized on the 1st of June, 1812. It was twelve miles square, and composed of four of the present towns of the county, including the town of Charlotte. At a meeting held at the house of Othello Church for the purpose of giving it a name many favored calling it Sinclair, after Major Sinclair, but it was finally decided to name it Gerry, after Elbridge Gerry, who was that fall elected Vice-President of the United States. At the first town-meeting of his town, held in April, 1813, Mr. Sinclair was elected its first supervisor. He was subsequently repeatedly elected, and served in all six terms as supervisor of the old town of Gerry.

After its first settlement, and until the last war with England, Sinclairville and the adjacent country rapidly increased in population. During the war it steadily decreased. A few settlers came but more went away; some on account of apprehended danger from the Indians, and others to go onto the lines as soldiers and camp-followers. The return of peace did not bring prosperity or increase of the population. The progress of the settlement was slow until the completion of the Erie canal, in 1825, when business revived, and the population again rapidly increased. During all these years, until his death in 1827, Major Sinclair was the leading and most influential citizen of the central part of the county. He brought with him \$6000 or \$7000, a very large sum for that early day, which he expended in erecting mills and dwellings, and laying the foundation of the village which he had commenced. He was active in furthering the settlement of this part of the county. He drew hither many strangers and assisted them in selecting locations, erecting log houses, and starting them in their new homes. He possessed great physical strength and resolution, and was a natural leader among his fellow men. His integrity and sense of justice, his good judgment

and experience in frontier life, made him a much respected and influential citizen in his part of the county.

Judge James Prendergast was in those days the leading citizen in the south part of the county. Major Sinclair became the founder of Sinclairville about the same time that Judge Prendergast founded Jamestown. They often served upon the board of supervisors together, and were personal as well as political friends.

The settlement of Sinclairville was commenced a little before that of Jamestown. The former in the early spring, and the latter in the fall of 1810. Sinclairville continued thereafter to be the principal settlement between Jamestown and Fredonia and in the central part of the county, and Mr. Sinclair until his death was its principal citizen. It was designated in the life time of Mr. Sinclair as the "Major's" or "Major Sinclair's." At his decease in 1827, by common consent, it began to be called Sinclairville.

Lapse of years did not efface the memories of the war of Independence and of his experience as a youthful soldier, yet Major Sinclair had few words for his own achievement. He had great contempt for one that would boast of his own exploits. He took pleasure, however, to have his comrades, the soldiers of the Revolution, of whom there remained quite a number, visit him at his tavern, where they often gathered to relate their experience and recount their adventures.

LaFayette, in his tour through the United States, passed through Chautauqua county, and arrived at Fredonia June 4th, 1825, where the people had gathered in great numbers to welcome and honor him. His arrival was at night, and the village was brilliantly illuminated. He sat down to an entertainment prepared with much taste for a frontier village. He first received the ladies and citizens, and finally the soldiers of the Revolution. After remaining several hours at Fredonia he was escorted by the military, and followed by a large concourse of ladies and citizens in carriages and on horseback, to Dunkirk, where he embarked amid firing of cannon and other demonstrations upon the steam barge *Superior*, for Buffalo. The Revolutionary soldiers in considerable numbers came to greet him. Among their number was Major Sinclair, who filled an important part on that occasion.

Mr. Sinclair was made a Master Mason in Madison county about the year 1805 or 1806, and subsequently a Royal Arch Mason. The lodge of which he was a member was held at his inn in Madison, county village. It is related that in April, 1807, Hitchcock who was a Master Mason, and a member of that lodge, murdered his wife by poison. That she was buried before the fact was known. That at the urgent request of Major Sinclair a committee was appointed by the lodge for the purpose of thoroughly investigating the grounds for the suspicion that began to exist against him. The vigilance of the lodge resulted in the arrest of Hitchcock, his trial, conviction, and execution.

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In 1823 Sylvan lodge of Sinclairville was organized with Major Sinclair as its Master. He was succeeded by James Schoffield, the grandfather of Lt.-Gen. John McAllister Schoffield, whose birthplace was within a few rods of the corporation boundary of the village.

By reason of the Anti-Masonic feeling existing in western New York, the lodge in a few years was compelled to surrender its charter. Major Sinclair died Feb. 8, 1827, and was buried with Masonic honors. All the members of the order there, and many leading members from abroad, were present at his burial, notwithstanding this occurred when the excitement against Masonry was at its height, the esteem for Major Sinclair was such, and the ceremonies were so conducted, as to cause them to be well received, and to leave a favorable impression upon those present. Respect for Major Sinclair drew many to the funeral. He was buried upon ground which he had himself donated to the public for burial purposes, and which afterwards grew into a most beautiful cemetery. His grave there occupies a conspicuous place, and is marked by a headstone cut from the native stone of the county, appropriately and gracefully carved and lettered.

Major Sinclair was described by a citizen of an adjoining town, who knew him well, as having a commanding presence, being six feet high, with a well balanced head, black hair and eyes, a well formed nose, a round chin, full lips, and a mouth of medium size, weight about 225 pounds. His voice was full and loud and when he spoke always commanded attention. His utterance was rapid, but always to the purpose. His face was fair and full, and in the prime of life he was a perfect man in form and feature. He possessed great strength and resolution, and was a natural leader among his fellows. He was one of nature's noblemen and his children, both by his first wife and the second, inherited largely of his physical, moral, and mental qualities. In politics Major Sinclair was a Federalist. He was a Revolutionary pensioner. His long familiarity and rough experience in frontier life, his integrity and sound judgment, made him a respected and influential citizen, and enabled him to contribute much to the settlement of that part of the county. He drew hither many early settlers, assisted them in selecting locations, in raising their log cabins, and starting them in their wilderness homes.

He married at Vassalboro', Me., Feb. 8, 1785, Sally Perkins, who was born May 19, 1768, and died in Eaton, N. Y., May 14, 1804, and was buried there; and she was the mother of ten children. He married 2d, March 14, 1805, Mrs. Fanny (Bigalow) Edson*.

*For the main facts, and oftentimes the language in the sketch of Major Sinclair, and all of the historical matter relating to Sinclairville, N. Y., I am indebted to Hon. Obed Edson of Sinclairville, a thorough historian, writer, and investigator, who placed all of his valuable memoranda relating to Major Sinclair and his descendants at my disposal.

THE EDSONS.

March 14, 1805, in the town of Eaton, Madison co., N. Y., Mr. Sinclair was married to Fanny, the widow of Obed Edson. Her maiden name was Fanny Bigalow, a daughter of Ellsha Bigalow, a soldier in the Revo-

who was, by her 2d marriage, the mother of seven children. She died at Sinclairville, N. Y., Jan. 12, 1852. He died there Feb. 8, 1827. His funeral was attended by almost the entire population, for the town had lost its most respected citizen. The exercises were conducted according to the Masonic ritual. Sixty years have passed away since the death of Major Sinclair, yet his memory is held in much respect and the incidents of his life and the circumstances of the settlement he founded are fresh in the memories of the people. In the charming village of Sinclairville, on an elevated plateau, is the Evergreen cemetery. The protecting hills surround it, adown a sharp, steep wooded declivity of more than a hundred feet, at one of its sides, a river rushes madly along, and its turbulent waters chant continually the requiem of the dead. In that cemetery, in a well marked and conspicuous place, is the grave of Maj. Samuel Sinclair. There the patriotic soldier, hardy pioneer, faithful and public spirited citizen rests till the great awakening.

Engraved upon the top of his tombstone is the open Bible, with the square and compass and other Masonic emblems, and beneath is this inscription;

"How lov'd, how valu'd once avails thee not,
To whom related, or by whom begot;
A heap of Dust alone remains of thee,
'T is all thou art, and all the proud shall be."

lution. She was born at Colchester, Conn., April 7, 1777, and died in Sinclairville, Jan. 12, 1852. She married Obed Edson in Otsego co., N. Y. He was a descendant of the fifth generation of Samuel Edson, who was born in England in 1612, came to Salem, Mass., in 1638 or 1639, and afterwards became an original proprietor and first settler of Bridgewater, Plymouth co., Mass. Obed Edson died in Eaton, Madison co., N. Y., 1804.

The children of Obed and Fanny Edson were:

(1.) Obed, who was born in Otsego co., N. Y., Sept. 11, 1796, was a member of the legislature of Pa.; a canal receiver at Johnstown, Pa.; at one time a judge of Warren co., Pa., and later of Pulaski co., Ill. He died at Villa Bridge, Ill., Sept. 9, 1877.

(2.) John M. Edson, who was born at Eaton, N. Y., July 30, 1801, came with the family of Major Sinclair to Sinclairville, N. Y., in 1810. He was prominent among the early settlers of that locality. He became a judge, and held other prominent public positions, and was until his decease a leading and much respected citizen of Chautauqua county. His relationship and intimate acquaintance with Major Sinclair made him familiar with his history. From him the principal facts of Mr. Sinclair's life have been obtained. Mr. Edson died in Sinclairville, Aug. 21, 1885.

Hon. Obed Edson of Sinclairville is his son. Mr. Edson was born Sinclairville, Feb. 18, 1832; admitted to the bar April 8, 1853. He is a prominent lawyer; was a member of the Assembly of New York in 1874, and is a highly respected citizen. He is greatly interested in antiquarian researches; has prepared valuable historical matter for the press, and it is to him that I am greatly indebted for much of the valuable history of Major Samuel Sinclair and his descendants. He married May 11, 1859, Emily A., daughter of Hon. C. J. Allen, at one time mayor of New London, Conn.; she was born in New London, Conn., Nov. 27, 1835; she is an intelligent, and interesting lady, and devoted wife and mother. Their children are:

1. Fanny A. Edson, b. April 28, 1860; m. John A. Love; res. in Sinclairville, N. Y.
2. John M. Edson, b. Sept. 29, 1861; editor; res. Salome, Washington.
3. Walter H. Edson, b. Jan. 8, 1874.

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389. Molly Sinclair² [963], b. April 19, 1786, at Vassalboro', Me.; m. Elijah Haswell.
390. John Sinclair² [967], b. Jan. 26, 1788, in Vassalboro', Me.; m. Betsey Lee; he died in Gerry, N. Y., April 27, 1804.
391. Solomon Sinclair², b. Aug. 6, 1789; d. aged 10 years.
392. Sally Sinclair², b. May 5, 1791; d. Oct. 6, 1792.
393. Sophy Sinclair², b. March 30, 1793; m. Mr. Ward, and died in Iowa in 1866.
394. Samuel Sinclair², b. July 15, 1794; d. and was buried Aug. 6, 1794.
395. Sally Sinclair² [974], b. Madison, N. Y., Dec. 20, 1795; she m. William Barrows and died at Hastings, Minn., Nov. 10, 1887.
396. Richard Sinclair², b. in Eaton, N. Y., May 21, 1799; d. and was buried Jan. 17, 1802.
397. Samuel Sinclair² [985], b. Eaton, N. Y., Aug. 14, 1801; d. in Kinzua, Warren co., Penn., Oct. 22, 1848.
398. Agnes Sinclair², b. Eaton, N. Y., Sept. 3, 1803, and died in 1803.
399. Nancy Sinclair² [993], b. Madison, Madison co., N. Y., Jan. 24, 1806; m. Mr. Putnam; died in Sinclairville, N. Y., Sept. 6, 1855.
400. David Bigalow Sinclair² [997], b. Madison, N. Y., March 10, 1807; d. Oct. 8, 1879.
401. Joseph Sinclair² [1000], b. Madison, N. Y., March 15, 1809; died at Ft. Wayne, Ind., of cholera, Sept. 7, 1854.
402. George Washington Sinclair² [1007], b. at Sinclairville, N. Y., July 4, 1811; res. at Sinclairville, N. Y., in 1889.
403. Orinda Sinclair² [1011], b. Sinclairville, N. Y., May 10, 1813; m. Dr. Charles Parker and died at Maryville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., July 28, 1846.
404. Virtue Elvira Sinclair² [1017], b. Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Feb. 3, 1816; m. May 6, 1835, Chester Cole; res. Hillsdale, Mich.
405. Hiram Sinclair², b. Sinclairville, N. Y., Aug. 29, 1817; d. March 15, 1818.

406. John Sinclair² [125] (Col. Richard², Samuel², John², John¹).

John Sinclair

He was born in Gilmanton, N. H., Jan. 13, 1763. Went to Barnstead, in the same state, with his parents when four years of age. On March 11, 1788, he received a deed of a one-hundred acre lot with a sawmill, it being lot 98, 2d division, from his father, "in consideration of love and good will that I bear to him." He sold one-eighth part of Sinclair's sawmill in Barnstead October, 1791. Barnstead was his home in 1792. During this time he had temporarily been a resident of Maine, and was probably associated in business at Vassalboro' with his brother, Maj. Samuel Sinclair, later of Sinclairville, N. Y. He married May 13, 1785, Abigail Clark, born in Hallowell, Me., July 31, 1768. At the age of thirty years, in 1793, he located in Danville, Vt., then a comparatively new place, and where others of his family also lived. By trade he was a ship-builder and millwright, and so was drawn to new settlements where mills were to be erected and operated and lumber made suitable for human use. In Danville, Vt., he lived till about 1799, when he lived at Black River, Jefferson co., N. Y., which is south of Utica and

near Watertown. In 1803 he was living at Harbor Creek, Penn., near Erie, where his stay was short. In 1805 he was a resident of Rockdale, Penn., which was his home for a number of years. Then he located in Perry, Ohio, and owned the farm in 1889 the property of Mrs. Lucy Coolidge.

In his old age he followed his children to new settlements in the West. His death occurred Nov. 4, 1845, of consumption, at Frederick, Ill. Mrs. Sinclair died of bilious fever at Calhoun, Ill., Aug. 22, 1838.

Mr. Sinclair was large in size, rather more than medium in height. His complexion was dark, with black hair and eyes. His mental qualities were acute, and he possessed fine feelings and a generous heart.

CHILDREN.

407. Sally Sinclair^a, b. Barnstead, N. H., June 22, 1786; m. Calvin Snell. They lived and died in Perry, Ohio. Among their children were Nabby Snell^a, Sally Snell^a, Jane Snell^a, Calvin Snell^a. Andrus Snell of Parisville, Ohio, is reputed to be a descendant.
408. Bradbury Sinclair^a, b. Barnstead, N. H., July 2, 1788; died at Marietta, Ill., July, 1857.
409. John Sinclair, Jr.^a, b. Barnstead, N. H., Dec. 2, 1790; d. Jan. 5, 1822, at Perry, Ohio, of consumption, aged 32 yrs. 1 mo. 4 days. He was a soldier in the 1812 war.
410. David Sinclair^a, b. Barnstead, N. H., Oct. 19, 1792. Soldier in the 1812-'15 war.
411. Leonard Sinclair^a, b. Danville, Vt., Jan. 20, 1793. He married Sarah St. John; was carpenter and farmer; d. Dec. 29, 1876, at the village of Northport, Meekwa. Waupaca co., Wis.
412. Abigail Sinclair^a, b. Danville, Vt., Oct. 25, 1798; m. Mr. Casper; res. Sauk co., Wis.; Samuel Casper, Strong's Prairie, Adams co., Wis., is her son.
413. Samuel Sinclair^a, b. Black River, Jefferson co., N. Y., Feb. 17, 1801; was drowned at Rockdale, Penn., May 28, 1804, aged 3 yrs. 3 mos. 11 days.
414. Joshua Sinclair^a [1022], b. Feb. 26, 1802, Harbor Creek, Erie co., Penn.; d. April 21, 1835, Summit, Sauk co., Wis. He married Rhoda Moore; carpenter and farmer.
415. Prudence Sinclair^a, b. Rockdale, Penn., Dec. 29, 1805; m. Mr. Kibbie; m. 2d Mr. Lord.
416. Joseph Sinclair^a, b. Rockdale, Penn., Oct. 22, 1807; d. April 16, 1867, Summit, Sauk co., Wis.; carpenter and farmer.
417. Daniel Sinclair^a, b. Rockdale, Penn., March 28, 1811.
418. Molly Sinclair^a, b. Rockdale, Penn., April 3, 1813; m. Jefferson Rice; resided at Frederick, Ill. He died there of consumption March 27, 1855. She married 2d Col. Wilcox, now deceased. Two children by 1st marriage: Edwin Rice^a, a Congregational clergyman; name of other not known. By 2d marriage a daughter; name not known.

419. Joseph Sinclair^a [127] (Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). He was born in Gilmanton, N. H., April 9, 1766, and lived there till 1794, when he moved to Danville, Vt., then a comparatively new settlement. He owned a large and highly productive farm, on which was a large two-story house, and situated two miles

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distant from the pleasing and interesting locality, known as Danville Green. That was his home until 1826, when he located in the neighboring town of Peacham, Vt., and two years later, 1828, he and his family returned to Perry, Lake co., Ohio, where his brother John had previously located.

He lived on a farm on the North Ridge, owned in 1889, by Henry and John Childs, and occupied by Leo Parmley. This he deeded to his son, Milton Sinclair, with whom he died. He was a visitor at his old home in Danville, Vt., Oct. 21, 1839. He was an ardent Whig in politics. He was an industrious, honest man, and acquired considerable property. In his mental movement he was quick at a retort, sharp and incisive in statement, and had much genuine wit. In physique he was 5 ft. 10½ in. in height, weighed 150 pounds, had auburn hair and fair complexion. He was strong, very muscular, and could endure great hardships. He died in his 80th year, May 12, 1845, and at Perry is buried at the village cemetery, that beautiful "City of the Dead."

The name of his wife previous to marriage was Olive Colbath, daughter of Benjamin and Polly (Bickford) Colbath.* She was born Aug. 6, 1766, and died in Perry, Ohio, Oct. 20, 1838, at 72 yrs. 2 mos. 14 days. They were married in Barnstead, N. H., Jan. 15, 1789. She rests beside her husband in the cemetery in Perry, Ohio, and on the tombstone above her are these words:

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord,
from henceforth: Yea saith the Spirit, that
they may rest from their labors; and their
works do follow them."—Rev. xiv, 13.

CHILDREN.

420. Joseph Sinclair² [1031], b. Barnstead, N. H., Oct. 15, 1789; d. Sioux City, Iowa.
421. Sally Sinclair², b. Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 11, 1791; d. Sept. 1, 1791.
422. Betsey Sinclair², b. Barnstead, N. H., June 19, 1792; d. Dec. 31, 1810.
423. Greenleaf Cilley Sinclair² [1035], b. Danville, Vt., Dec. 8, 1794; d. Perry, Ohio, Sept. 19, 1876.
424. Betsey Sinclair², b. Danville, Vt.; d. there when a young woman.

* As appears upon an old record, his children were as follows:

Bridal Colbath.
Temperance Colbath, m. Solomon Davis.
Winthrop Colbath, m. Sally Sinclair.
John Colbath, m. Nancy Eastman.
Lemuel Colbath.
Downing Colbath.
Dependence Colbath.
Betsey Colbath, m. Matthias Nutter.
Olive Colbath, m. Joseph Sinclair.
Sally Colbath, m. Joseph Agely (?).
Statira Colbath, m. Eli or Ebenezer Clark.
Polly Colbath.

This name is found also spelled Coldbroth, Colbroth, and Colboth.

425. Statira Sinclair^a, b. Danville, Vt., Dec. 22, 1796; removed to Perry, Ohio. She m. Mr. McDowell and d. in Ashtabula, Ohio, March 7, 1832; no living children. They lived at one time in Vienna, Trumbull co., Ohio.
426. Roxanna Sinclair^a [1041], b. Sept. 13, 1798; in Danville, Vt.; m. Asa Glines.
427. Milton Sinclair^a [1055], b. Danville, Vt., July 11, 1800; d. at Perry, Ohio, Oct. 6, 1852.
428. Sarah Sinclair^a [1064], b. Danville, Vt., March 10, 1802; m. Stephen B. Glines; res. Perry, Ohio.
429. Olive Sinclair^a [1071], b. Jan. 5, 1804, Danville, Vt.; m. Sept. 15, 1833, Amherst Coll; res. Perry, Ohio.
430. Arlt Sinclair^a, b. Danville, Vt., April 5, 1806; was a farmer; lived in Perry, Ohio; was an excellent man and very much beloved. He d. Jan. 23, 1836; single.
431. Elizabeth B. Sinclair^a [1078], b. Danville, Vt., March 10, 1811; m. Carlos Norris; res. Perry, Ohio.

432. David Sinclair^a [128] (Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). He was born at Barnstead, N. H., Jan. 3, 1770. His early years were spent in Barnstead and vicinity, then he followed relatives to Vermont and located in Danville, March 4, 1796, where he lived till about 1816, when he moved to the state of New York. He moved to Leroy, Genesee co., N. Y., in 1816, resided there a year and a half and located in Perry, Lake co., Ohio, in 1818, where he ended his days. He once started to visit his brother, Maj. Samuel Sinclair, at Sinclairville, N. Y., and went as far as Westfield, when the wildness of the country impressed him so unfavorably that he turned about in disgust and went in another direction saying that "Samuel would starve to death in such a detestable country." It was then a dense wilderness, heavily wooded, with no openings save Indian trails, an occasional road, and the rushing rivers which flowed through the primeval forests.

After locating in Perry, Ohio, he kept a hotel, and owned a large farm. He was a fine marksman, a great hunter, kept hounds, and many were the deer that he successfully hunted. When above eighty years of age he would follow a fox all day, and usually with success. In personal appearance he was a tall, large, bony, and muscular man, and of great strength, resolution, and fortitude. He was prompt in business and honorable in his dealings with his fellows, and blunt and brusque in his manners. His death occurred in Perry, Ohio., May 20, 1853, aged 83 yrs., and he is buried in the attractive cemetery in that town.

His wife was Sally Batchelder of Barnstead, N. H., where she was born March 12, 1775. They lived in Barnstead till 1794, and they were married in that town Feb. 5, 1795. Mrs. Sinclair was an excellent woman, a member of the church, and performed with fidelity the duties of her life. She died in Perry, Sept. 27, 1849, aged 75 yrs.

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433. Prentice Sinclair^a [1084], b. Danville, Vt., March 24, 1796; res. Perry, Ohio.

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434. Eunice Sinclair^s, b. July 16, 1797, in Danville, Vt.; d. June 4, 1803.
 435. Polly Sinclair^s, b. Danville, Vt., July 26, 1799; d. Aug. 22, 1802.
 436. Calvin Sinclair^s [1088], b. Danville, Vt., April 13, 1802; d. in Perry, Ohio, March 21, 1852.
 437. Sally Sinclair^s, b. Danville, Vt., May 22, 1804; d. April 30, 1807.
 438. Betsey Sinclair^s [1004], b. Danville, Vt., June 3, 1800; m. Feb. 27, 1827, Elisha Coltran.
 439. Nancy Sinclair^s [1006], b. Danville, Vt., Nov. 14, 1808; removed to Ohio with her parents.
 440. Dolly Sinclair^s [1101], b. Danville, Vt., Feb. 10, 1811; m. Feb. 27, 1845; Daniel Parinly, and d. Perry, Ohio, July 17, 1887.
 441. Sarah Sinclair^s, b. Danville, Vt., Feb. 3, 1813; she m. Samuel Wortman, and lived in Bronson, Branch co., Mich., where she d. Jan. 5, 1845. They had two children who d. young.
 442. David Sinclair^s [1107], b. Danville, Vt., June 4, 1815; d. in Kingston, Adams co., Neb., April 13, 1881.
 443. Polly Sinclair^s [1114], b. LeRoy, Genesee co., N. Y., Oct. 17, 1817; she m. Benjamin Wolverton, and res. on Mentor ave., Painesville, Ohio.
 444. Eunice Sinclair^s, b. Perry, Ohio, March 21, 1820; m. April 20, 1852, Lynnan Durand. They resided in Mentor, Ohio, and he d. in Painesville, Ohio, July 12, 1874; she res. on Jackson street, of that town, in 1889. Child:
 1. Charles Durand^s, b. Mentor, Ohio, Feb. 27, 1858; is an insurance agent; res. Painesville, Ohio; single.

445. Nathaniel Sinclair^s [132] (Benjamin^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Meredith, N. H., Sept. 19, 1773. His wife was Sarah, daughter of Benjamin and Rebecca (Pike) Pease of Meredith, who was born in Newmarket, N. H., May 2, 1770. They were married at Meredith March 2, 1795. He lived in Greensborough, Vt., and in the adjoining town of Hardwick, being in the latter place about 1793. Was in Greensborough in 1801, and on June 3, 1805, he and his wife deeded away all right to the homestead farm of her father, Benjamin Pease, in Meredith, N. H., to Simeon Pease; in Stanstead, Canada, in 1808, where they resided several years. In 1813 he was in Danville, Vt. Later, on the 24th of August, 1813, he leased a farm in Hardwick for fifteen years and resided there in 1829. He died in Woodstock, Vt., July 2, 1843, aged 69 yrs. 9 mos. 13 days. She died in Hardwick, Vt., Jan. 24, 1844, aged 73 yrs. 8 mos. 22 days.

CHILDREN.

446. Anna Sinclair^s, b. Hardwick, Vt., Dec. 27, 1796; m. Allen Gardner. They resided in Cincinnati, Ohio, then removed to Liberty, Ill., where they died. No children.
 447. Simeon Pease Sinclair^s [1118], b. Hardwick, Vt., Dec. 17, 1797; m. Sally Bugbee and died there Dec. 8, 1874.
 448. Hannah Sinclair^s, b. Hardwick, Vt., May 6, 1799; she married Mr. Bugbee and lived in Vermont. Late in life she removed to Waukesha, Wis., where she died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Sophronia Ayer.
 449. Nathaniel Sinclair, Jr.^s [1126], b. Greensborough, Vt., May 10, 1801; d. Canton, Mass., Jan. 11, 1874.
 450. Benjamin Sinclair^s, b. Greensborough, Vt., Oct. 15, 1802; d. Stanstead, Canada, April 21, 1812.

451. Stephen A. Sinclair¹ [1133], b. Greensborough, Vt., Jan. 8, 1804; m. Celia P. Briggs of China, Me., June 10, 1830, and died in Taunton, Mass., Jan. 7, 1882.
452. Sophronia Sinclair¹ [1136], b. Greensborough, Vt., March 27, 1805.
453. Robert Sinclair¹, b. Greensborough, Vt., Dec. 2, 1807; d. Stanstead, Canada, April 25, 1808.
454. Amos S. Sinclair¹ [1142], b. Stanstead, Canada, Feb. 14, 1800; died at Scituate, R. I., Feb. 18, 1858.
455. Richard M. Sinclair¹, b. Stanstead, Canada, Aug. 13, 1810. He married, and died in Lowell, Mass., about four weeks later, Oct. 30, 1835, in his 26th year.
456. William C. B. Sinclair¹, b. Stanstead, Canada, Feb. 7, 1812; d. May 20, 1835. Single.

457. Benjamin Sinclair² [135] (Benjamin², Thomas², Joseph², James², John²). He was born in Meredith, N. H., Jan. 28, 1778; died May 15, 1840, aged 61 yrs. 8 mos. 22 days, and is buried in the cemetery at Levant, Me. Was married by Rev. Jacob Abbot of Hampton Falls, N. H., at that place to Polly, daughter of Jonathan and Rhoda (Tilton) Cram, Jr., of that town, Sept. 5, 1805. She died Dec. 21, 1833, aged 45 yrs. 2 mos. 22 days. She was born February, 1787. He was a farmer; left Hampton Falls and settled in Monmouth, Me., where there were some of his Sinclair relatives; then removed to Levant, Me., where he lived till his death.

CHILDREN.

458. Jonathan Cram Sinclair², b. Hampton Falls, N. H. He married Mary Stockbridge of Corinth, Me., and had two children. He died in California.
459. Joseph Porter Sinclair², b. Oct. 28, 1811, in Monmouth, Me. He married Belinda Drew of Exeter, Me., who died June 25, 1868. He married 2d, in 1870, Emily Hodgdon of Kenduskeag, Me. He died at the latter place May 20, 1874, aged 61 yrs. 6 mos. 27 days. His wife resided in Kenduskeag, Me. No children.
460. Caroline Tilton Sinclair² [1145], born in Monmouth, Me., Jan. 8, 1813; m. William Higgins.
461. Mary Ann True Sinclair², b. Monmouth, Me., Jan. 4, 1817; died in Lowell, Mass.; single.
462. Rhoda Cram Sinclair², b. Monmouth, Me., March 8, 1821; m. Royal W. Clark. They lived in Levant, Me., and resided, 1888, in Jefferson, Wis. No children.
463. Benjamin Woodbury Sinclair², b. Levant, Me., Aug. 4, 1826; died at Snohomish, Washington Territory, leaving a wife and children.
464. Elbridge Augustus Sinclair², b. Dec. 10, 1828, in Levant, Me.; died in Savannah, Ga., leaving a widow and children.

465. Enoch St. Clair² [138] (Benjamin², Thomas², Joseph², James², John²). He was born Sept. 1, 1790, in Meredith, N. H., and in his infancy was taken to Hardwick, Vt., where they had located. He early attracted the attention of Mrs. Amos Blanchard, the wife of a well-to-do farmer, and his parents reluctantly consented to her urgent request that the child should be a member of her family, which no child faces had ever come to brighten. Time moved on, the child became a young man and a teacher. He had a love for

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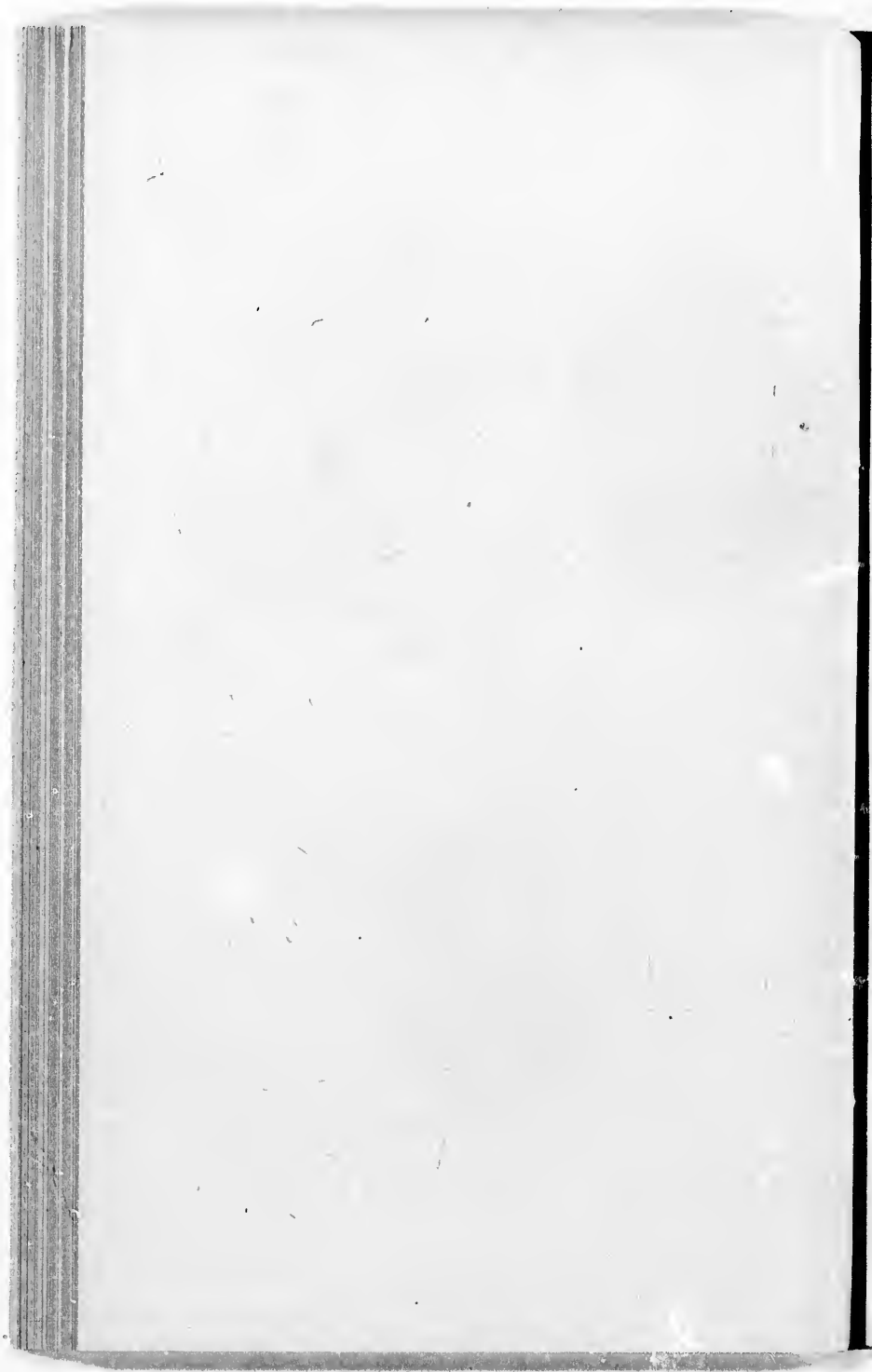
ENOCH ST. CLAIR.



HULDA (TOWNSEND) ST. CLAIR.



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books, and a retentive memory, and became conversant with every volume in the district and town libraries to which he had access, and ancient and modern history found in him an apt student.

It was a Presbyterian community and the catechism was early committed to memory, and the Sabbath was observed with great rigidity. If a person was absent from church, the sharp nosed deacon usually called upon the delinquent on Monday morning, and if aught but sickness occasioned his absence a severe reprimand was given, and a promise required that the offence would not be repeated.

His twenty-first birthday came at length, and donning his "freedom suit", and taking the usual one hundred dollars, he and his brother Asa started for the then West. Stopping only a short time at Sackett's Harbor, he then went to Concord, Erie co., N. Y., purchased a farm, upon which he worked in the summer seasons, and taught school in the winters. He then became a blacksmith. Meanwhile, on the 9th of December, 1816, he married Huldah Townsend, who was born in New Salem, Mass., Dec. 15, 1797*.

With her he set sail upon the sometime uncertain sea of matrimonial life, but a prosperous voyage awaited them. There their children were born and all were educated for teachers. After a thirty-three years' residence in New York he was struck with the western fever and again emigrated, this time to Hartland, McHenry co., Ill., and employed himself as a farmer and mechanic, where he lived eighteen years, also in Revere, Iowa. In 1863, being no longer able to perform any kind of labor, and wishing to be with his only son, he joined him at Hampton, Franklin co., Iowa, where he died ten years later, April 3, 1873, and is resting in the pleasant cemetery in that town. He was always deeply interested in national affairs, was a Whig, and then a Republican in politics. Mrs. Sinclair lived in New Salem, Mass., till she was fifteen years of age, when she accompanied her parents to Erie co., N. Y. After her marriage her interests were always in her home, and she was ever faithful to her duty. In every cloud which darkened her pathway she looked for the "silver lining." She has outlived the most of her kindred, and at the age of ninety-one is in good health, well preserved, and, in full possession of her mental powers, she bids fair to be a centenarian. For the most of her life she has been a member of the Baptist church, and religion has brightened all the way.

CHILDREN BORN CONCORD, ERIE CO., NEW YORK.

466. Roxalena St. Clair⁷, b. Nov. 1, 1818; d. at Concord, N. Y., Aug. 13, 1822.
 467. Louise Letitia St. Clair⁷, b. April 10, 1821; m. Nov. 22, 1847, Ephraim Rolfe Bennett; she is a teacher; res. Hampton, Iowa. Mr.

*She was daughter of Jonathan Townsend, Jr., and his wife, Olive (Phiney) Townsend. Her father was born at New Salem, Mass., Jan. 21, 1766, and died at Collins, Erie co., N. Y., Oct. 21, 1838, but had lived in Concord, N. Y. He was son of Jonathan and Huldah (Newton) Townsend, of New Salem, Mass.

Bennett went to California in the early excitement and emigration to that state in 1849 and has not been heard from for many years; no children.

468. Elizabeth St. Clair², b. July 24, 1823; m. Feb. 16, 1857, as his 2d wife, Rev. Peter Mills Huffman; he was b. in Mt. Morris, Livingston co., N. Y., and a Methodist clergyman; he lived in Dunham, Ill.; he d. greatly beloved at Harvard, McHenry co., Ill., Feb. 4, 1864, where his widow lived till her 2d m. She m. 2d, March 4, 1880, Alonzo Drake Hendrickson of 219 Washington street, Janesville, Wis.; she d. there of pneumonia after a week's illness, April 10, 1889. Child:
1. Minnie Huffman³, b. Dunham, McHenry co., Ill., Oct. 20, 1860; d. Nov. 20, 1860.
469. Benjamin St. Clair¹, b. April 26, 1825; d. July 26, 1825.
470. John St. Clair¹, b. Jan. 29, 1829; d. Feb. 3, 1829.
471. Lois Josephine St. Clair¹ [1148], b. July 18, 1830; m. Nov. 4, 1849, Lewis Milton Stevenson.
472. Roxa Clementine St. Clair¹ [1151], b. June 25, 1833; m. Charles Jacob Tobey.
473. Laura Elvira St. Clair¹, b. May 22, 1835; teacher; she resides with her aged mother at Hampton, Franklin co., Iowa, and aided greatly in furnishing information of her family.
474. Mary Jane St. Clair¹ [1153], b. April 28, 1837; m. Thomas Wayman Jones.
475. Augustine Duroc St. Clair¹ [1162], b. July 31, 1839; res. Hampton, Iowa.

476. Asa Sinclair⁴ [140] (Benjamin⁴, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John¹). He was born in Hardwick, Vt., Nov. 7, 1795. When a young man he left his native town and went forth into the busy world to make his fortune. His brother, Enoch Sinclair, bore him company. He located in Concord, N. Y., and afterward in Barre, Orleans co., of the same state, where also lived his uncle, James St. Clair, and his family, who had once been residents of Hardwick.

Mr. Sinclair was a joiner by trade. He married in Rochester, N. Y., Rebecca Page, who died in Barre, N. Y., July 6, 1831, aged 39 years. He married 2d, in Barre, Polly daughter of Solomon and granddaughter of Solomon Bragg. In 1833 he changed his residence to Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich., where he purchased a farm upon which he lived until 1843, when he sold it and removed to Rollin, Lenawee co., four miles from Hudson, and near Adrian, Mich.; purchased a farm, and resided upon it till his death March 18, 1848, leaving his wife with seven children. Mr. Sinclair was generous and ever ready to assist the poor and the unfortunate. He was a Democrat in politics and a Universalist in his religious faith. He was good looking, of medium size, with light complexion and blue eyes.

Mrs. Sinclair survived her husband exactly eight years. The last portion of her life was spent with her married daughter, Mrs. Polly Hodges. She died at Rollin, Mich., March 18, 1856. Two of the children by Mr. Sinclair's first marriage died nameless.

CHILDREN, PROBABLY ALL BORN IN CONCORD, ERIE CO., N. Y.

477. William Sinclair¹, b. April 19, 1819; d. at Palmyra, Lenawee co., Mich., April 3, 1856.

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POLLY (SINCLAIR) HODGES.

478. Perry Sinclair⁷ (1168), b. Nov. 15, 1823; d. at Dundee, Mich., Oct. 21, 1865.
 479. Laura Sinclair⁷ (1171), b. Concord, N. Y., May 24, 1822; m. Thomas Patrick; res. Carson City, Montcalm co., Mich.
 480. Eliza Sinclair⁷ (1177), b. Nov. 28, 1824; m. Nathaniel J. Hodges; res. Saranac, Ionia co., Mich.
 481. Mary Sinclair⁷, b. July 16, 1825; d. in Woodstock, Mich., in 1846.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

482. Asa Sinclair⁷ (1181), b. Barre, N. Y., Oct. 18, 1833; res. Bushnell, Montcalm co., Mich.; farmer; m. Louisa Lamb.
 483. Polly Sinclair⁷, b. Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich., Oct. 17, 1833; m. Jan. 1, 1855, George W. Hodges, carriage manufacturer; res. Addison, Lenawee co., Mich. Child:
 1. Estelle C. Hodges⁸, b. Sept. 12, 1858; d. May 17, 1866.
 They adopted an orphan named Jennie Donaldson Hodges, calling her by their own name; still living with them.
 484. Benjamin Sinclair⁷ (1187), b. Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich., Aug. 3, 1835; m. July 4, 1863, Anna Sloan; farmer; res. Five Lake, Traverse co., Mich.
 485. Aaron Sinclair⁷ (1195), b. Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich., Nov. 23, 1838; m. March 26, 1859, Eliza Edgar.
 486. Sarah Sinclair⁷, b. Nov. 11, 1841, Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich.; unmarried; res. Addison, Mich.
 487. Rebecca Sinclair⁷, b. Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich., Oct. 7, 1843; m. 1863, Frank Coleman, farmer; res. Stanton, Mich.
 488. George Sinclair⁷, b. Rollin, Mich., Oct. 3, 1845; was a farmer and unmarried; he was a Union soldier, served his country faithfully for nine months, when he was taken sick and died in a hospital at Lebanon, Ky., April 23, 1863.

489. John Mead Sinclair⁶ [142] (Thomas⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in Meredith, N. H., Feb. 11, 1776. He went early to Beaver Hill Plantation, Me., where he was elected assessor in 1812, and was chosen for several successive years. He was a farmer, and remained in this place, whose name was changed to Freedom, till he was taken sick of a fever and died Oct. 30, 1826, aged 50 yrs. 8 mos. 19 days. His wife was Sarah Levett of Deerfield, N. H. She died in Windsor, Me., with her son Orville.

CHILDREN BORN FREEDOM, ME.

490. James Sinclair⁷, was killed when about 10 years of age by a tree falling upon him, in Freedom, Me.
 491. Elizabeth Sinclair⁷; d. in Thorns ville, Me.
 492. Mary Sinclair⁷; d. in Freedom, Me., Aug. 18, 1826.
 493. Orville Sinclair⁷; m. Mary Wheeler in Windsor, Me., where he lived and died; was a farmer; no children.
 494. Caroline Sinclair⁷ (1199), b. Freedom, Me., Aug. 3, 1815; m. Dec. 31, 1840, Stephen Thorn.

495. James St. Clair⁶ [143] (Thomas⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in Meredith, N. H., May 9, 1777. Early in life he struck for the frontier. He landed at Owl's Head, South Thomaston, Me., Dec. 25, 1803. That was then a new country. He was by trade a joiner, and was engaged in the erection of buildings



PERRY SINCLAIR.

in Thomaston, Warren, and Union, Me. His brother had settled in Freedom, and Mr. St. Clair bought 96 acres of wild land in Union, Me., some twenty miles east of his brother's home. He built a log house some forty rods distant from the framed house which stood, in 1889, upon the old homestead, and which is occupied by Mrs. Erastus St. Clair. His tenement stood on the sloping side of a hill near its summit, and he soon had a well tilled farm. The land was good and brought forth abundant harvests, and prosperity attended the early settler. The scenery from his abode was fine indeed. On the east were the sharp jutting outlines of Ragget mountain; in the southeast was Pleasant mountain; Meadow mountain in the south; Crawford's Pond, in the southwest, lay shimmering in the sunlight; while in the west, sections of Montville and Appleton were plainly visible.

He cleared his land from the wilderness and wild beasts were numerous. Mrs. St. Clair often frightened the bears from the field as they were breaking down the corn. They often prowled about the house and made raids upon the pens which protected their hogs. He and his wife were devoted christians, members of the Baptist church, and attended church at East Union. "The St. Clair path," which meanders over the hill, still marks the way they trod in going to the house of worship.

He married Sally Wiggin of Stratham, N. H., a sister of George Wiggin of that town. She was born there Sept. 18, 1778, and died Jan. 5, 1868, aged 90 years. He died in South Thomaston, Me., June 25, 1858.

He was dark complexioned, had black hair and eyes, was six feet and one inch in height, and weighed 190 pounds.

CHILDREN.

496. Lavinia St. Clair [1206], b. Thomaston, Me., Oct. 22, 1801; m. Benjamin Burgess and resided on the island of Matineus, in Penobscot Bay, Me.
497. Mary Smith St. Clair [1218], b. Warren, Me., Feb. 15, 1804; m. Jan. 20, 1823, Sion Payson; res. Freedom, Me.
498. George Washington St. Clair [1228], b. Warren, Me., April 22, 1806; m., 1834, Sabra Hall; m. 2d Mrs. Eliza (Smith) Brewster of Camden, Me.; res. South Thomaston, Me.
499. Mahala St. Clair [1233], b. Warren, Me., June 2, 1808; m. Feb. 14, 1828, Jonathan Hall. She married 2d Hugh Kelsey of Rockland, Me.
500. Thirza St. Clair [1243], b. Warren, Me., June 2, 1808; m. April 19, 1829, Capt. Isaac Tolman; res. South Thomaston, Me.
501. James Madison St. Clair [1256], b. Nov. 11, 1811; m. Dec. 25, 1836, Orenda Bartlett Payson; res. South Hope, Me.
502. Erastus St. Clair [1262], b. Union, Me., Feb. 14, 1814; m. March, 1836, Sarah Bowley; res. Union, Me. He died Feb. 24, 1873.
503. Sarah St. Clair, b. Union, Me., Sept. 5, 1816; m. Samuel Crie; res. Rockland, Me. She died January, 1849. He died —. Three children, died in infancy.
504. Lucy Lovejoy St. Clair [1272], b. Union, Me., Nov. 16, 1818; m. Abijah F. Metcalf; res. Hope, Me.
505. Abigail Burgess St. Clair [1283], b. Union, Me., Aug. 27, 1822; m. Dec. 20, 1846, Samuel Hastings; res. East Union, Me.

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506. Guilford Dudley St. Clair⁷ [1288], b. Union, Me., Sept. 20, 1824; m.
Dec. 25, 1845, Leonora Payson; res. Camden, Me.; P. O. South
Hope, Me.

507. Thomas Sinclair⁶ [144] (Thomas⁶, Thomas⁶, Joseph⁶,
James⁶, John⁶). He was born in Meredith, N. H., Dec. 27, 1778.
With his brother he early went to Beaver Hill Plantation, afterward
Freedom, Me. Was there in 1806, and his name is affixed to the
town records in 1813, and there his family names are recorded. He
resided in that town until the spring of 1824, when he removed to
Dover, Me., going there upon horseback. Dover was at that time a
wilderness. Mr. Sinclair at first lived in a log hut, and cleared his
farm from its primeval state. He was a man of high character, a
consistent and influential member of the Calvinist Baptist church. In
politics he was a Whig. He married his own cousin, Polly Robinson,
whose mother was a Miss Mead, a sister to his own mother. He died
in Dover, Me., July 3, 1844. Mrs. Sinclair was in many respects a
remarkable person. In stature she was small, with black eyes; was
very active, and had large executive ability, and was a good business
manager. She was left with a large farm, and a large family depend-
ent upon her. Four of her children became cripples as they arrived
at maturity, and some of them became entirely helpless and con-
tinued so for more than twenty-five years. They never complained,
and, though entirely dependent, yet the light from a brighter shore
illuminated the darkness of their way. They were devoted Chris-
tians and looked forward to an entrance to that land

"Where the inhabitants never of sickness complain,
And never know death any more."

They were well educated; were teachers; and one was a preacher.

Mrs. Sinclair, with true heroism, bore her heavy burdens till at
length her slender frame gave way and they bore her to her rest.
She died April 22, 1853. She was born in Meredith, N. H., Dec.
27, 1786. After this event, so sad to her family, their house took
fire and, with its contents, was entirely consumed, the members of
the family barely escaping with their lives. The eldest daughter,
Hannah, who was helpless, saw the fire kindling over her head but
was unable to arouse the family. When discovered the clothes of
her bed were afire and she was barely saved from a horrible death.

CHILDREN.

508. Hannah Sinclair⁷, b. Knox, Me., Aug. 9, 1806; was an invalid a great
part of her life, and died Sept. 28, 1857.
509. Ahira Sinclair⁷ [1296], b. Beaver Hill Plantation, Me., Oct. 27, 1807;
res. Midland, Mich.
510. Alvah Sinclair⁷ [1308], b. Beaver Hill Plantation, Me., April 20, 1810;
d. Dover, Me., March 26, 1888.
511. Gideon Robinson Sinclair⁷ [1314], b. Beaver Hill Plantation, Me.,
Aug. 6, 1812; d. Dec. 1, 1886.
512. Charles Perry Sinclair⁷, b. Freedom, Me., Oct. 3, 1814. He prepared
for college; became a Baptist clergyman and preached till his

health failed him, and he became a confirmed invalid. He married Susan Bradman, whose devotion to him was entire, and she never left him for many years before his death. He died Aug. 14, 1886. She still lives. One child; died in infancy.

513. William Martin Sinclair⁷, b. Freedom, Me., June 20, 1816. He went early to California, and died there May 7, 1854. Single.
514. Uriah R. Sinclair⁷, b. Freedom, Me., Aug. 1, 1818. Was well educated. Became helpless and was unable, for a long period, to walk. He died in Dover, Me., Sept. 25, 1876. Single.
515. Thomas Rilla Sinclair⁷ [1817], b. Freedom, Me., Oct. 14, 1821.
516. Mary J. Sinclair⁷, b. Nov. 20, 1829; single; res. Dover, Me.

517. Mary Sinclair⁸ [145] (Thomas⁸, Thomas⁸, Joseph⁸, James⁸, John⁸). She was born in Meredith, N. H., April 12, 1781. She married Hezekiah Smith and lived in Meredith, N. H., and they are deceased.

CHILDREN.

518. Mary M. Smith⁷, b. Jan. 27, 1802; m. March 31, 1836, William Durgn. She married 2d Mr. Wyman and died in Meredith.
519. Ebenezer H. Smith⁷, b. April 7, 1804; m. Sept. 20, 1838, Sarah Cram; farmer; res. Meredith, N. H.
520. Moses B. Smith⁷, b. Dec. 27, 1805; m. Dec. 5, 1839, Susan M. Hunt; carpenter; res. Portland, Me.
521. Moody H. Smith⁷, b. Sept. 30, 1807; m. May 16, 1839, Caroline Warner. He lives in Meredith, N. H.
522. Sally H. Smith⁷, b. Sept. 1, 1809; m. October, 1834, Samuel Wood; res. in Maine.
523. Thomas H. Smith⁷, b. April 12, 1811; m. Jan. 3, 1841, Nancy F., daughter of Job and Elizabeth (Flske) Watson, b. Jan. 28, 1818, in Guilford, N. H. Lived in Laconia; carpenter. He is deceased. His widow resides in Laconia, N. H. Children:
1. Annette J. Smith⁸, b. Oct. 9, 1842; m. Albert B. Woodward; res. Laconia, N. H.; he was born Feb. 2, 1840; d. Boseawen, N. H.; carpenter.
 2. Francenia C. Smith⁸, b. Jan. 20, 1845; m. James H. Rowell of Vassalboro', Me.; res. Webster, Mass.
 3. Vites T. Smith⁸, b. Feb. 13, 1846; deceased Sept. 13, 1846.
 4. T. Avites Smith⁸, b. Aug. 28, 1847; deceased Aug. 18, 1849.
 5. Mary Elizabeth Smith⁸, b. Dec. 14, 1849.
 6. Celia M. Smith⁸, b. Oct. 12, 1851; m. Rev. B. G. Blaisdell of Guilford, N. H., b. April 17, 1850; res. De Panville, N. Y.
 7. Ella F. Smith⁸, b. April 19, 1854; res. Laconia, N. H.
 8. Minnie J. Smith⁸, b. June 11, 1856; d. Oct. 4, 1870.
524. Nancy P. Smith⁷, b. April 30, 1813; m. 1841, Christopher Barney; res. Lynn, Mass.
525. Lovina Smith⁷, b. June 19, 1815; m. Dec. 30, 1837, William Andrews; farmer; res. Bllddeford, Me.
526. Ellza Ann Smith⁷, b. March 16, 1817; m. Feb. 5, 1840, Stephen Andrews; res. Bllddeford, Me.

527. William Sinclair⁸ [146] (Thomas⁸, Thomas⁸, Joseph⁸, James⁸, John⁸). He was born in Meredith, N. H., Sept. 18, 1782. He lived on a portion of his father's homestead. He was a shoemaker. He died suddenly April 15, 1815, aged 32 yrs. 6 mos. 28 days. His wife was Nancy Dow, a native of Meredith, who administered upon his estate, being appointed June 19, 1815.

firmly invalid. He married her when she was entire, and she died Aug. 18, 1872. He died Aug. 18, 1872. He was well educated, for a long period, to 1876. Single. He died Oct. 14, 1821. res. Dover, Me.

Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, April 12, 1781. She died, N. H., and they are

Jan. 31, 1836, William Durland in Meredith.

Sept. 20, 1838, Sarah Cram;

May 5, 1839, Susan M. Hunt;

July 16, 1839, Caroline Ward;

Nov. 1834, Samuel Wood;

Jan. 3, 1841, Nancy F. Watson, b. Jan. 28, 1818, carpenter. He is deceased. Children:

1. Albert B. Woodward; b. Feb. 2, 1840; d. Bosca-

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2. Rev. B. G. Blaisdell of 1850; res. De Panville,

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CHILD BORN MEREDITH, N. H.

528. Thomas Sinclair⁷ [1320], b. August, 1807; m. Caroline A. Tracy; res. Brighton, Mass., and died March 17, 1883.

529. Joseph Sinclair⁸ [147] (Thomas⁴, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). He was born in Meredith, N. H., Sept. 17, 1785. In personal appearance he was tall and commanding, and his countenance had a decidedly intellectual cast. His height was six feet and an inch; his weight 250 lbs. By nature generous, he was kind in his treatment of all. Was a careful and successful business manager and increased steadily in property.

Was a farmer, but had good mechanical abilities and with his own hands manufactured all the carts, wagons, and such wooden machinery as was used upon his farm.

He was a great reader, being well informed upon general topics, and quite decided in his convictions. In politics he was a Jacksonian Democrat, but in the latter part of his life was inclined to Abolitionism. This was when slavery was casting its baleful influence over the Republic, and the slave-power had become dominant and domineering.

He was a religious man and contributed generously to sustain the institutions of religion. His family were well cared for; his children taught the proper way in which to walk life's pathway. In his family the Scriptures were daily read, and prayers were daily offered.

There was a sparkle of genuine wit about him, and he was mirthful and loved a joke. This anecdote is related of him:

He was accustomed to take his farm products to the city to sell. Once, while returning in mid-winter, when the fierce winds of this New England season had blown the snow into great drifts, making the roads almost impassible, as he was ascending a steep hill in plain view of a house, the owner thereof started into the road with two pairs of cattle, met him in the drifts, and desired him to "get out." "I can't," said Sinclair. "Why did you come when you saw me in the drifts?" Then straightening his tall and massive form up to its full height, and assuming a threatening aspect, and in a tone of voice which fortified his personal appearance, said, "Now, Sir, if you don't 'get out' I will serve you as I did the other man back here!" The man saw that Sinclair was not to be trifled with and made great haste to get his team into the deep snow, and passed him, but shouted back, "How did you treat the other man?" "I 'got out' for him," said Sinclair.

He married March 27, 1805, Isabel, daughter of John Dockman of Meredith Neck. She was born at the Parade, in Meredith, Sept. 21, 1780. She was one eminently fitted to adorn his home, brighten his life, and bear her part in all its vicissitudes and her portion of its burdens. Was very practical. She was a great weaver and wove the nicest table linen, carpets, and fulled cloth. She spun and

wove a nice suit of clothes for one of her sons when he was 21 years of age. She nearly paid for fifty acres of woodland, which her husband bought by her weaving. She was his true helpmeet. Never did she attend school but seven days. She was self-taught, had a strong mind, and a retentive memory. She was an excellent singer and a great reader. Great was her knowledge of the Bible, and large portions could she repeat. Problems in partial payments she would solve quickly and correctly in her mind. In early life she committed to memory a hymn of seventy-two verses of four lines each, which she could repeat when in her ninety-fifth year. She was totally blind for fifteen years previous to her death. At an early age she became a christian and was a bright and shining light in the church. "Her whole trust was in Christ, whom she was anxious to go and see." She died Feb. 13, 1878, aged 97 yrs. 4 mos. and 23 days.

Mr. Sinclair died of lung fever March 2, 1847, aged 61 yrs. 4 mos. 27 days. Their home was in Meredith, N. H., on the homestead of Mr. Sinclair's father.

CHILDREN BORN MEREDITH, N. H.

- 529. Belinda Sinclair⁷ [1324], b. Feb. 18, 1806; m. John Cotton of Meredith, N. H.
- 530. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair⁷, b. May 3, 1808; d. May 4, 1808.
- 531. John Langdon Sinclair⁷ [1333], b. July 10, 1809; d. Lake Village, N. H., Aug. 16, 1888.
- 532. Noah Sinclair⁷ [1335], b. Jan. 2, 1814; died of brain fever Jan. 9, 1843.
- 533. Mary Jane Sinclair⁷, b. July 16, 1816; m. June 26, 1836, Daniel Howe of Holderness, N. H. She died June 13, 1872. He died —. A son, Barker Sinclair Howe, b. Feb. 23, 1837, is a farmer and lives in Ashland, N. H.
- 534. William Plummer Sinclair⁷, b. July 23, 1818; d. Aug. 1, 1819.
- 535. Naomi Cheney Sinclair⁷, b. July 16, 1820; died of consumption in Meredith, N. H., Nov. 23, 1847, aged 27 yrs. 4 mos. 7 days.

536. Joseph St. Clair⁶ [152] (James⁴, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James², John¹). He was born in Sanbornton, N. H., Jan. 17, 1786, lived in Eagle Harbor, Orleans co., N. Y., and removed to Rochester, Sangamon co., Ill., and died May 8, 1839; farmer. He married Nov. 20, 1815, Lucy Brown, who was born March 23, 1796, and died May 3, 1851.

CHILDREN.

- 537. Augusta Flavilla St. Clair⁷, b. Aug. 24, 1816; m. James Musick; res. in Rochester, Ill., and now in Aurora, Neb.
- 538. Julia Ann St. Clair⁷, b. Oct. 9, 1818; m. Dec. 30, 1838, Andrew F. Hollenbeck, b. Jan. 14, 1800; res. Buffalo, Ill., where he was postmaster for eighteen years. She d. Aug. 29, 1873. Children:
 - 1. Lawrence A. Hollenbeck⁸, b. Sept. 29, 1843.
 - 2. Levi Hunt Hollenbeck⁸, b. Aug. 20, 1847; d. Feb. 28, 1848.
- 539. Orange Pardez St. Clair⁷, b. Jan. 11, 1821; m. —, who lives in Newton, Kan. He is deceased.

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540. Joseph Norman St. Clair^s, b. Aug. 23, 1823; res. Mechanicsville, Ill.;
d. in Kansas Aug. 14, 1829. Children:
1. Joseph Norman St. Clair^s, b. Aug. 24, 1851.
2. Alice A. St. Clair^s, b. Jan. 22, 1853; m. Mr. Craig; res. Lake
Park, Sixth street, Des Moines, Iowa.
3. Emmet F. St. Clair^s, b. Dec. 5, 1854.
4. Augusta J. St. Clair^s, b. Oct. 21, 1856; res. Wichita, Kan.
5. Andrew F. St. Clair^s, b. Jan. 19, 1861.
6. Zelpha L. St. Clair^s, b. Nov. 6, 1864.
7. Charles Levi St. Clair^s, b. March 21, 1866.
8. Willie Clarence St. Clair^s, b. April 20, 1871.

541. Polly St. Clair^s [153] (James^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Sanbornton, N. H., Nov. 11, 1787. Many of her early years were spent in Vermont. She married Aug. 7, 1803, Hezekiah Whitney, who was born Jan. 26, 1778. They lived in Eagle Harbor, and Batavia, N. Y. She died in Norristown, Vt., March 6, 1812.

CHILDREN.

542. Maria Whitney^s, b. Nov. 5, 1804; m. Jan. 1, 1829, William Delano, at Eagle Harbor, Orleans co., N. Y. Children:
1. Mary Delano^s, m. her cousin, Jeremiah Whitney; he d. and she m. 2d Mr. Crittendon, and lives in Clarendon, Orleans co., N. Y.
2. William Delano^s, d. in the far West.
3. Louise Delano^s, d. in infancy.
543. Electa Whitney^s (1339), b. Nov. 4, 1807; m. Lucius Cobb.
544. Joseph St. Clair Whitney^s, b. Oct. 30, 1809; d. March 31, 1810.
545. Levi St. Clair Whitney^s (1347), b. March 15, 1811; m. Clarissa Jones.

546. James St. Clair, Jr.^s [154] (James^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Sanbornton, N. H., Sept. 6, 1789, was with his parents in their homes at Hardwick and Wolcott, Vt., at Russelltown, Canada. He fled with them at the outbreak of the 1812-15 war, to the state of New York, as he would not fight against his native country. While in Canada he married March 17, 1811, Patience Matilda, daughter of Caleb and Sylvia (Knowles) Northrop, of New Milford, Conn. She was born at that place Dec. 28, 1794. By the law of Canada all marriages were illegal unless solemnized by a clergyman of the Established Church of England. When Mr. St. Clair and his fiancée were ready to marry they made up a party of sixteen persons, and all on horseback rode gaily over the dividing line into New York state, where in Chateaugay, Franklin co., they were married by the Episcopal service and clergyman. For a while they lived in Peru, N. Y. Before they permanently located they visited friends in Vermont, crossing Lake Champlain on the ice. On their return the ice was breaking up, great fissures were there, through which, as they traveled, the water would burst with a noise like the discharge of a cannon. Across these places their strong horses would leap drawing the sleigh after them, till at length they reached the shore. Mrs. St. Clair never forgot that

ride. Its horror was stamped upon her soul. Her fatigue and terror caused an illness from which she barely survived.

Mr. St. Clair heard that there was land rich and inexpensive on the Holland Purchase, in western New York, and there he purchased land in Barre, in the part now Albion, and in the spring of 1816 he built his log house, prepared some land for cultivation, and in July brought his family from Palmyra, N. Y., to their new home. This farm was in 1892 in possession of his son, Charles Northrop St. Clair.

The Erie canal, built a few years later, flows through nearly the entire length of that farm. He was a good citizen and an honest man. He was a Whig in politics, and then a Democrat. His mental qualities were more than ordinary, was a great reader, with a retentive memory, was intelligent, and gifted in argument. His fellow citizens conferred upon him positions of trust. His mind was drawn to religious subjects. He was an active member and an elder of the Presbyterian church. In personal appearance he bore a marked resemblance to his father. His death occurred in Barre, N. Y., April 1, 1874. His wife was a member of the Episcopal church. In all of the relations of life she was faithful and kind, and discharged its duties with the greatest fidelity. She was small in stature, with health always delicate, yet she lived to an advanced age. Her hair was a dark brown, her complexion fair, and her eyes of a deep dark blue. Her death occurred March 31, 1878. She was the last of her father's family of twelve children, as Mr. St. Clair had been the last of his father's family of twelve children.

CHILDREN.

547. Charles Northrop St. Clair⁷ (1351), b. Russelltown, Chateaugay co., Quebec, June 9, 1812; res. Barre, now Albion, Orleans co., N. Y.
548. Henry Arthur St. Clair⁷, b. Springport, now Union Springs, Cayuga co., N. Y., April 12, 1816; d. July 12, 1818.
549. Caleb Northrop St. Clair⁷ (1358), b. Barre, Genesee co., N. Y., March 23, 1818; d. Alexandria, La., of paralysis, June 10, 1863.
550. James Julius St. Clair⁷, b. Barre, N. Y., Aug. 13, 1820; d. Nov. 20, 1820.
551. James Julius St. Clair⁷ (1359), b. Barre, N. Y., Oct. 5, 1821; d. at Marquette, Mich., May 16, 1862.
552. Angeline Sophia St. Clair⁷ (1363a), b. Barre, N. Y., Dec. 21, 1823; res. Albion, N. Y.
553. Oscar Fitzalan Wares St. Clair⁷, b. June 5, 1826, in Barre, N. Y.; d. in Bangkok, Siam, while in government employ, many years ago. He was a nephew of Mrs. St. Clair and was adopted by the family at the death of his mother.
554. Sally St. Clair⁶ [155] (James⁶, Thomas⁶, Joseph⁶, James⁶, John⁶). She was born in Sanbornton, N. H., March 10, 1791. She married John Myers of Canada. He died and she married 2d, 1812, Nehemiah Randall. He was born Aug. 9, 1784, at Worthington, Mass. They lived at Barre, N. Y., and at Wellington, Ohio, where he died March 9, 1846. She died at Joliet, Ill., Oct. 6, 1850.

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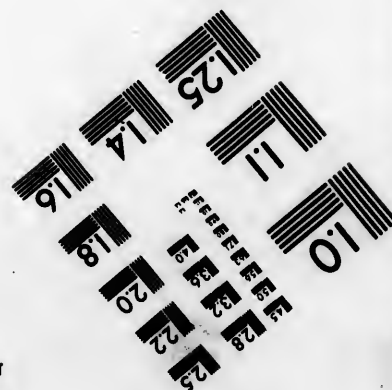
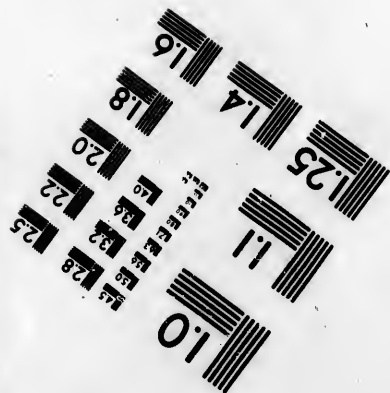
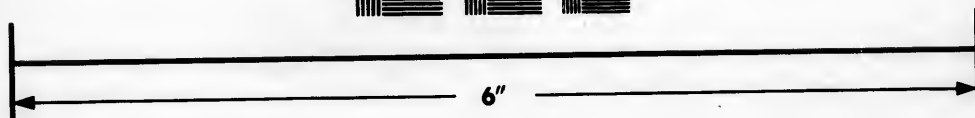
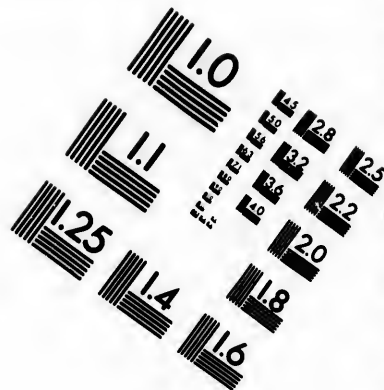
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CHILDREN.

555. Laura Araminta Randall⁷, b. at Morristown, Vt., Nov. 18, 1813; m. June 20, 1850, Anson W. Pond of West Greece, Monroe co., N. Y., and d. Aug. 25, 1854; no children.
556. John Talcott Randall⁷, b. Morristown, Vt., Aug. 2, 1815; farmer; res. at Barre, N. Y., and Joliet, Ill.; he m. Sept. 4, 1836, Beulah Steadman Russell of Brecksville, Ohio, who now resides with her son Oscar, in Chicago. He d. in Channahon, Ill., Nov. 30, 1882. Children:
1. Albert Talcott Randall⁸, b. June 7, 1837, in Brecksville, Ohio; farmer; res. in Channahon, Ill.; m.; 3 children.
 2. Joseph Russell Randall⁸, b. Brecksville, Ohio, Oct. 17, 1838; m.; no children; d. Wilmington, Ill., Jan. 22, 1872.
 3. Oscar Theodore Randall⁸, b. Carlton, N. Y., Oct. 18, 1840; m. Sept. 10, 1861, Jennie M. Lewis; merchant; res. Chicago, Ill. Children:
 - i. Arthur T. Randall⁹, b. Sept. 12, 1865.
 - ii. Ruth M. Randall⁹, b. June 24, 1867.
 - iii. Lenore M. Randall⁹, b. Feb. 4, 1869.
 - iv. Beulah R. Randall⁹, b. July 29, 1871.
 - v. Chauncey T. Randall⁹, b. Sept. 5, 1873.
 - vi. Paul J. Randall⁹, b. Aug. 13, 1875; d. Feb. 14, 1882.
 - vii. Carl Randall⁹, b. Oct. 7, 1877; d. Oct. 14, 1877.
 4. Gershom A. Randall⁸, b. March 6, 1842; m. Oct., 1868, Cora Cross, b. July 31, 1849; d. June, 1881; hotel proprietor. He m. 2d Nellie M. Stanley, b. Jan. 25, 1862; d. Feb. 17, 1889. Children:
 - i. George A. Randall⁹, b. Nov. 26, 1868.
 - ii. Harvey C. Randall⁹, b. June 8, 1870.
 - iii. Ada Randall⁹, b. April 21, 1874.
 - iv. Eva Randall⁹, July 15, 1878.
 5. Laura A. Randall⁸, b. May 6, 1844; teacher; res. 372 Bowen avenue, Chicago, Ill.
 6. Mary Randall⁸, b. June 10, 1854; m. Oct. 27, 1874, Charles A. Warren, b. Sept. 1851; lawyer; res. 372 Bowen avenue, Chicago, Ill. Child:
 - i. Mabel E. Warren⁹, b. Jan. 19, 1876.
557. Alpheus Gershom Randall⁷, b. Morristown, Vt., Aug. 18, 1817; is a physician; res. Linn, Washington co., Kan. Has resided in Perry, N. Y., and Rochester, Ill; he has been a member of the state senate of Kansas; is m. and has five children; he m. Lucinda Carpenter, Oct., 1844, in Barre, N. Y. Children:
1. Julius Randall⁸, res. Decatur, Macon co., Ill.
 2. Charles Henry Randall⁸, res. Palmer, Washington co., Kansas.
 3. Edwin Randall⁸, res. Kansas.
 4. Laura Randall⁸, m. Mr. Cook; res. Kansas.
558. Philesta N. Randall⁷, b. Morristown, Vt., Feb. 2, 1820; res. Sleepy Eye, Neb. Thrice m.; no children.
559. Mary Ann Randall⁷, b. Hindsbury, Vt., April 3, 1822; m. Henry Spellman in Wellington, Ohio; d. March 17, 1874. Children:
1. Sarah Spellman⁸, b. 1843.
 2. Ella Spellman⁸, b. about 1846.
560. Elizabeth Maria Randall⁷, b. in Hindsbury, Vt., Oct. 2, 1824; m. Harvey Frederick Grant; res. Edgar, Clay co., Neb. He was b. Nov. 23, 1821, at Norfolk, Conn., and was son of Henry and Experience Norton Grant. Children:
1. Lillian Rosetta Grant⁸, b. Dec. 29, 1848; m. March 8, 1870, Freeman McLellan; farmer; res. Edgar, Neb. Child:
 - i. Freeman McLellan⁹, b. Sept. 18, 1882.

2. Eva Laura Grant⁸, b. Sept. 8, 1852; m. Sept. 9, 1873, Josiah Simpson; res. Oshkosh, Wis. Child:
 - i. Frederick G. Simpson⁸, b. Feb. 3, 1874.
3. Cora A. Grant⁸, b. Dec. 8, 1856; m. Sept. 12, 1876, Charles Fox; res. Berlin, Wis.; artist; she d. at Hastings, Neb., Feb. 12, 1886. Child:
 - i. Charles G. Fox⁸, b. July 3, 1877.
4. Clarence Frederick Grant⁸, b. May 27, 1859; m. Dec. 24, 1882, Emma Grace Barnes; res. Alliance, Neb.; hotel keeper. Children:
 - i. Eva Ethel Grant⁸, b. June 30, 1884.
 - ii. Harvey F. Grant⁸, b. April 20, 1886.
5. Henry Frank Grant⁸, b. Dec. 31, 1867; d. at Berlin, Sept. 30, 1869.
561. Edwin Mortimer Randall⁷, b. Carlton, Orleans co., N. Y., July 18, 1830; res. Wamega, Pottawattomie co., Kan.; m. Lucretia E. Steele. Children:
 1. Ida A. Randall⁸, b. Jan. 3, 1857; m. Frank A. Wood.
 2. Lillian C. Randall⁸, b. Feb. 12, 1860; m. Elmer B. Greene.
 3. Edwin M. Randall, Jr.⁸, b. Feb. 14, 1862; clergyman.
 4. Frank W. Randall⁸, b. Sept. 24, 1874.

562. Betsey St. Clair⁶ [156] (James⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born in Sanbornton, N. H., Oct. 18, 1792; married March 28, 1810, Jonathan, son of Abner and Abigail (Maynard) Sherman, who was born in Chautauqua co., N. Y., Sept. 1, 1780. He was a carpenter and builder, resided near Washington, Ill., for 30 years, and died at Metamora, Ill., Nov. 16, 1862. She lived at the latter place for 30 years and died at Tonica, Ill., August, 1871.

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563. Sally Sherman⁷, b. Lower Canada, March 11, 1811; m. February, 1832, Nathaniel Chittendon; res. Beekmantown, N. Y., and d. there, Dec. 9, 1842. Children:
 1. Olive Chittendon⁸.
 2. Elizabeth Chittendon⁸.
 3. Alvin Chittendon⁸.
 4. Rachel Chittendon⁸.
 5. Sarah Chittendon⁸, who resided at Beekmantown, Clinton co., N. Y., recently.
564. Lyman Maynard Sherman⁷, b. Lower Canada, July 4, 1812; m. Jan. 10, 1841, Rosanna Laughlin; res. Tarkio, Mo. Six children.
565. James A. Sherman⁷, b. Chant co., N. Y., Aug. 27, 1815; m. March 12, 1846, Ophelia Overdooff; res. Metamora, Ill. Children:
 1. Adoniram Judson Sherman⁸, b. March 24, 1847; d. Sept. 7, 1872, drowned in Lake Michigan while bathing.
 2. Mary Elizabeth Sherman⁸, b. Oct. 14, 1849; d. 1856.
 3. Sarah Jane Sherman⁸, b. Sept. 10, 1852; d. Nov. 21, 1856.
 4. Helen Maria Sherman⁸, b. April 14, 1855; d. July 27, 1855.
 5. Emily Augusta Sherman⁸, b. March 19, 1859; m. June 29, 1882, Emanuel Roth Boyer. Children:
 - i. Ernest Judson Boyer⁸, b. Aug. 3, 1883.
 - ii. Arthur Manley Boyer⁸, b. Feb. 3, 1885.
566. Lucina Rachel Sherman⁷, b. Chautauqua co., N. Y., March 7, 1818; m. May 15, 1849, Presbury Hoxie; res. Tonica, Ill.; farmer and broker.

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3, 1874.

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567. [Harriet Sherman⁷, b. Chautauqua co., N. Y., Feb. 2, 1822; d. Feb. 16, 1822.

568. Henry Sherman⁷, b. Chautauqua co., N. Y., Feb. 2, 1822; d. Feb. 18, 1822.

569. [Henrietta Sherman⁷, b. Chautauqua co., N. Y., Feb. 2, 1822; d. Feb. 24, 1822.

570. Orlando J. Sherman⁷, b. Chautauqua co., N. Y., May 18, 1825; m. Dec.

25, 1849, Jane Linsey; clergyman; res. Washington, Ill.; d. there

Oct. 24, 1850.

571. Electa Elizabeth Sherman⁷, b. Chautauqua co., N. Y., Oct. 27, 1827;

m. March 11, 1851, Thomas Donoho; farmer; res. Grant, Iowa.

572. Maria Sherman⁷, b. Chautauqua co., N. Y., July 4, 1830; m. July 19,

1856, Gilbert Egbert, builder; res. Matamora, Ill.

573. Miriam St. Clair⁶ [157] (James⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁸, James², John¹), born Hardwick, Vt., Oct. 3, 1794. She married Sept. 7, 1817, George McKinstry, who was born Castleton, Vt., Sept. 3, 1789; farmer. He lived in Castleton, Vt., twelve years, and in Hyde Park, Vt., for fifty years. He died in Hyde Park April 21, 1851. She had a good education, was of a religious nature, positive and pronounced in her convictions. She removed to Illinois, and died Aug. 5, 1872, and is buried at Grant Park, Ill.

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574. Byron Nathan McKinstry⁷, b. Hyde Park, Vt., Aug. 20, 1818; m. in Lowell, Mass., April 13, 1848, Hester Ann Smith; nurseryman and farmer; res. Chapelle, Hyde co., Dakota. He d. at Madison, South Dakota, June 6, 1894. Children:

1. Mary Melissa McKinstry⁸, b. Aug. 27, 1855; d. May 24, 1860.

2. Adella or Aurelia Ann McKinstry⁸, b. Aug. 3, 1857; d. July

20, 1867.

3. Sadie Ann McKinstry⁸, b. Jan. 11, 1860; m. C. A. Kelley; res.

Huron, Dakota; 2 children.

4. Alonzo Cornelius McKinstry⁸, b. Feb. 4, 1862; m. Etta Beers;

res. Elkhorn, Wis. 1 child.

5. David Smith McKinstry⁸, b. March 16, 1864.

6. Helen Florilla McKinstry⁸, b. Aug. 12, 1866; m. Seward

Caldwell. He is deceased. She m. 2d A. L. Phillip;

res. Alma, Iowa. 1 child.

7. Vernon Henry McKinstry⁸, b. Jan. 19, 1869; res. Mokence,

Ill.

8. Byron Nathan McKinstry⁸, b. Dec. 15, 1872.

575. James Myron McKinstry⁷, b. Oct. 6, 1819; m. Sept. 14, 1842, Sophronia White; farmer; res. Grant Park, Ill. She died. He m. 2d

April, 1870, Mrs. Nellie Lovinia (Brown) Foster. He was a cap-

tain in the 4th Ill. cavalry. Children:

1. Horace McKinstry⁸; d. in the Union army.

2. Byron McKinstry⁸; d. in Vermont.

3. Abner McKinstry⁸; d. in the Union army.

4. Lovinia McKinstry⁸.

5. Alice McKinstry⁸.

6. Clara McKinstry⁸.

7. Floyd McKinstry⁸.

576. Sarah Ann McKinstry⁷, b. July 13, 1821; m. Nov. 27, 1845, David

Smith; merchant; res. St. Paul, Neb., or North Loupe, Neb.

577. George Washington McKinstry⁷, b. Jan. 9, 1823; d. Jan. 14, 1823.

577a. George P. McKinstry⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1824; m. at Troy, N. H., June 1,

1848, Nancy Wheeler; farmer; res. Grant Park, Ill., and is

deceased; Mrs. McKinstry still lives at Grant Park. Children

now living:

1. George W. McKinstry²; m. A. C. Parmely.
2. Nellie McKinstry³; m. Emory Hess.
3. Hattie McKinstry³.
578. Joseph Irving McKinstry¹, b. Dec. 14, 1826; m. July 3, 1851, Adeline M. Shannon of Moultonborough, N. H.; farmer; res. Morocco, Ind.; served during the war. Children:
 1. Josephine McKinstry², b. Boston, Mass., 1852; m. Jacob Strickler of Iroquois, Ill.; d.; no children.
 2. Fanny McKinstry², b. Grant Park, Ill.; m. Jacob Strickler.
 3. Charles McKinstry²; m. Miriam Richards.
 4. Marie McKinstry²; single.
 5. Margaret McKinstry²; single.
579. Mary Electa McKinstry¹, b. Sept. 7, 1829; m. Sept. 13, 1853, Charles Jewett; farmer; res. Hyde Park, Vt. He d.; she m. 2d, June 29, 1867, Lemuel Buck; res. Grant Park, Ill. Children:
 1. Julius Jewett²; res. Nebraska.
 2. Eva Jewett²; m. Charles Beers; res. Nebraska.
 3. Alice Jewett²; d. aged about 18 years.
 4. Bertha Buck².
580. Levi Augustus McKinstry¹, b. July 2, 1832; m. May 19, 1868, Louisa Brownell; farmer; res. ———, Kankaskee co., Kansas; d. there Feb. 11, 1872; was a soldier of the Union. She is deceased. Child:
 1. Frank McKinstry².
581. William Orlando McKinstry¹, b. Nov. 8, 1834; m. June 4, 1859, Sarah Evelyn Brownell; farmer; res. Waverly, Kansas.

582. Nancy St. Clair⁶ [158] (James⁴, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James², John¹). She was born in Hardwick, Vt., Nov. 22, 1796. She married Dr. James Brown, son of Samuel Brown, a Revolutionary soldier, born in Morristown, N. Y., Aug. 3, 1761. Died March 31, 1844, in Crawford co., Penn. Dr. Brown was born in Montreal, Can., Sept. 25, 1790. He died Feb. 5, 1852. They settled in Mechanicsburg, Sangamon co., Ill., where they both died. She died July 14, 1873.

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583. James Vernon St. Clair Brown¹, b. Westford, Vt., Oct. 14, 1822; res. De Soto, Ill.; m. May 14, 1843, Druzilla Beedle, b. June 1, 1820. Children:
 1. Byron Sylvester Brown², b. May 4, 1844, Clinton, Ill.; d. Nov. 15, 1845.
 2. James Byron Francisco Brown², b. Clinton, Ill., Nov. 9, 1845; m. 1867, Alice Boynton. He is an artist and resides in Clinton, Ill.
 3. Henry E. Brown², b. Clinton, Ill., May 7, 1848; m. 1868, Emma Robbins. Professor of music; res. Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
 4. Grace Helen Brown², b. Clinton, Ill., May 7, 1848; d. Aug. 30, 1849.
 5. Nancy Maria Brown², b. Clinton, Ill., July 29, 1855; m. 1870, Abraham Morgan; salesman, Carbondale, Ill.
 6. William Vernon Brown², b. Du Quoin, Ill., Oct. 15, 1858; m. Viola Sterns in 1878. Is professor of music; res. De Soto, Ill.
 7. Harvey Valentine Brown², b. Du Quoin, Ill., Feb. 14, 1863; d. Oct. 15, 1864.
584. Electa Maria Brown¹, b. Gaines, Orleans co., N. Y., June 21, 1826; res. Clinton, Ill. She married Feb. 5, 1846, Benjamin T. Mitchell; farmer. She died Jan. 14, 1877. Five children.

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Five children.

585. Theodore Mortimer Brown⁷, b. Gaines, Orleans co., N. Y., March 31,
1828; res. Clinton, Ill. He married Nov. 28, 1854, Deborah P.
Mitchell; was a captain in the Union army; is now a merchant.

586. Harriet Helena Brown⁷, b. Gaines, Orleans co., N. Y., Aug. 22, 1831;
m. Dec. 4, 1851, John C. Stoker; carriage maker; res. Mechan-
icsburg, Ill. Two children.

587. Julius Augustus Brown⁷, b. Washington, Farrell county, Sept. 3,
1836; merchant; res. Monticello, Ill. He married April 3, 1856,
Susie E. Parks. He was a captain in the Union army; alder-
man and mayor of his city, and member of the legislature; is
high in Masonic circles, and, like all his family, is a Republican
and Prohibitionist.

588. Rachel Tucker St. Clair⁶ [159] (James⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³,
James², John¹). She was born at Hardwick, Vt., June 15, 1798.
She married William Culver and resided in East Beekmantion, Clin-
ton co., N. Y., where she died March 11, 1862.

CHILDREN.

589. Edgar William Culver⁷, b. East Beekmantion, Clinton co., N. Y., Nov.
20, 1822; m. Lavinia Hutchinson Sept. 2, 1852, b. Dec. 1, 1824; d.
June 6, 1878. Children:

1. Lillian Augusta Culver⁸, b. June 5, 1853; single; res. Low-
ell, Mass.

2. William E. Culver⁸, b. Oct. 7, 1855; m. April 18, 1881, Hattie
E. Hawes; res. East Beekmantion, N. Y.; farmer. Chil-
dren:

i. Laura Culver⁹.

ii. Nellie Culver⁹.

iii. Ruth Culver⁹.

590. Electa S. Culver⁸, b. Aug. 2, 1824; m. May 8, 1843, Alvah S. Mar-
shall; res. Ellenburg, N. Y. He died Dec. 18, 1868. The family
lived in Plattsburg, N. Y. She died in Kansas while visiting
friends. Children:

1. Florence Aurelia Marshall⁹, b. Sept. 2, 1847; m. Nov. 25,
1868, Maj. Henry J. Adams; res. Denver, Col. Child:

i. Florence Eugenia Adams¹⁰.

2. Addie Marshall⁹, b. Nov. 18, 1856; m. Plattsburg, N. Y.,
April 25, 1872, Walter C. Hathaway; res. Port Henry,
N. Y. Children:

i. Marshall Hathaway¹⁰.

ii. Fannie Hathaway¹⁰; deceased.

iii. Helen Hathaway¹⁰.

iv. Florence Hathaway¹⁰.

3. Elmer Ellsworth Marshall⁹, b. April 14, 1861; res. New York
City.

591. Olive Aurelia Culver⁸, b. Oct. 25, 1826; m. Nov. 19, 1847, Amasa B.
Woods of Wood's Falls, N. Y. He resides at West Chazy, Clin-
ton co., N. Y. Child:

1. Hector William Woods⁹; res. Wood's Falls, N. Y. He mar-
ried in Dannemora, N. Y., June 18, 1870, Mary Eddy. He
died Nov. 1, 1876. Children:

i. Edith Woods¹⁰.

ii. Hector Woods¹⁰; res. Potsdam, N. Y.

592. Edwin James Culver⁸, b. Feb. 12, 1827; m. April 10, 1855, Jane Anne
Marshall, b. April 13, 1831. Children:

1. Elfeddie Aurelia Culver⁹, b. East Beekmantion, N. Y., Oct.
9, 1857; d. Albany, N. Y., Nov. 28, 1881.

2. Annie May Culver⁹, b. May 20, 1861; res. East Beekmantion,
N. Y.

593. Levi Hunt St. Clair^a [160] (James^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Wolcott, Vt., May 6, 1800. A few years were spent in Vermont, at Burlington. He learned to be a wool carder and cloth dresser. He married May 4, 1823, Lorinda Spaulding of Morristown, Vt., who was born Oct. 31, 1799, and died Feb. 21, 1853, leaving eight children.

He moved to Essex, Essex co., N. Y., and was superintendent of a woolen factory. He was interested in the military, and while there was quartermaster of the 40th Brigade of Infantry; commission dated Oct. 6, 1828. In 1830 he removed to East Cleveland, Ohio, where he was a farmer for two years. In 1832 he located in Rochester, Sangamon co., Ill., where he lived till his death, April 14, 1866. He was a farmer and was employed in a woolen factory for many years. He was paymaster of the 54th Regiment, Ill., State Militia, April 6, 1840. In politics a Whig, then a Republican. He was patriotic and strongly devoted to the interests and welfare of his country. He was a member of the Presbyterian church for many years. He married 2d, Aug. 10, 1854, Priscilla Church, born April 10, 1814; d. Jan. 7, 1857. He married 3d Eliza M. Rague in the state of New York. She was born in 1803; died in Chicago, Ill., Aug. 4, 1882.

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594. Hannibal Cicero St. Clair^a [1304], b. July 18, 1825, in Essex, Essex co., N. Y.; res. Kingfisher, Oklahoma.
595. Lorinda Helen St. Clair^a, b. Sept. 24, 1826, Essex, N. Y.; m. Feb. 22, 1850, George Lucian Ormsby. He was born in Clarendon, Vt., Aug. 17, 1820, and died in Decatur, Ill., Aug. 15, 1867. She resides 372 Bowen ave., Chicago, Ill. Children:
1. Albert Cicero Ormsby^a, b. April 4, 1851; employed in the post office at Chicago, Ill., and resides in that city; single.
 2. Emma Laurenda Ormsby^a, b. March 23, 1853; d. Sept. 3, 1854.
596. Marion Jeannette St. Clair^a, b. Essex, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1828; m. Oct. 19, 1852, Stephen Decatur Fisher of Essex, Essex co., N. Y. He was grandson of Gideon Fisher of Athens, Vt., and son of Asa and Louisa (Smith) Fisher. S. D. Fisher was born in Charlotte, Vt., March 7, 1882; lived in Essex, N. Y.; went to Illinois; was a teacher. Was secretary of the State Board of Agriculture for ten years, and filled other high offices of trust. He is a lawyer; res. Springfield, Ill. Mrs. Fisher never recovered from the effects of a severe fever, and died at Jacksonville, Ill., Nov. 10, 1867. No children.
597. Mary Taylor St. Clair^a, b. Essex, N. Y., Oct. 11, 1829; m. Sept. 5, 1850, Francis I. Taylor; res. Chicago, Ill., No. 5936 Wright street, Englewood. He is a hardware merchant. Children:
1. Mary Ella Taylor^a, b. Taylorville, Ill., May 2, 1854; d. Sept. 8, 1854.
 2. Francis Edgar Taylor^a, b. Taylorville, Ill., June 15, 1856; d. Oct. 25, 1856.
 3. Charles Cicero Taylor^a, b. Jan. 23, 1858, in Decatur, Ill.
 4. Clarence Elmer Taylor^a, b. Nov. 25, 1860, in Decatur, Ill.
 5. Frank St. Clair Taylor^a, b. Nov. 8, 1862, in Decatur, Ill.
 6. Eddle Oscar Taylor^a, b. Feb. 28, 1864, in Decatur, Ill.
 7. Luella May Taylor^a, b. Nov. 26, 1866, in Decatur, Ill.
 8. Minnie Bell Taylor^a, b. Aug. 8, 1869, in Decatur, Ill.

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598. Lorrace Oscar St. Clair⁷, b. East Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 1, 1832; m.
Feb. 10, 1853, Nancy E. Neal, b. 1830. He died in Mt. Pulaski,
Ill., Oct. 15, 1853. She lives in Rochester, Ill. Child:

1. Oscar Cleero St. Clair⁸, b. May 6, 1854; res. Chicago, Ill.; is
in the dry goods and clothing business.

599. Levi Mortimer St. Clair⁷, b. Rochester, Ill., May 2, 1834; d. Feb. 9,
1835.

600. Levi Mortimer St. Clair⁷ [1360], b. Rochester, Ill., Oct. 17, 1830;
res. Belle Plaine, Sumner co., Kan.

601. Amelia Eliza St. Clair⁷, b. Rochester, Ill., April 8, 1843; m. Oct. 18,
1866, Calvin C. Johnson; dealer in live stock in Chicago, Ill.;
res. there. Children:

1. Fannie Johnson⁸; res. Chicago, Ill.
2. Della Johnson⁸; res. Chicago, Ill.

602. Zebulon Sinclair⁶ [170] (Zebulon⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James²,
John¹). He was born Feb. 25, 1798; died in Holderness, N. H.,
March 28, 1872, aged 74 years. His home was in East Holderness,
where his son, John T. G. Sinclair, now lives. He was a farmer. He
married Mary, daughter of John Seavey of Portsmouth, N. H. She
died at Holderness April 11, 1880, aged 80 years, and was born in
1800.

CHILDREN BORN HOLDERNESS, N. H.

603. Thomas Sinclair⁷, b. about 1826; lived in Holderness. He married
March, 1866, Abigail, daughter of Christopher Moulton of Hol-
derness. She was born in Sanbornton, N. H., April 7, 1830.
He died in Holderness March 28, 1866, aged about 40 years.
She married 2d John P. Clifton of Holderness. She died Nov.
2, 1876.

604. Eliza Ann Sinclair⁷, born about 1830; died in Holderness Sept. 21,
1864.

605. John Taylor Gilman Sinclair⁷, b. May 7, 1834; farmer; resides on the
homestead in Holderness. He married 1854, Tabitha, daughter of
Christopher Moulton of Holderness. She was born Feb. 18,
1835; d. June 3, 1865. He married 2d, Feb. 28, 1866, Etta M.,
daughter of Christopher and Martha (Edgerly) Hilliard of
Centre Harbor, N. H. She was born Nov. 9, 1847. Children
b. Holderness, N. H.:

1. Al Sinclair⁸, b. March 3, 1855; d. September, 1857, aged 2
yrs. 6 mos.
2. Emma Bella Sinclair⁸, b. Dec. 12, 1858; m. Sept. 25, 1876,
Frank Dow. Child:
Irving Dow⁹, b. Meredith, N. H., March 24, 1878.
3. Alice Emma Sinclair⁸, b. June 3, 1864; m. Jan. 4, 1887, Frank
Marsh of Centre Harbor, N. H.
4. Jennie Martha Sinclair⁸, b. Jan. 1, 1867.

606. William Sinclair⁷, b. Sept. 11, 1840; farmer; lives in Holderness,
N. H.; single.

607. Noah Sinclair⁶ [174] (Jeremiah⁶, John⁴, Joseph³, James²,
John¹). He was born in Essex, Vt., April 24, 1792. Lived in
Essex, Vt., where he took the freeman's oath Sept. 1, 1812. He
was patriotic and shared with the Essex company of men the glory
of the American triumph at the battle of Plattsburg, N. Y., in which
he participated, Sept. 11, 1814. During the war he received a

severe wound in his foot, which lamed him for life, in consequence of which he was pensioned by the government. After the war he left Essex, and ever after made his home in Bartlett, N. H. Farmer and merchant. He married Lucinda (or Betsey), daughter of Samuel Carleton, born in Bartlett Aug. 26, 1793, where she died Sept. 22, 1822, aged 29 yrs. 2 mos. His 2d wife was Betsey, daughter of Woodman Carleton and cousin of his former wife. She was born in Bartlett, N. H., July 10, 1791, and died there Jan. 5, 1881. He died March 13, 1872.

CHILDREN BORN IN BARTLETT, N. H.

608. Elvira Sinclair²; m. Mr. Wheelock, and res. at Port Henry, N. Y. Four children.
 609. Davis Sinclair²; resided in Montpelier, Vt.; and is deceased.
 610. Henry Sinclair²; d. aged nine months.
 611. Lydia Frances Sinclair² (1872), b. Nov. 8, 1820; m. Joshua Larkin Wentworth.
 612. Henry White Sinclair² (1875), b. Nov. 24, 1824; res. Hingham, Mass.
 613. Edward Carleton Sinclair² (1880), b. Sept. 10, 1826; res. Bartlett, N. H.

614. Abigail Sinclair⁶ [175] (Jeremiah⁶, John⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born May 5, 1788; married John Keeler, and resided in Essex, Vt. He was a farmer, and died May 25, 1876, in his 90th year. She died Nov. 7, 1870, aged 81 years.

CHILD BORN ESSEX, VT.

615. Julia Keeler², b. Essex, Vt., April 1, 1809; m. Benjamin Young Warner of Essex, Vt., and now (1888) her mental powers are unabated, and her physical strength is not cut short. In her bright and cheerful old age she lives happily with her son, John Keeler Warner, in Essex.

CHILDREN BORN ESSEX, VT.

616. John Keeler Warner³, b. Dec. 2, 1832; lives upon the homestead; is a successful farmer, a prominent and intelligent and progressive citizen; has filled positions of trust in his town, and served as selectman three years; resided in Boston, Mass., for five years. He m. Harriet Spencer, who was b. Eastport, Me. Children b. Essex, Vt.:
 1. Willie Warner³, b. June 1, 1852; d. July, 1852.
 2. Mary Julia Warner³, b. Aug. 4, 1854; teacher; res. Essex, Vt.
 3. Lizzie Marion Warner³, b. May 23, 1869; teacher; res. Essex, Vt.
 4. Carrie Eugenie Warner³, b. Oct. 22, 1872.
 617. James Keeler Warner³, b. July 1, 1837. Has lived in Jericho, Vt., now res. in Essex; he m. Hannah, dau. of Denning Thompson, of that town. Children b. Essex, Vt.:
 1. James Elmer Warner³, b. Oct. 28, 1862; res. Essex.
 2. Jenny Louise Warner³, b. June 27, 1864.
 3. Lillie Emerett Warner³, b. Oct. 8, 1866; m. Charles Nichols; res. St. Charles, Ill.

618. Thomas Sinclair⁶ [167] (Jeremiah⁶, John⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was a resident of Essex, Vt.; was a soldier in the 1812-'15 war, and was stationed at one time at Swanton, Vt. In the battle of Lundy's Lane he was so severely wounded that he was

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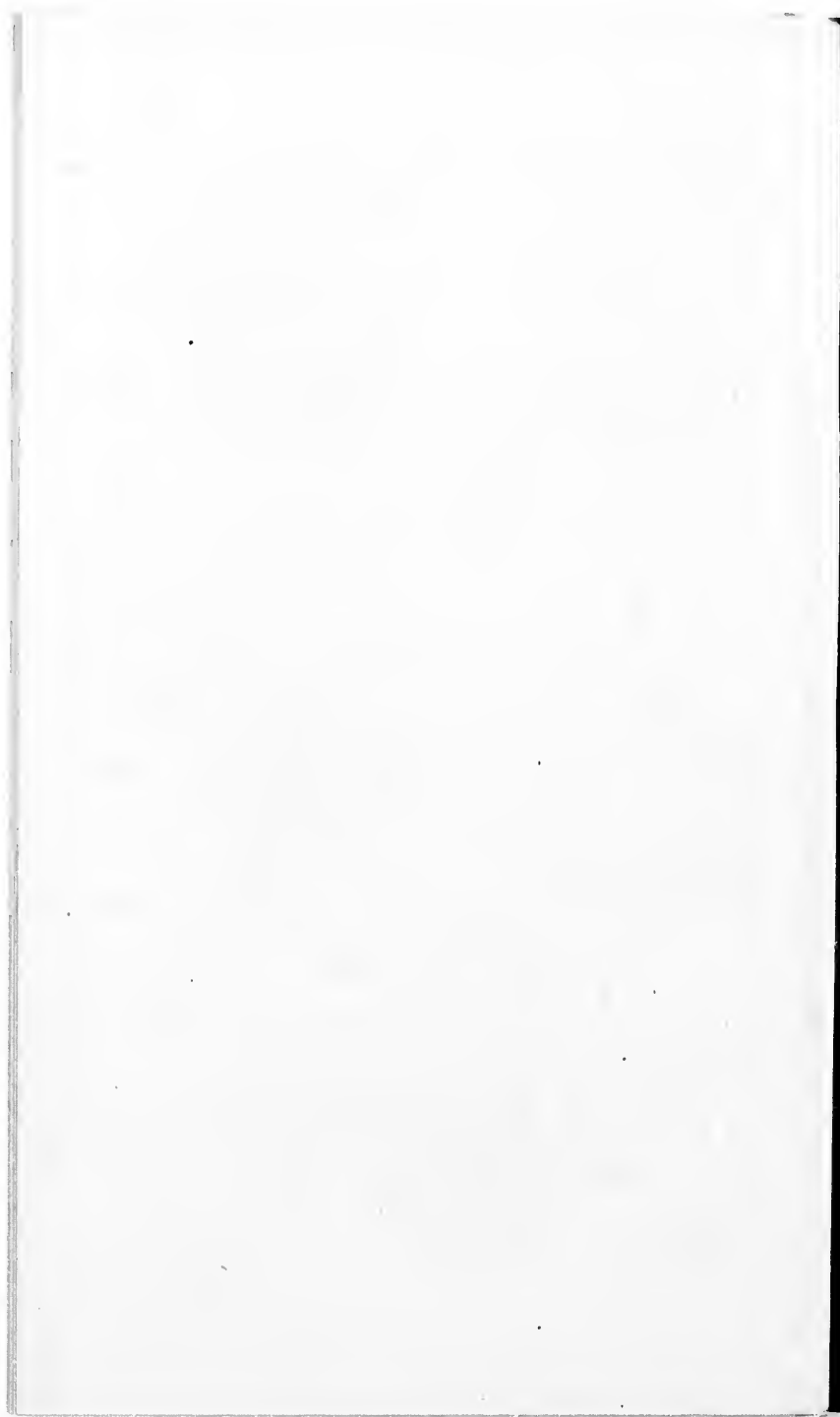
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ORISON THAYER SINCLAIR.



CURTIS SINCLAIR.



lamed for life, which caused him great suffering. He received a pension from the government. After the war he made his home in Berkshire, Vt., where he resided many years, and then removed to Bartlett, N. H., in 1834, and died in Conway, N. H., Sept. 11, 1865, aged 73 years. He married Aug. 22, 1813, Mary Austin of Berkshire; probably born in New Haven, Vt., and died in Bartlett, N. H., Feb. 24, 1864, aged 69 years.

CHILDREN.

- 619. Powell Austin Sinclair⁷ (1853), b. Berkshire, Vt., July 29, 1814; res. Bartlett, N. H.
- 620. George Howe Sinclair⁷ (1392), b. Berkshire, Vt., Oct. 19, 1817; removed to Toronto, Canada.
- 621. Minerva Sinclair⁷, b. Berkshire, Vt.; m. Daniel Lord of Elliot, Me., and is deceased. She had 2 children:
1. Emma Lord⁸; and one whose name is not known.
- 622. Orison Thayer Sinclair⁷ (1400), b. Berkshire, Vt., June 7, 1820; d. Bartlett, N. H., June 11, 1878.
- 623. Curtis Sinclair⁷ (1402), b. Berkshire, Vt., July 25, 1831; res. Conway, N. H., at Cotton's Landing.
- 624. Lucetta Sinclair⁷ (1410), b. Berkshire, Vt., May 22, 1832; m. John Hoyt of Jackson, N. H.
- 625. Edward Sinclair⁷, b. Berkshire, Vt.; res. in Morning Sun, Iowa; he m. Nancy Chaplin of Berkshire, Vt.
- 626. Sarah E. Sinclair⁷ (1416), b. Berkshire, Vt., May 17, 1835; m. Warren Chandler Wentworth of Jackson, N. H.

627. Eli Sinclair⁶ [177] (Jeremiah⁴, John⁴, Joseph⁴, James², John¹). Lived in Essex, Vt. Was lame, and an invalid for many years in consequence of a fever sore. He married Abigail Miller of Richeford, Vt. He died in the latter place, and after his decease she married again and went West.

628. John Sinclair⁶ [178] (Jeremiah⁴, John⁴, Joseph⁴, James², John¹). Much of his life was spent in Essex, Vt. Then he removed to Grafton, Mass., where he died Jan. 4, 1862. He was a farmer. He married Lucretia Wheelock, who was born at Millbury, Conn., Jan. 28, 1794, and died at the home of her daughter, in Oil City, Penn., June 19, 1886.

CHILDREN BORN ESSEX, VT.

- 629. John Elbridge Sinclair⁷ [1427], b. Feb. 2, 1824; res. Grafton, Mass.
- 630. Franklin J. Sinclair⁷ [1431], b. April 28, 1825; res. Johnson, Vt.
- 631. Persis Lucretia Sinclair⁷, b. March, 1837; m. May, 1862, James Warren Plimpton; res. Oil City, Penn. He was born July 8, 1837.
Children:
1. Charles W. Plimpton⁸.
2. Roy Plimpton⁸.
3. Earl Plimpton⁸.

632. Polly Sinclair⁶ [179] (Jeremiah⁴, John⁴, Joseph⁴, James², John¹). She was born in Essex, Vt., June 25, 1801, and died there May 22, 1868. She married Jan. 1, 1822, Joseph Barney Weed of

Essex, who was born in Lebanon, N. H., Aug. 14, 1794. He was prominent in the affairs of the town. In early life he was a Democrat in politics, but in the latter years was a prominent Republican. Their home was near the Westford line in the north part of Essex. Each was a consistent member of the Baptist church. He died in Essex, Oct. 2, 1883. She died there in 1870.

CHILDREN BORN IN ESSEX, VT., EXCEPT THE 2D.

633. Albert Weed⁷, b. Feb. 7, 1823; formerly res. in Westford, Vt., but in 1888 res. in Essex; farmer. He m. Sept. 18, 1840, in Colchester, Vt., Julia Allen, who d. in 1887. Children:
1. { James A. Weed⁸, b. Essex, Vt., July 18, 1850; d. the same day.
 2. { George A. Weed⁸, b. Essex, Vt., July 18, 1850; d. in Westford, Vt., June 7, 1874.
 3. Eugene E. Weed⁸, b. Essex, Vt., June 20, 1852; m. Oct. 1, 1873, G. A. Stockwell, in Westford, Vt.
 4. Eolia I. Weed⁸, b. Westford, Vt., Jan. 7, 1855; m. Dec. 19, 1881, M. A. Nichols, in Essex, Vt.
 5. Kittie J. A. Weed⁸, b. Essex, Vt., Aug. 15, 1859; m. in Westford, Vt., May 22, 1879, J. E. Metcalf.
 6. Charles A. Weed⁸, b. Westford, Vt., May 26, 1864.
634. Adaline Weed⁷, b. West Plattsburg, N. Y., Aug. 29, 1824; m. Nov. 9, 1845, Simon J. Hill, of Westford, Vt.; he d. and she m. 2d, July 5, 1861, Lorenzo Holbrook, who is deceased; she lives with her son in South-Hanover, Mass. Children:
1. Florence Emogene Hill⁸, b. Burke, N. Y., Sept. 4, 1851; d. in Essex, Vt., March 4, 1853.
 2. Ida Emogene Hill⁸, b. Somonauk, DeKalb co., Ill., Sept. 19, 1855; m. Jan. 1, 1880, Charles H. Hackett, of Hingham, Mass.
 3. Edwin Eugene Hill⁸, b. Somonauk, DeKalb co., Ill., Nov. 15, 1856; m. Sept. 22, 1894, Abbie A. Taylor; farmer and painter; res. South Hanover, Mass.
635. Julia Ann Weed⁷, b. June 21, 1826; d. March 26, 1829.
636. Lydia Ann Weed⁷, b. June 12, 1828; m. Dec. 9, 1849, Oscar S. Fleming; res. Somerville, Mass. Children:
1. William B. Fleming⁸, b. Johnson, Vt., Sept. 5, 1856; m. March 4, 1878, Nellie Campbell, who d. Aug. 14, 1888, leaving an infant daughter.
 2. Edwin L. Fleming⁸, b. Lowell, Vt., Feb. 22, 1859; m. July 3, 1877, Mary Freeman; res. Lowell, Vt.
 3. George L. Fleming⁸, b. Lowell, Vt., Oct. 22, 1867; res. Somerville, Mass.
637. Roswell Weed⁷, b. April 15, 1830; m. Oct. 1, 1851, Maria Bates, and res. in Wilson, Minn.; he was a member of the 12th Wisconsin regiment of volunteers for three years during the Rebellion.
638. William Weed⁷, b. Nov. 5, 1832; m. Jan. 9, 1869, Melissa Elizabeth, dau. of Edgar Eberit and Susan (Bailey) Annis; he is a farmer; res. Lowell, Vt. Children:
1. Maud Hunter Weed⁸, b. July 18, 1871.
 2. Arthur Barney Weed⁸, b. Aug. 8, 1872.
 3. Grace Huntley Weed⁸, b. March 27, 1874.
 4. { Bertha Weed⁸, b. June 3, 1876.
 5. { Bessie Weed⁸, b. June 3, 1876.
639. Lucretia Abigail Weed⁷, b. Jan. 4, 1835; m. March 3, 1855, Giles Reynolds, who was b. March 21, 1810, and d. July 25, 1884; she lives in Lowell, Vt. Children:
1. Lizzie Reynolds⁸, b. Aug. 3, 1858.

Aug. 14, 1794. He was early life he was a Democrat a prominent Republican. the north part of Essex. ptist church. He died in 70.

EXCEPT THE 2D.

res. in Westford, Vt., but in Sept. 18, 1849, in Colchester, Children: July 18, 1850; d. the same July 18, 1850; d. in Westford, Vt., June 20, 1852; m. Oct. 1, 1855; m. Dec. 19, 1855; m. in Westford, Vt., May 26, 1864.

Aug. 29, 1824; m. Nov. 9, 1824; he d. and she m. 2d, July 1824; she lives with her son: N. Y., Sept. 4, 1851; d. in DeKalb co., Ill., Sept. 19, 1851. H. Hackett, of Hingham, DeKalb co., Ill., Nov. 15, 1851. A. Taylor; farmer and tannery.

Dec. 26, 1829. Oscar S. Fleming, Vt., Sept. 5, 1856; m. H. Hackett, who d. Aug. 14, 1888, Vt., Feb. 22, 1859; m. July 1859, Vt., Oct. 22, 1867; res. 1, 1851, Maria Bates, and member of the 12th Wisconsin years during the Rebellion. 9, 1869, Melissa Elizabeth, (ley) Annis; he is a farmer;

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5; m. March 3, 1855, Giles, and d. July 25, 1884; she

2. Alice Reynolds^s, b. March 22, 1860.
3. Giles B. Reynolds^s, b. Nov. 24, 1860.
4. Abbie L. Reynolds^s, b. Aug. 14, 1868.
5. Sarah A. Reynolds^s, b. Aug. 24, 1871.
640. Sarah Jennett Weed^s, b. May 19, 1837; m. Oct. 3, 1855, Daniel Giddings, who d. in Canterbury, Knox co., Ohio, Nov. 7, 1885; aged 50 years. Children:
 1. Nellie M. Giddings^s, b. Oct. 29, 1856; d. March 8, 1871.
 2. James Weed Giddings^s, b. Westford, Vt., May 17, 1869.
641. Susan E. Weed^s, b. Jan. 2, 1840; d. March 3, 1841.
642. Martha E. Weed^s, b. Feb. 12, 1842; m. March 4, 1863, Pearl Castle Abbey of Essex, Vt. He was son of Ira and Emily (Cliley) Abbey; graduated at New Hampton, N. H., Institution in 1862; is a deacon of the 1st Baptist church in Essex, Vt., where he lives, superintendent of Sabbath school, superintendent of the public schools, and has served as selectman; is a J. P. and president of Essex Classical Institution. Children:
 1. Bert Wood Abbey^s, b. Nov. 20, 1869; in 1888, was a member of the University at Burlington, Vt.
 2. Pearl May Abbey^s, b. Sept. 6, 1872; student.
643. Edwin Barney Weed^s, b. Nov. 30, 1846; m. Feb. 23, 1871, Viola A. Brownell, of Colchester, Vt.; res. on the homestead, Essex, Vt.

644. Leander Dudley Sinclair^s [181] (Jeremiah^s, John^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Essex, Vt., Aug. 19, 1804. In March, 1826, he joined his brother, Noah Sinclair, in Bartlett, N. H., and in the June following engaged in the staging business, which he successfully prosecuted for many years. His route was from Ossipee to Conway, N. H., which was lengthened till he owned the entire line from Ossipee to Dover. On the introduction of railroad his business was gradually curtailed until 1872, when it was entirely relinquished, after a prosperous management of forty-five years.

He settled on a farm near the railroad station, which was ever after his home. His mind was strong and vigorous, and he was active and influential in his town; was a Republican, and for seventeen years was postmaster. He was a member of the legislature for two years, about the years 1844 and '45, being then a Whig. He died in Ossipee, N. H., Oct. 28, 1889. He married Feb. 23, 1832, Olive W. Kimball, of Wells, Me., who died May 28, 1867. He married 2d, Sept. 18, 1867, Mrs. Addie Winchell (Spencer), daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Durpin) Tasker, of Ossipee. She was the widow of Nathaniel Spencer; was born in that town June 13, 1824, and is still living.

CHILDREN.

645. Prudence Abbey Sinclair^s, b. Ossipee, N. H., Oct. 16, 1832; m. Spencer M. Kallock; res. Providence, R. I.; he is a carpenter. Children:
 1. Lewis Howes Kallock^s; dentist; res. Providence, R. I.
 2. George Kallock^s; is a railroad employe; res. Ossipee, N. H.
646. Jeremiah Sinclair^s (1438), b. Conway, N. H., April 13, 1834; res. Ossipee, N. H.
647. Mary Odell Sinclair^s, b. Conway, N. H., Dec. 3, 1835; m. John T. Pittman of Chelsea, Mass.; merchant, of the firm of Pittman & Davis. Child:
 1. Marlon Pittman^s.

648. Elizabeth C. Sinclair^r, b. Conway, N. H., Oct. 15, 1837; d. Feb. 1, 1864.
649. John Keeler Sinclair^r, b. Conway, N. H., July 4, 1839; m. Rachel Murdock of Prince Edward Island; res. Boston, Mass.
650. Moses Canney Sinclair^r, b. Ossipee, N. H., Nov. 26, 1841; res. in his native town; farmer. He m. Achsah Wentworth, of that place. Children:
 1. Frank Sinclair^s.
 2. Chester Wentworth Sinclair^s.
651. Olive Ann Sinclair^r, b. Ossipee, N. H., Feb. 25, 1844; m. Miner C. Baldwin; teacher of music; res. Chicago, Ill.; no children.
652. Leander Dudley Sinclair, Jr.^r, b. Ossipee, N. H.; has resided some years in San Francisco, Cal., where he is superintendent of gas business. He m. Hattie Sweetser of Chelsea, Mass. Children:
 1. Leon Sinclair^s, is deceased.
 2. Charles Sinclair^s.
653. Charles Henry Sinclair^r, b. Ossipee, N. H., May, 1849; is a merchant in Beverly, Mass.; he m. Alvesta Goodwin; no children.
654. George M. Sinclair^r, b. Ossipee, N. H., April 20, 1851; d. May 22, 1855.
655. William C. Sinclair^r, b. Ossipee, N. H., Feb. 3, 1854; is station agent in his native town.
656. Carrie Estella Sinclair^r, b. Ossipee, N. H., June 7, 1857; bookkeeper; res. Ossipee, N. H.

657. Michael Sinclair^s [184] (Samuel^s, John^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Essex, Vt., July 29, 1793; was a carpenter, lumberman, and farmer; a great portion of his life was spent in his native town, where he was moderately successful. Was a Democrat in politics, and attended the Universalist church. In stature he was tall and slim. The last years of his life he spent at Hubbell's Falls, and Burlington, Vt., and is interred with others of his race in the Green Mountain cemetery. He married Annis, daughter of Caleb White of Essex, Vt., who was born Aug. 19, 1789, and died April 14, 1839, aged 49 yrs. 7 mos.

CHILDREN BORN IN ESSEX, VT.

658. Ellza Sinclair^r, b. Nov. 14, 1813; d. Oct. 12, 1815, aged 1 yr. 11 mos.; buried in Essex, Vt.
659. Orville Sinclair^r (1441), b. Feb. 13, 1816; d. April 14, 1878; res. Burlington, Vt.
660. Louisa Sinclair^r, b. June 13, 1817; d. March 20, 1819, buried in Essex, Vt.
661. Minerva Butler Sinclair^r, b. March 5, 1819; m. Horace W. Barrett of Colchester, Vt. P. O. Winooski, Vt. He was agent for a manufacturing establishment for many years. She is deceased. No children.
662. Mary Marilla Sinclair^r, b. Sept. 13, 1822; d. Dec. 21, 1843, aged 21 yrs. 3 mos. 8 days. She married Henry Tlmans of Bethel, Conn.; res. in Burlington, Vt. He returned to Bethel, Conn., after her decease. No children.
663. Charlotte Sinclair^r, b. Dec. 3, 1826; m. Jonathan Newell of Winooski, Vt.; clothier.; d. Jan. 6, 1876. She res. there. Children b. Winooski, Vt.:
 1. Lucy Elizabeth Newell^s, b. Aug. 31, 1858; lives at home.
 2. Carrie C. Newell^s, b. Sept. 24, 1862; d. July 7, 1864.
664. Angeline Sinclair^r; d. at Winooski, Vt.

Oct. 15, 1837; d. Feb. 1,

July 4, 1839; m. Rachel
Boston, Mass.

Nov. 26, 1841; res. in his
Wentworth, of that place.

Feb. 25, 1844; m. Miner C.
go, Ill.; no children.

N. H.; has resided some
is superintendent of gas
Chelsea, Mass. Children:

May, 1849; is a merchant
win; no children.

April 20, 1851; d. May 22,

3, 1854; is station agent

June 7, 1857; bookkeeper:

John⁴, Joseph², James²,

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, 1858; lives at home.

; d. July 7, 1864.



MICHAEL SINCLAIR.



ORVILLE SINCLAIR.



MRS. AUGUSTA M. SINCLAIR.



ORVILLE GATES SINCLAIR.



SAMUEL THAYER SINCLAIR.



FRANK OSCAR SINCLAIR.



HENRY TIMANUS SINCLAIR.



GEORGE SWIFT SINCLAIR.

665. Samuel Connor Sinclair⁶ [185] (Samuel⁶, John⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born at Essex, Vt., July 12, 1795. He was a wheelwright and a millwright; resided in the town of his nativity many years, and in 1835 he removed to Lyndonville, a village in the town of Yates, Orleans co., N. Y. Some of his relatives had been residents of that county for many years. James Sinclair and family were in Barre, as were also Enoch and Asa Sinclair. He married Samantha, daughter of Heman Barney, who was born Feb. 15, 1775; lived in Essex, Vt., and died Feb. 13, 1857, in Barre, Orleans co., N. Y. She was born March 7, 1796, in Essex, and died at Lyndonville, N. Y., May 16, 1835. Mr. Sinclair married 2d Sally Remington, who removed to the West after her husband's death, which occurred at Lyndonville, N. Y., Nov. 18, 1838.

CHILDREN BORN ESSEX, VT.

666. Heman Barney Sinclair⁷ (1451), b. Aug. 22, 1816; d. at Chicago, Ill., Nov. 8, 1888; m. Tabitha, dau. of Stephen Willie Mudgett of Deerfield, N. H., but who located in New York in 1816.
 667. Henry Malcolm Sinclair⁷ (1454), b. July 3, 1819; merchant; res. Cleveland, Ohio, Station B.
 668. Ella Goodwin Sinclair⁷ (1457), b. Oct. 22, 1822; m. Oct. 6, 1884, Warren E. Sawyer; farmer; res. Lyndonville, Orleans co., N. Y.
 669. Samuel Connor Sinclair, Jr.⁷ (1461), b. Sept. 19, 1825; m. Nov. 15, 1851, Ann Manahan; res. Lyndonville, N. Y.
 670. Helen Malone Sinclair⁷ (1465), b. June 28, 1827; m. William Hutchinson, and res. in Lyndonville, N. Y.
 671. Lucius Augustus Sinclair⁷ (1470), b. Nov. 7, 1829; res. Bellevue, Ohio; d. Jan. 18, 1886.
 672. Sidney Franklin Sinclair⁷ (1477), b. June 28, 1831; res. Bellevue, Ohio.
 673. Mary Samantha Sinclair⁷ (1486), b. Jan. 16, 1835; m. William Gray, and res. Lyndonville, N. Y.

674. Chester Henderson Sinclair⁸ [186] (Samuel⁶, John⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). His native place was Essex, Vt., and was born July 19, 1806. In his earlier years he resided at Essex, and Charlotte, Vt. Removed to Moira, Franklin co., N. Y.; farmer. He married July 19, 1826, Laura Ward, daughter of David Austin of Waterbury, Vt., where she was born July 26, 1805, and died at Moira, N. Y., March 5, 1857. He married 2d, June 2, 1857, Sarah Jennette Hoyt of Essex, Vt., who was born at Moretown, Vt., April, 1815, and died at Moira, N. Y., June 4, 1887. He died at Moira Oct. 9, 1883.

CHILDREN.

675. Ellen Frances Sinclair⁷, b. Essex, Vt., Jan. 23, 1830; m. March 29, 1849, Lucius Saxton, a farmer, who d. Dec. 18, 1886; they res. in Moira, N. Y. Children born Moira, N. Y.:
 1. Leslie Luther Saxton⁸, b. Jan. 21, 1850; m. Aug. 1, 1878, Sarah L. Pease; farmer; res. Moira, N. Y. Child:
 i. Fannie Saxton⁹, b. Nov. 19, 1879.
 2. Ella Elizabeth Saxton⁸, b. Jan. 10, 1852; d. Moira, Aug. 14, 1883.



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3. George Washington Saxton^s, b. Sept. 1, 1855; d. Moira, Jan. 24, 1873.
4. Watson Ward Saxton^s, b. Nov. 9, 1857; m. Oct. 17, 1882, Fannie D. Scheoff, who d. Sept. 20, 1884. He m. 2d, Feb. 22, 1886, Jaule P. Scheoff, who d. Oct. 17, 1886; he m. 3d, April 14, 1888, Mary Andrus: res. Moira, N. Y.; P. O. Braughton, N. Y.
5. Edson Willis Saxton^s, b. Feb. 24, 1863; res. Moira, N. Y.
6. Myra Jane Saxton^s, b. Jan. 4, 1868; d. at Moira, June 23, 1887.
7. Warren Willis Saxton^s, b. June 16, 1875; res. Moira, N. Y.
676. Lura Lucinda Sinclair^r, b. Essex, Vt., Jan. 15, 1832; m. June 20, 1852, Enoch Brown Harris; farmer; res. Moira, N. Y. He d. Oct. 20, 1887. Children born Moira, N. Y.
 - i. Chester Franklin Harris^s, b. Nov. 1, 1853; m. Sarah Ann Wood; farmer; he res. at Moira, N. Y. Children:
 - i. Esther L. Harris^s, b. July 17, 1881.
 - ii. Rose Harris^s, b. May 20, 1883.
 - iii. Fleet Wood Harris^s, b. Jan. 24, 1885.
 2. Lura Sophia Harris^s, b. Jan. 3, 1857; m. April 8, 1884, William Lawrence Dewey; res. Moira, N. Y.
 3. Mary Elizabeth Harris^s, b. Aug. 16, 1861; d. Moira, N. Y., March 17, 1884.
 4. Seraph Jennette Harris^s, b. Sept. 25, 1865; m. Sept. 19, 1885, George A. Wilson; res. Malone, N. Y. Child:
 - i. Lawrence Huntington Wilson^s, b. July 1, 1887.
 5. George Berton Harris^s, b. March 5, 1874; d. Moira, N. Y., Oct. 26, 1874.
 6. Hollis Hobart Harris^s, b. Nov. 3, 1876; res. Malone, Franklin co., N. Y.

677. George W. Sinclair^s [187] (Samuel^s, John^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Essex, Vt., and resided there many years. He there took the Freeman's oath Sept. 1, 1829. In 1842 or '43 he removed to Moira, N. Y., then to Lyndonville, the same state, and about 1849 to Schoolcraft, Mich. He married Jane, daughter of John and Nancy McLean of Essex, Vt., who died and he married 2d Electa, daughter of Isaac and Betsey Cady, of Essex, Vt. He married 3d a lady in Michigan. By tradition his family is as follows:

CHILDREN.

678. Mary Jane Sinclair^r, b. in Essex, Vt., and d. there aged 6 years.
679. George Franklin Sinclair^r, b. Essex, Vt.
680. Mercy Letitia Sinclair^r, b. Essex, Vt.; m. Dr. Seeley of Schoolcraft, Mich.
681. Laura Marilla Sinclair^r, b. Moira, N. Y.
682. Mary Jane Sinclair^r.
683. Nancy Sinclair^r.

684. Freeman A. Sinclair^s [198] (Capt. Joseph^s, John^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Essex, Vt., May 28, 1802; farmer; lived in Essex, then Jericho, and died in Cambridge, Vt., Feb. 26, 1871, aged 69 years. He married Eunice Griffin of Essex, Vt., who died Oct. 27, 1831, aged 25 years. She is buried at Essex Centre. He was buried at Jericho Corner. His 2d wife was Mrs. Olive (Hutchings) Ransom of Jericho, Vt. She resides in Cam-

, 1855; d. Moira, Jan. 17, 1886; he m. 3d, Moira, N. Y.; P. O.

res. Moira, N. Y. at Moira, June 23, 1887. 5, 1832; m. June 20, Moira, N. Y. He d.

1853; m. Sarah Ann Y. Children:

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bridge, Vt., with her son, Frederick T. Sinclair. She was born 1806.

CHILDREN.

685. Charlotte Sinclair⁷, b. July 29, 1823; m. Josephus Thatcher Nov. 14, 1850; farmer; they lived in Williston, Vt., then in Winoski, Vt., then in Essex, where he d. Sept. 18, 1886. He was b. in 1812.
686. Fannie Jane Sinclair⁷, b. 1827; m. John Bliss of Williston, Vt.; blacksmith, and res. there in 1888. She d. June 3, 1882, aged 55 years; no children.
687. Lucinda M. Sinclair⁷, b. Dec. 1, 1837; m. Andrew Lavigne, and res. in Cambridge, Vt. Child:
 1. Fannie Lavigne⁸, b. July 4, 1857; m. Fred Smith, and d. March, 1886.
688. Frederick T. Sinclair⁷, b. Feb. 14, 1839; farmer, and res. in Cambridge, Vt. He m. Louise Locklin, of Jericho, Vt. Child:
 1. Allen B. Sinclair⁸, b. April 1, 1861; m. Hattie Warner, of Cambridge, Vt., and res. Cambridge, Vt.; farmer. Child:
 1. Henry Warner Sinclair⁹, b. July 6, 1883.
689. Polly Ann Sinclair⁷, b. Jan. 18, 1842; m. Dwight Williams Jan. 31, 1858. He was b. 1836; res. in Jericho, Vt.; farmer. Child:
 1. Castle E. Williams⁸, b. Dec. 6, 1858, in Essex, Vt.; m. Sarah Page of Essex, and res. in Jericho, Vt.; farmer; 3 children:
 - i. Blanch Williams⁹, b. Aug. 30, 1880.
 - ii. Ollie Williams⁹, b. Oct. 19, 1882.
 - iii. Maud Williams⁹, b. Oct. 23, 1886.
 2. Percy G. Williams⁸, b. Feb. 14, 1862; m. Charles M. Ransom of Essex, Vt., Sept., 1883. Child:
 - i. Guy M. Ransom⁹, b. July 6, 1885.

690. Sally Sinclair⁸ [199] (Capt. Joseph⁴, John⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John¹). She was born in Essex, Vt., June 19, 1806; married Joel Bellows of that town, and died June 6, 1882.

CHILDREN BORN ESSEX, VT.

691. Almany Bellows⁷, b. Feb. 4, 1827; m. Gustavus A. Connor Feb. 21, 1866; farmer; was of Essex, Vt., lived in Jericho; an adopted dau. Eva Bellows.
692. Cordelia E. Bellows⁷, b. Nov. 26, 1829; m. Holly Abel Castle; farmer; res. Essex, Vt. Children:
 1. Ida Castle⁸; m. June, 1888, Morrow Metcalf of Underhill, Vt.
 2. May Castle⁸; res. Essex, Vt.
693. Charles P. Bellows⁷, b. Jan. 13, 1831; res. Dixville, Canada.
694. Albert Bellows⁷, b. April 11, 1833; has been thrice m. His 3d wife was Abbie Bradley of Essex, Vt. Their home is in Cambridge, Vt. No children.
695. Carlos D. Bellows⁷, b. Oct. 19, 1836; m. Oct. 2, 1871, Lizzie George; farmer; res. Dixville, Québec. Children:
 1. Sadie J. Bellows⁸, b. Dec. 18, 1874.
 2. Warren C. Bellows⁸, b. Aug. 18, 1876.
 3. Jerldenia L. Bellows⁸, b. June 19, 1878.
 4. Naomah A. Bellows⁸, b. Jan. 26, 1880.
 5. Howard C. Bellows⁸, b. Nov. 18, 1882.
 6. Percy Garfield Bellows⁸, b. March 21, 1884.
 7. George A. Bellows⁸, b. July 19, 1885.

696. Dwight E. Bellows¹, b. April 3, 1838; m. Rhoda Atherton; res. Essex, Vt. Children:
 1. Abbie Bellows²; deceased.
 2. Burt Bellows³.
 3. Blanche Bellows⁴.
697. Fanny Bellows¹, b. March 6, 1840; m. Albert Flanders, of St. Johns, Quebec; railroad engineer, and is deceased; she res. at St. Johns. Child:
 1. Loren Flanders²; res. St. Johns, Quebec.
698. Joseph Bellows¹, b. Oct. 1, 1843; m. Sept. 6, 1869, Rosina E. Mars of Milton, Vt.; he is a farmer, and res. in that town. She was b. there Aug. 31, 1846. Children:
 1. Alice Bellows², b. Milton, Vt., Jan. 27, 1870.
 2. Rollin Albert Bellows³, b. June 4, 1871; d. June 28, 1886.
 3. Emily Eliza Bellows⁴, b. Colchester, Vt., Sept. 27, 1886.
699. Lydia Bellows¹, b. May 25, 1849; m. William Renof of Essex, Vt., who died in Massachusetts. She m. 2d ———, and resides in Lynn, Mass. 3 children.

700. George Brighton Sinclair¹ [201] (Capt. Joseph², John³, Joseph⁴, James⁵, John⁶). He was born in Essex, Vt., March 23, 1822; married Dec. 26, 1847, Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel and Abigail (Shattuck) Keeler of Essex, Vt., a woman of marked intelligence, force of character, and executive ability. She was born Dec. 13, 1828, and resides on the home farm in Essex, Vt. This is a finely situated and productive one, near the railroad station in Jericho, Vt. From this pleasant home there is a fine landscape view. The sight of valleys, plains, hills, and mountains near and in the distance affords one the greatest pleasure. Mr. Sinclair was a farmer, an attendant of the Congregational church, a Republican in politics, and held in esteem by his acquaintances. He died on his farm in Essex, July 21, 1888.

CHILDREN BORN ESSEX, VT.

701. James Wayland Sinclair¹, b. Aug. 10, 1848; d. of scarlet fever, Dec. 22, 1858.
702. Edward Frank Sinclair², b. July 28, 1850; d. of scarlet fever, Dec. 21, 1858.
703. George Arthur Sinclair³, b. Dec. 28, 1851; architect and builder; res. Beverly, Macon co., Mo.
704. John Keeler Sinclair⁴, b. Oct. 20, 1853; d. of scarlet fever, Dec. 20, 1858.
705. Edmund Shattuck Sinclair⁵, b. Oct. 2, 1855; millwright; res. Essex, Vt. He m. May 18, 1892, Ruth A., dau. of Newell Clark of Underhill, Vt.
706. Clinton Jewell Sinclair⁶, b. March 10, 1857; clerk; res. Bristol, N. H.
707. Willie Spencer Sinclair⁷, b. Aug. 4, 1859; d. Oct. 2, 1882, at Sweatland, Nevada co., Cal. He m. June 4, 1882, Katie Kyle, who res. Sacramento, Cal. Child:
 1. Polly Sinclair⁸, b. May 22, 1883.
708. Abbie Elizabeth Sinclair⁹, b. July 11, 1864; a lady of much intelligence and force of character; artist; res. Essex, Vt.
709. Hammond Whittock Sinclair¹⁰, b. May 23, 1866; res. Essex, Vt. He m. Kittle, dau. of William Hanley of Essex, Vt., Feb. 22, 1892.
710. Benjamin St. Clair¹ [205] (Jacob², James³, Joseph⁴, James⁵, John⁶). He was born Nov. 11, 1782, married June 5, 1805, Nancy,

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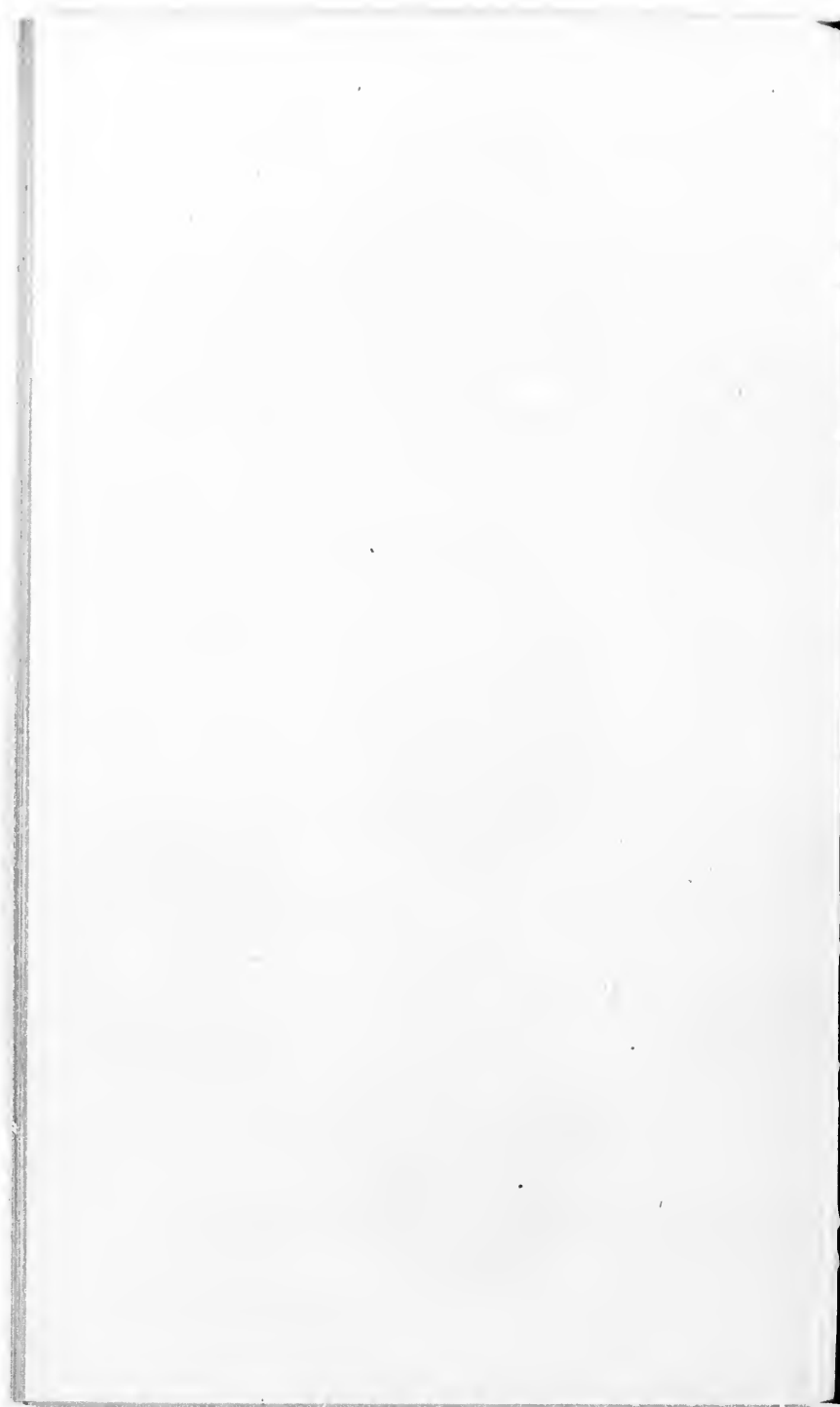
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ABBIE ELIZABETH SINCLAIR.



daughter of Benjamin and Rebecca (Pike) Pease, of Meredith, N. H., who was born there Oct. 30, 1779, and died Jan. 3, 1858, in New Hampton, N. H., aged 78 yrs. 2 mos. 3 days. Mr. St. Clair died Oct. 5, 1872, aged 89 yrs. 10 mos. 24 days. He succeeded his father on the homestead farm in New Hampton, and he added greatly to his landed possessions. On the 25th of June, 1807, he purchased 280 acres of Ebenezer Smith in Meredith, a part of the 4th division of land in that town, and on March 31, 1814, he bought forty acres more of Mark Boynton of Boston, Mass., but who died in New Hampton.

He was commissioned by Gov. John Langdon as a lieutenant in the 5th company and 29th regiment of the militia, on the 17th of July, 1811, and subsequently was promoted to a captaincy. Was a Whig in political faith. He was nervous in temperament, and a successful business manager. He was of medium height, with black hair, and dark complexion, and weighed 180 lbs. Mrs. St. Clair was tall and spare, with sandy complexion, above the average in size.

CHILDREN BORN NEW HAMPTON, N. H.

711. John Mooney St. Clair^r (1489), b. Feb. 20, 1806; res. Cambridge, Mass.
712. Elizabeth Martin St. Clair^r (1492), b. May 11, 1811; m. Thomas J. Hilton; res. Lynn, Mass.
713. Benjamin Franklin St. Clair^r (1495), b. Aug. 14, 1813; res. Bangor, Me.
714. Charles Pinekney St. Clair^r (1499), b. Nov. 8, 1823; res. New Hampton, N. H., and is deceased.

715. Ira St. Clair^a [205] (Jacob^a, James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born on the homestead of the family in New Hampton, N. H., Aug. 9, 1796, and was a lawyer by profession. He read law with Stephen Moody of Gilmanton, and S. C. Lyford of Gilford, and commenced the practice of law in New Hampton in 1824. The following year he located in Deerfield, N. H., which ever after was his home. In 1848 he was appointed Judge of Probate for Rockingham county, and held his position until 1858. He possessed caution, prudence, was well read in the law, and acceptably filled his position. His personal reputation was untarnished, and his fellow-citizens gave him their confidence and respect. Judge St. Clair married Dec. 20, 1827, Anna S. Jenness of Deerfield, who was born May 6, 1805, and died Aug. 25, 1845. He married 2d, Dec. 16, 1846, Eliza E., daughter of Judge James B. Creighton of Newmarket, who was born Dec. 6, 1819. He died at Deerfield Parade, N. H., April 25, 1875. No children.

716. Sarah St. Clair^a [213] (Noah^a, James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). She was born in Canterbury, N. H., March 1, 1788, and died in Concord, N. H., May 3, 1872. She married Asa Graham, a well-to-do widower with several children. Farmer; resided in East Concord, N. H., in a locality called Snaaptown. Her natural powers

were excellent. Was a great reader, and lover of music, and had rare executive abilities. She was large in stature, with a strong and robust frame.

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717. John Graham¹. He became an elder in the Shaker community, and d. in Canterbury, N. H.
 718. Aaron Graham¹. Was in business in Boston, Mass., for several years. Was never m., and d. in Concord, N. H.
 719. Elizabeth Graham¹; m. William Brown of Concord, N. H., and d. there. No children.
 720. Frank Carpenter Graham¹; single; res. Concord, N. H. He was a soldier of the Union, and was exceedingly anxious to participate in a battle, and complained bitterly that no fighting would ever occur where he was. His desire to be in action was at length granted. He entered the battle, when a ball struck him plump between the eyes, passed through his head, killing him instantly.

721. Abigail St. Clair^a [217] (Noah^a, James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John¹). She was born in Canterbury, N. H., March 10, 1797; married in 1820 Israel, son of Jonathan Davis of Loudon, N. H., who was born in Canterbury, N. H. He was a mechanic and millwright; removed to Amity, Me., where he died about 1865, nearly 84 years of age. She died in Amity, about 1875.

CHILDREN.

722. Benjamin Birdsall Davis¹, b. Loudon, N. H., Sept. 1, 1821. Has been a successful instructor in vocal music for many years; single; res. Concord, N. H.
 723. Adaline Davis¹, b. 1823; res. Oldtown, Me.
 724. John Redford Davis¹; res. Loudon, N. H.
 725. Elbridge Davis¹; farmer; res. Amity, Me.
 726. Catherine Davis¹; res. Amity, Me.

727. Nancy St. Clair^a [218] (Noah^a, James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John¹). She was born in Canterbury, N. H., Oct. 2, 1799. Her mental and physical powers were strong; a good musician and singer, and member of the church choir, and member of the Baptist church. Her powers of endurance were great, and after a life of usefulness she died in Canterbury, N. H., May 24, 1875. She married March 26, 1822, John Fletcher, who was born in Loudon, N. H., March 16, 1795. They lived on the Sinclair farm in Canterbury. He was a man of good judgment, sterling honesty, and member of the Baptist church; most of the offices in town were filled by him. In politics, a Democrat in early life, and a Republican in later years. He died April 23, 1876.

CHILDREN BORN CANTERBURY, N. H.

728. Lavina Ann Fletcher¹, b. Nov. 28, 1822; m. Nov. 5, 1843, Edmund D. Hill of Canterbury, N. H.; mechanic; settled in Loudon, then in Franklin, and afterwards in Bath, N. H., where he d. She is deceased. 2 children.

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729. William Morrill Fletcher², b. Dec. 21, 1827; m. Jan. 1, 1852, Lucina J. Clough, of Canterbury, N. H., who d. 1869. He m. 2d Christina, dau. of William Abbott of Loudon, N. H.; farmer; res. Loudon, N. H. Children:

1. John True Fletcher³, b. Feb. 5, 1853; single; res. Canterbury, N. H.
2. Cora Bell Fletcher³; m. Nov. 1, 1879, in Lowell, Mass., Charles Edward Buckland; res. Peterborough, N. H. 2 children.
3. Charles W. Fletcher³, b. Jan. 12, 1855; lives in Loudon, N. H.
4. Albert O. Fletcher³, b. July 7, 1857; in the West.
5. Annette B. Fletcher³, b. April 24, 1860; d. April 14, 1862.
6. Eva M. Fletcher³, b. Sept. 20, 1861; res. Canterbury, N. H.
7. Cora B. Fletcher³, b. Oct. 6, 1863.
8. George M. Fletcher³, b. Jan. 12, 1865.
9. Lucina J. Fletcher³, b. Sept. 23, 1868.

730. John Maurice Fletcher¹, b. July 24, 1852; left home when 17 years of age, and was employed twelve years in the carriage works of Downing & Sons, Concord, N. H.; studied dentistry and successively had offices in Loudon, N. H., in Bradford, N. H., in Franklin, N. H., and returned to Concord, N. H., and opened an office in January 1879, where he successfully practiced his profession; a good musician; a Republican in politics. He m. July 3, 1851, Lucy Ann, dau. of Enos Adams of Pembroke, N. H. She was a teacher; was decidedly literary in her tastes, and was conversant with the productions of the best authors; attended the Unitarian church. She d. Feb. 17, 1882. He res. in Concord, N. H. Child:

1. Lizzie E. Fletcher², b. Concord, N. H., Sept. 29, 1855; she res. in her native city; is a musician and teacher of music.

731. Charles Horace Fletcher¹, b. Aug. 3, 1837; m. Nov. 13, 1860, Lucy J., dau. of Nathaniel Peverly of Canterbury, N. H. He is a farmer and res. in his native town. His wife d. and he is again married. Children born Canterbury, N. H.:

1. Nettie Fletcher²; res. Canterbury, N. H.
2. Warren Fletcher².

732. Winthrop St. Clair⁴ [219] (Noah⁴, James⁴, Joseph⁴, James², John¹). Was born in Canterbury, N. H., May 7, 1802; succeeded his father upon the homestead; was very genial in his nature, fond of society, and generally liked. Was a colonel in the 3d regiment in the state militia. Was a Universalist in his religious faith, and a Democrat in politics. On March 16, 1839, he sold his farm to his brother-in-law, John Fletcher, and removed to Loudon, N. H., and bought a sawmill, in which he did business a few years. Like many of his race since his first American ancestor located in Exeter, he could not be happy unless he could hear the buzz and rattle of saws and machinery, and see the stalwart trees converted into marketable lumber. Milling business seems to have become a second nature of the Sinclairs, it seems to have run in the blood of the different branches of the family. After leaving Loudon Mr. St. Clair lived in Springfield and East Concord, and finally settled in Richmond, N. H., where he died June 15, 1874. He married Sept. 1, 1834, Martha Maxfield, of Loudon, an excellent woman, kind to all in sickness or in health, who died at Richmond, N. H., May 24, 1883. She was born in Loudon, N. H., Jan. 7, 1815.

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733. John Murray St. Clair², b. Loudon, N. H., Oct. 14, 1838; was drowned in the Merrimack river at East Concord, N. H., June 14, 1848.
734. Catherine Davis St. Clair², b. Loudon, N. H., Feb. 28, 1841; she m. July 2, 1863, Charles F. Hastings of Warwick, Mass.; farmer. Children:
1. Charles F. Hastings, Jr.³, b. Richmond, N. H., Aug. 27, 1865.
 2. Daisy Louise Hastings³, b. Warwick, Mass., June 9, 1872.
 3. Martha Lois Hastings³, b. Warwick, Mass., Nov. 18, 1875.
735. Charles St. Clair¹, b. Contoocookville, N. H., Nov. 4, 1846; he m. in Winchester, N. H., Jan. 12, 1875, Abbie S., dau. of Samuel C. and Harriet (Prentice) Whitney; she was b. in Westboro', Mass., Dec. 12, 1856, and d. April 19, 1888; res. in Boston, Mass. Children:
1. Cherrie Whitney St. Clair², b. Richmond, N. H., Aug. 3, 1876.
 2. Samuel Winthrop St. Clair², b. Richmond, N. H., Nov. 1, 1878.
736. Frank P. St. Clair¹, b. East Concord, N. H., June 30, 1849; he m. in Cambridge, Mass., March 13, 1872, Clara G. Tupper, b. Barnard, Vt., April 8, 1848; res. St. Louis, Mo. He is a coal merchant. Children:
1. Mable Louise St. Clair², b. Somerville, Mass., Feb. 10, 1874; d. Chelsea, Mass., Nov. 27, 1875.
 2. Eva St. Clair², b. St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 26, 1880; d. March 15, 1881.

737. Samuel James Sinclair⁶ [248] (Samuel⁵, John⁴, Richard³, James², John¹). He was born Dover, N. H., Dec. 21, 1824. When young he located in Stratham, N. H., with his parents, and now lives upon a fine and productive farm, previously owned by his father. He is conservative in his views, a safe counsellor, a member of the church, in which he takes an abiding interest, an intelligent, prosperous, and respected citizen. He married Dec. 7, 1847, Annie D., daughter of George and Nancy (Hoag) Thompson of Stratham, who was born Dec. 7, 1829, and died Oct. 27, 1853. He married 2d, May 8, 1855, Frances Deborah, daughter of Benjamin H. and Mehitable (Wiggin) Jewett of Stratham, who was born March 3, 1830.

CHILD BORN STRATHAM, N. H.

738. William Henry Sinclair⁷, b. Oct. 23, 1850; d. Sept. 9, 1855.

739. Samuel L. Sinclair⁶ [268] (Benjamin Folsom⁵, Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). He was born in Waterborough, Me., Jan. 21, 1789. By trade a cabinet-maker and manufacturer, and resided in Portland, Me., and died in Waterborough in 1848. His wife was Ennice, daughter of William Foss of Scarborough, Me. She died at Yarmouth, Me.

CHILDREN.

740. Mary Eliza Sinclair⁷ (1509), b. at Portland, Me., Aug. 26, 1814; m. Shirley Libbey.
741. Samuel Sinclair⁷; d. at Yarmouth, Me., aged about 21 years.

THAM, N. H. [733

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N. H., June 14, 1848.
, Feb. 28, 1841; she m.
Warwick, Mass.; farmer.

nd, N. H., Aug. 27, 1865.
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Mass., Nov. 18, 1875.
Nov. 4, 1846; he m. in
e S., dau. of Samuel C.
s b. in Westboro', Mass.,
res. in Boston, Mass.

ond, N. H., Aug. 3, 1876.
hmond, N. H., Nov. 1,

June 30, 1849; he m. in
G. Tupper, b. Barnard,
He is a coal merchant.

le, Mass., Feb. 10, 1874;

r. 26, 1880; d. March 15,

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Sept. 9, 1855.

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of Scarborough, Me.

Me., Aug. 26, 1814; m.
about 21 years.



GRAHAM (ST CLAIR) GRAHAM.



ABIGAIL (ST CLAIR) DAVIS.



NANCY (ST CLAIR) FLETCHER.



WINTHROP ST CLAIR.



CATHERINE D. (ST CLAIR)
HASTINGS.



FRANK P. ST CLAIR.



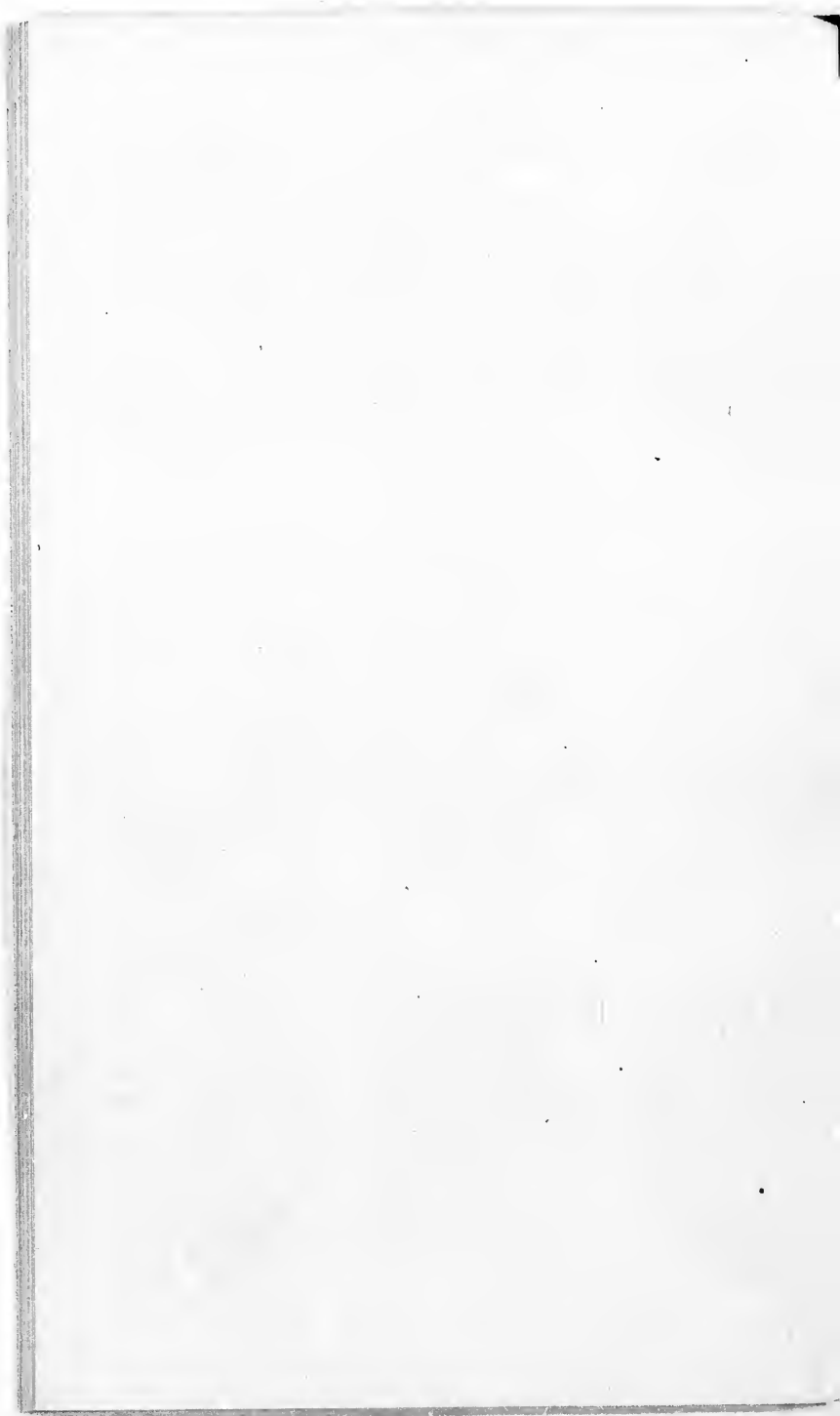
FANNIE WHITNEY ST CLAIR.
WINTHROP ST CLAIR.



ABBIE S. (WHITNEY) ST CLAIR.



CHARLES ST CLAIR.



742. John Sinclair^a [269] (Benjamin Folsom^a, Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Waterborough, Me., March 1, 1791; was a farmer, and occupied a portion of the homestead in the town of his birth, and died in the very prime of life Sept. 19, 1826, aged 35 yrs. 6 mos. 18 days. His wife was Joanna, daughter of Joseph Lyman, born in Lyman, Me., and died there.

CHILDREN BORN WATERBOROUGH, ME.

743. Mary Sinclair^r, b. Feb. 1, 1818; d. December, 1845; single.
 744. Hannah Sinclair^r (1817), b. July 20, 1820; m. Joseph C. Roberts; res. East Waterborough, Me.
 745. Nathaniel G. Sinclair^r (1820), b. Aug. 13, 1822; res. Waterborough, Me.
 746. Elizabeth Sinclair^r, b. Sept. 22, 1824; d. August, 1846; single.

747. Mary Peavey Sinclair^a [271] (Benjamin Folsom^a, Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John^a). She was born in Waterborough, Me., Dec. 4, 1795, and married Joshua Sawye of Limington, Me. Was a carpenter, and died in that town Jan. 6, 1848. She died there June 20, 1884.

CHILDREN BORN LIMINGTON, ME.

748. Benjamin Sinclair Sawyer^r, b. Aug. 6, 1816; m. March 7, 1851, Margaret D., dau. of Walter Hasty of Limington; he is a carpenter. Has res. at Waterborough, Me., and now at Ossipee Mills, Limerick, Me. She was b. Oct. 11, 1828; was a faithful wife and mother, and true woman, and her useful life ended Dec. 15, 1887. Children:
 1. Eddie Franklin Sawyer^a, b. Sept. 24, 1852; d. at Waterborough, Oct. 15, 1854.
 2. Alby Bosworth Sawyer^a, b. Sept. 4, 1859; d. Sept. 18, 1865.
 3. Lizzie May Sawyer^a, b. Oct. 9, 1866; res. Limerick, Me.
 749. Sarah S. Sawyer^r, b. July 31, 1820; m. Oct. 23, 1844, Daniel Whitmore, a stonecutter; res. Standish, Me. Children:
 1. Charles A. Whitmore^a; d. aged 2 years.
 2. Emma Florence Whitmore^a; d. aged 12 years.
 3. Ida May Whitmore^a; m. Richard Butler, and d. at Worcester, Mass., April, 1885. He d. September, 1835.
 750. Samuel S. Sawyer^r, b. Sept. 8, 1822; m. Sarah H. Chick; res. Boston, Mass.; machinist; he d. in Boston, Feb. 1, 1884. Two children.
 751. Eunice F. Sawyer^r, b. Dec. 2, 1824; res. Limington, Me.; m. Henry Small of Limington; blacksmith.
 752. John H. Sawyer^r, b. April 27, 1827; carpenter; res. Limington, Me.
 753. Charles L. Sawyer^r, b. Dec. 19, 1829; real estate broker; res. San Francisco, Cal.; unmarried.
 754. Joshua Sawyer, Jr.^r, b. March 3, 1832; m. Lizzie Phloney; res. Plymouth, Mass.; railroad engineer; d. in Plymouth, Mass., Sept. 10, 1864.
 755. Mary P. Sawyer^r, b. Aug. 3, 1834; m. Benjamin H. Haskell; res. Providence, R. I.; railroad engineer.
 756. William W. Sawyer^r, b. Aug. 31, 1839; m. Sarah Flitz; res. Lawrence, Mass.; carpenter.

757. Sarah Sinclair^a [272] (Benjamin Folsom^a, Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John^a). She was born in Waterborough, Me., Sept. 5, 1797; married March 1, 1821, William Stimson of Lim-

erick, Me. He was a farmer. They had nine children, the most of whom reside in Minnesota and Oregon. Only the following glimpses of them could be obtained.

CHILDREN.

758. Charles Stimson⁷; lives in Avoca, Minn.

759. A dau.; m. Moses P. Hayes of Limerick, Me., and res. Minneapolis, Minn.

760. David Sinclair⁸ [273] (Benjamin Folsom⁸, Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John⁸). He was born in Waterborough, Me., April 1, 1799; married March 20, 1828, Mary, daughter of Gilbert Hasty of Waterborough, Me.; farmer; resided in his native town for many years, then removed to Biddeford, Me., and there died.

CHILD.

761. Abbie A. Sinclair⁷. She was highly educated, and m. Dr. G. M. Baker, of Standish, Me., who d. in Brooklyn, N. Y. She res. in Bridgton, Me., with her mother. Children:

1. Harry Baker⁸.
2. Arthur Baker⁸.
3. Agnes Baker⁸.

762. Joanna S. Sinclair⁸ [274] (Benjamin Folsom⁸, Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John⁸). She was born in Waterborough, Me., Dec. 4, 1800; married June 4, 1837, Dr. John Sayward of Waterborough, who was born there Aug. 20, 1802. He died in his native town March 3, 1843, leaving one son. She married 2d, July 4, 1847, John Neal Chadbourne of Waterborough; born there Dec. 26, 1797; died March 14, 1858. She lived in Waterborough, Me., in 1888.

CHILD BY FIRST MARRIAGE, BORN WATERBURY, ME.

763. Frank Benjamin Sayward⁷, b. Dec. 3, 1838; m. Dec. 6, 1865, Jennie L. Littlefield, dau. of William Littlefield of Waterborough, Me. He is a farmer, and resides in that town. Children b. Waterborough, Me.:

1. William Allen Sayward⁸, b. May 19, 1870.
2. Minnie Putnam Sayward⁸, b. April 18, 1872.

764. Henry S. Sinclair⁸ [275] (Benjamin Folsom⁸, Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John⁸). The birthplace of Mr. Sinclair was Waterborough, Me., where he was born Aug. 30, 1802; married Rachel Boston of Shapley, Me., and removed to Minneapolis, Minn. He was a machinist, acquired wealth, and he and his wife died in his adopted city. They had nine children.

CHILDREN.

765. David Boston Sinclair⁷; res. Montana.

766. Sarah Sinclair⁷; m. Isaac Gilpatrick; res. Minneapolis, Minn.

767. Mary Sinclair⁷; m. Mr. Flak; res. Minneapolis, Minn.

768. Dorothy Sinclair⁷; m. ———; res. Minneapolis, Minn.

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NANCY (HILL) SINCLAIR.



JOHN LEWIS SINCLAIR.

760. Melvina Sinclair⁷; m. Monroe Boynton; res. Minneapolis, Minn.
 770. Lucy Sinclair⁷; single; res. Minneapolis, Minn.
 771. James Henry Sinclair⁷; res. Minneapolis, Minn.
 772. Emma Sinclair⁷; m. Henry O'Brien; res. Minneapolis, Minn.
 773. Roxanna Sinclair⁷; single; res. Minneapolis, Minn.

774. John Lewis Sinclair⁶ [276] (Benjamin Folsom⁶, Capt. James⁶, Ebenezer⁶, James⁶, John⁶). He was born in Waterborough, Me., July 27, 1804; married April, 1833, Joanna, daughter of Elijah Chadbourne, of Waterborough, who died August, 1841, aged 31 years. She was born June 13, 1810. Two children. He married 2d July 19, 1847, Nancy J., daughter of Jonathan Hill, of Waterborough, who died April 17, 1874. He is a farmer, and lives in his native town.

CHILDREN BORN WATERBOROUGH, ME.

775. Ivory Roberts Sinclair⁷, b. Dec. 13, 1834; d. April 19, 1865, in Boston, Mass.
 776. John Sinclair⁷, b. Dec. 3, 1837; farmer; res. Hollis, Me.; removed to Boston, Mass., in 1885; res. at No. 95 F street, South Boston. He m. Dec. 13, 1865, Sarah Katherine, dau. of William and Hannah (Foss) Clough of Waterborough, Me.; she was b. in Hollis (now Lyman), Me., July 11, 1842. Child:
 1. Jennie Nancy Sinclair⁸, b. Waterborough, Me., Feb. 24, 1869; m. June 2, 1888, Abraham Lincoln Sprague, b. Waterborough, Me., April 15, 1863; res. 114 F street, South Boston, Mass.

777. Rachel Sinclair⁶ [279] (James, Jr.⁶, Capt. James⁶, Ebenezer⁶, James⁶, John⁶). She was born in Brentwood, N. H., Aug. 31, 1789; married 1806, Samuel C., son of John and Anna (Clifford) Shaw of Brentwood, who was born in that town, Jan. 16, 1785; they resided in Winthrop and Palmyra, Me. He died in the latter place Jan. 27, 1836; she died there Aug. 21, 1828.

CHILDREN BORN WINTHROP, ME.

778. John Russell Shaw⁷ (1520), b. Jan. 16, 1807; m. Sarah Maria Johnson.
 779. Mary Frances Shaw⁷ (1534), b. Dec. 1, 1808; m. Alfred Smith.
 780. James Madison Shaw⁷ (1541), b. Aug. 18, 1810; m. Susan Tyler.
 781. Joanna Shaw⁷ (1549), b. May 23, 1812; m. Sept. 29, 1833, William Martin Palmer; res. Charles City, Iowa.

782. Henry Sinclair⁶ [280] (James⁶, Capt. James⁶, Ebenezer⁶, James⁶, John⁶). He was born in Brentwood, N. H., March 13, 1792, where he resided till a few years before his death, when he removed to Exeter, where he died Sept. 25, 1841, aged 51 years. He was a man of excellent principles, and led a pure and upright life. He married Dec. 20, 1812, Polly Marston, of Brentwood; born Nov. 24, 1794; died March 16, 1826; three children. He married 2d Nov. 28, 1826, Eliza Blake of Kensington, N. H.; two children. She died May 17, 1833, aged 27 years. He married



H. LEWIS SINCLAIR.

3d Oct. 7, 1833, Eliza Ann Robinson of Brentwood, daughter of Ephraim and Betsey (Robinson) Robinson. She was born Jan. 11, 1809, and died April 19, 1885.

CHILDREN BORN BRENTWOOD, N. H.

783. Sally Tucker Sinclair⁷ (1558), b. Sept. 13, 1813; m. Dec. 25, 1834, Robert Rowe, of Brentwood, N. H.
 784. Mary Fowler Sinclair⁷ (1564), b. Sept. 14, 1815; m. Elphalet Burbank Wood of Brentwood, N. H.
 785. Jonathan Marston Sinclair⁷ (1568), b. Jan. 2, 1818; m. Hannah Robinson; res. in Brentwood, N. H.
 786. Narelssa Sinclair⁷ (1570), b. Nov. 3, 1821; m. Stephen Fellows; res. Brentwood, N. H.
 787. Samuel Sinclair⁷, b. July 13, 1823; d. Oct. 17, 1825.
 788. Rachel Sinclair⁷, b. Nov. 16, 1824; d. Oct. 20, 1825.
 789. James Russell Sinclair⁷, b. April 18, 1829; d. of consumption about 1850.
 790. Charles Henry Sinclair⁷, b. Oct. 10, 1830; d. of consumption about 1851.
 791. John Elbridge Sinclair⁷ (1570), b. March 28, 1838; teacher; res. Worcester, Mass.

792. Benjamin Sinclair⁶ [283] (James⁴, James⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). He was born in Brentwood, N. H., April 13, 1800. Farmer, always resided in his native town. Was a lieutenant in the militia, an active business man, and a zealous member of the Baptist church. He married Dec. 15, 1826, Abigail Clark, daughter of Jeremiah and Abigail (Clark) Veasey. She was born in Brentwood, N. H., Nov. 25, 1802, and died there Oct. 1, 1882. He died of consumption, in the midst of usefulness and in life's prime, March 2, 1847, aged 48 yrs. 8 mos.

CHILDREN BORN BRENTWOOD, N. H.

793. Mary Elizabeth Sinclair⁷ (1584), b. Feb. 2, 1828; m. Oct. 16, 1850, Orin Swain of Brentwood, N. H.
 794. Rachel Ann Sinclair⁷, b. April 2, 1829; d. Nov. 2, 1852; was a member of the Baptist church.
 795. { Hollis Jackson Sinclair⁷, b. May 4, 1832; all of his life he was an invalid, and d. Jan. 8, 1887.
 796. { Lewis Washington Sinclair⁷, b. May 4, 1832; was a member of the Baptist church; he was a soldier of the 15th regiment N. H. volunteers in the late war; he looked forward hopefully to his return to his home in Brentwood, but was prostrated by the intense heat and disease and died the morning previous to the time his regiment started for New Hampshire, July 25, 1863; was buried at Fort Hudson. He m. October, 1862, Sarah Maria Kimball of Newton, N. H., who res. in her native town.
 797. Emma Howard Sinclair⁷, b. Oct. 9, 1841; res. on the homestead in Brentwood, N. H. She has been unremitting in her aid and interest in this work, and to her persistent labor, her intelligence, thoughtful care, and love of kindred the family is indebted for much information of the Sinclairs of Brentwood, N. H.

798. Hiram P. Sinclair⁶ [295] (Jonathan⁴, Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). Date of birth, Dec. 11, 1804; birthplace, Palmyra, Me. Resided all his life in his native town, and died there

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LYDIA (TUTTLE) SINCLAIR.



HIRAM CALVIN SINCLAIR.

Sept. 13, 1855. He was a farmer, and married Lydia Tuttle of Durham, Me., Jan. 1, 1829. She was born in that town April 14, 1807; was living in 1888.

CHILDREN BORN PALMYRA, ME.

799. James Sullivan Sinclair², b. Nov. 2, 1834; m. Nov. 2, 1862, Martha Maria, dau. of Samuel and Ada (Brown) Hackett; farmer; res. Palmyra, Me., where he d. June 17, 1866. Child b. Palmyra, Me.:
1. Ada Ethel Sinclair³, b. Nov. 21, 1864; m. Sept. 3, 1887, George Farnham Webber; res. Hartland, Me.
800. Lewis Edwin Sinclair², b. Oct. 1, 1836; m. May 24, 1866, Lois Ellen, dau. of Nathaniel and Betsey (McCrillis) Towle, who was b. in Palmyra, Me., Nov. 4, 1847; farmer; res. Palmyra, Me. Child b. there:
1. Myrtle Elizabeth Sinclair³, b. May 2, 1878.
801. Nicholas Tuttle Sinclair², b. July 8, 1838; m. Dec. 31, 1874, Marletta Jane, dau. of Loring True and Mary Jane (Virgin) Roberts of Wayne, Me.; he is a farmer and miller; res. Palmyra, Me. Child b. there:
1. Alice Jane Sinclair³, b. June 11, 1878.
802. Hiram Calvin Sinclair², b. May 19, 1840; m. Feb. 26, 1872, Bethlah Alice, dau. of David and Martha J. (White) Smith of Winthrop, Me.; she was b. in Litchfield, Me., Oct. 16, 1844. They are members of the church, and he is a Republican in politics. He was raised upon a farm, went to Winthrop, Me., in 1856, and is a carpet printer; res. Winthrop, Me. Children b. in that town:
1. Helen May Sinclair³, b. April 2, 1874; d. April 7, 1874.
2. Fred Winthrop Sinclair³, b. March 17, 1876.
3. Mary Carr Sinclair³, b. June 7, 1882.
803. Lydia Ann Sinclair², b. June 19, 1842; m. in Hallowell, Me., Nov. 13, 1867, Benjamin Franklin, son of Joseph Neal and Lydia (Bradbury) Fairbanks, b. Skowhegan, Me., May 8, 1839; res. Winthrop, Me.; he is a carpet printer. Children b. Winthrop, Me.:
1. Mary Inez Fairbanks³, b. July 7, 1874; d. Feb. 24, 1875.
2. Nora Geneva Fairbanks³, b. Feb. 27, 1876.
3. Iva Louise Fairbanks³, b. July 8, 1879.
804. William Porter Sinclair², b. May 27, 1844; m. Aug. 11, 1877, Mrs. Maria Antoinette (McCrillis) Collmore, widow of James Sullivan Collmore and dau. of Randall Phineas and Emeline Rose (Elkins) McCrillis. She was b. in Palmyra, Me., Nov. 14, 1851. Mr. Sinclair enlisted in company K, 22d regiment Maine volunteers, Sept. 10, 1862, discharged Aug. 14, 1863; farmer; res. Palmyra, Me.
805. Harriet Augusta Sinclair², b. May 17, 1846; m. Nov. 25, 1871, Melvin Mark, son of Dea. Mark and Lydia Lucy Tasker (Davis) Buzzell, who was b. at St. Albans, Me., May 10, 1846. He is a farmer; res. Palmyra, Me. Child b. Winthrop, Me.:
1. Frank Melvin Buzzell³, b. July 25, 1877.
806. Martin A. Sinclair², b. Feb. 22, 1850; single; farmer; res. Palmyra, Me.
807. Clarissa Ann Sinclair² [296] (Jonathan³, Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer⁵, James⁶, John¹). She was born in Palmyra, Me., Jan. 2, 1812. She was a bright scholar, received a good education, and became a successful teacher. She married Jan. 1, 1833, Sullivan Adams, son of Abraham and Anna (Merrill) Maxim, who was born in Palmyra, Me., Sept. 15, 1811. They resided in St. Albans and



HIRAM CALVIN SINCLAIR.

Harmony, Me. He died in the latter place June 6, 1848. Was a Baptist clergyman. Mrs. Maxim died at St. Albans, Me., March 21, 1862.

CHILDREN.

808. Harriet Augusta Maxim⁷, b. Palmyra, Me., Sept. 9, 1833; m. April 27, 1861, Charles B., son of Thomas and Eliza (Russell) Philbrick of Livermore, Me. He was b. at St. Albans, Me., Aug. 23, 1838; farmer; res. St. Albans, Me. Children:
 1. William Green Philbrick⁸, b. May 14, 1864; m. Dec. 20, 1884, Meda H. Whittier; res. St. Albans, Me. No children.
 2. Charles Sullivan Philbrick⁸, b. March 13, 1867; m. March 20, 1887, Hattie S. Stewart of Windsor, Me. Child:
 i. May Maxim Philbrick⁹.
809. Henry Blake Maxim⁷, b. St. Albans, Me., April 7, 1835. He was a printer; res. Great Falls, N. H. In 1850, he started for California and d. on the passage in October of that year.
810. Charles Hiram Maxim⁷, b. St. Albans, Me., Aug. 30, 1837; m. Feb. 10, 1850, Nancy E. Emery of Corrinna, Me.; b. there Jan. 10, 1839. He was a member of company A, 3d Maine volunteers; was a physician, practiced one year in Dexter, Me., then in Grand Rapids, Mich., where he d. Feb. 25, 1887. He was a graduate of the medical college at Brunswick, Me. Child:
 1. Mary E. Maxim⁸, b. St. Albans, Me., March 30, 1862; m. Feb. 10, 1887, Robert Armstrong of Reed City, Mich., where they res. Children:
 i. Robert Greenville Armstrong⁹.
 ii. Roy Stuart Armstrong⁹.
811. William Dana Maxim⁷, b. St. Albans, Me., Oct. 6, 1839; res. Winthrop, Me.; was a teacher and oil cloth printer; enlisted in company B, 5th Maine volunteers, was wounded at battle of Gaines Mill, July 1, 1862, and d. in the hands of the enemy Sept. 19, 1862.
812. Sullivan Adams Maxim⁷, b. St. Albans, Me., Aug. 8, 1841; m. April 13, 1868, Abbie S. Cook, dau. of Robert and Marian Cook, b. St. Albans, Me., Dec. 22, 1843. He res. at St. Albans; was corporal in company C, 19th regiment Maine volunteers; severely wounded at Gettysburg, Pa.; is a school teacher, teacher of vocal music, and mechanic. Has been supervisor of schools and town clerk. Child:
 1. George Pratt Maxim⁸, b. St. Albans, Me., Jan. 11, 1874.
813. Flavel Edwards Maxim⁷, b. St. Albans, Me., Dec. 11, 1843; m. Oct. 6, 1874, Georgie Whitney; res. Lewiston, Me.; was an overseer in a manufactory; became a member of company D, 8th regiment Maine volunteers, was severely wounded at Petersburg, Va., June 15, 1864, and d. Feb. 17, 1887. Mrs. Maxim was b. Aug. 15, 1843, at Sidney, Me., and was dau. of George and Mary Whitney. No children.
814. Clara Anna Maxim⁷, b. St. Albans, Me., Aug. 8, 1845; res. at Sanford, Me., but d. in New York, N. Y., June 17, 1871, of small-pox.
815. Cyrus Bartlett Maxim⁷, b. Harmony, Me., Dec. 23, 1847; res. St. Albans, Me., and d. in New Haven, Conn., Sept. 10, 1864, in Knights General hospital.
816. David Porter Sinclair⁸ [313] (David⁸, Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John¹). He lived in Ormstown, Canada, and died about the year 1870. Was twice married and is said to have had

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seven children, but only a fragmentary record of his family could be
obtained.

CHILDREN.

817. David Sinclair⁷. He and three sisters lived at one time in Hamilton,
Canada.
818. William Sinclair⁷, lived in Ormstown, Canada.
819. Sophia Sinclair⁷, lived in Ormstown, Canada.

820. John Turner Sinclair⁸ [314] (David⁶, Capt. James⁴, Eben-
ezer², James², John¹). He lived in St. Johnsbury, Vt., then resided
eight years in Milwaukee, Wis., and died in Sacramento, Cal., in
1852. He married Louisa Carlton, daughter of Caleb and Louisa
(Carlton) Noyes, who was born in Landaff, N. H., and died in Chi-
cago, Ill., October, 1868.

CHILDREN.

821. Charles Henry Sinclair⁷, b. July 12, 1834; m. 1861 Maria Celest Shov-
in; b. in Normandy, France, in 1840; res. 834 19th street, San
Francisco, Cal. Child:
1. Charles Augustus Sinclair⁸, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., 1864; m.
Nov. 3, 1888, Nellie Richardson Brown; res. San Francis-
co, Cal.
822. John Edwin Sinclair⁷, b. Sept. 7, 1836; m. 1862 Maggie Kenyon, and
d. in 1867, in Chicago, Ill.
823. George Gresham Sinclair⁷, b. May 2, 1838; m. 1862 Frances Ander-
son; he d. 1885, at Little Rock, Ark.
824. Albert Carlton Sinclair⁷, b. March 20, 1840; m. 1861 Julia H. Clark;
is depot master at N. W. railroad station, Chicago, Ill.; res.
Chicago, Ill.
825. Augusta Louise Sinclair⁷, b. July 26, 1842; m. 1864 William A. Stan-
ton.
826. Mary Putnam Sinclair⁷, b. May 17, 1845; m. 1864 Oscar L. Chatterton.
827. William P. Sinclair⁷, b. Jan. 3, 1847.
828. James Wallace Sinclair⁷, b. Jan. 10, 1850; m. 1874 Harriet Hallen
Veck.

829. Diantha Jane Sinclair⁸ [317] (David⁶, Capt. James⁴, Eben-
ezer², James², John¹). She was born in Monmouth, Me., Nov. 9,
1811. She, when a child, went to Danville, Vt. She married March
3, 1831, William Libbey, who was born at Stanstead, Quebec, May
26, 1803, and was son of Abraham and Abigail (Pearson) Libbey,
who were of the first settlers of that town. His father was born in
Epsom, N. H., June 10, 1776; died in Stanstead Jan. 10, 1839.
Mr. and Mrs. Libbey lived in Stanstead till August, 1846, when they
removed to East Boston, Mass. He was a carpenter. He went to
California at the breaking out of the gold fever excitement, in May
1849, and in three years joined his wife and family at East Saugus,
Mass. They lived in Charlestown and the last 14 years of his life
in Cambridge, Mass., where he was in the employ of the Fitchburg
R. R. He died Feb. 23, 1883, in Cambridge. She joined a mar-
ried daughter in Lawrence, Mass. She had a shock of paralysis and

was an invalid the last years of her life. She died at Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 24, 1888.

CHILDREN.

830. William Alfred Libbey⁷, b. Stanstead, Quebec, Oct. 3, 1832. He m. Mary E., dau. of George R. and Fanny B. (Stanley) Lockwood, and res. East Saugus, Mass., where she was b. July 15, 1838. Children:
1. Ella F. Libbey⁸, b. Jan. 5, 1858; d. April 17, 1858.
 2. Nellie F. Libbey⁸, b. March 26, 1860; m. March 25, 1888, Lyman Legacy, who was b. Aug. 16, 1861.
 3. Annie F. Libbey⁸, b. July 7, 1862; d. Dec. 9, 1866.
 4. Annie J. Libbey⁸, b. May 27, 1868; res. East Saugus, Mass.
831. Louisa Jane Libbey⁷, b. Stanstead, Quebec, April 30, 1834; m. June 30, 1855, Alphonso, son of Leonard and Lydia (Barstow) Stoddard. He was b. in North Yarmouth, Me., May 2, 1829. Was a soldier of the Union, serving during the war and pensioned in 1888; business, carpenter and builder; res. 159 East Oak street, Lawrence, Mass. Children:
1. Nellie Lillian Stoddard⁸, b. Charlestown, Mass., Jan. 17, 1857. Teacher in public schools of Lawrence, Mass.
 2. Elmer Alphonso Stoddard⁸, b. Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 11, 1861. Is an insurance agent; res. Charlestown, Mass.
832. James Royal Libbey⁷, b. Stanstead, Quebec, May 17, 1836; single; was 3 years in the U. S. service during the Rebellion, was on U. S. sloop *Oneida*. He d. in Stanstead, Quebec, of disease contracted in the army, May 27, 1867.
833. Elsie Mena Libbey⁷, b. Stanstead, Quebec, Aug. 29, 1839; m. Dec. 25, 1869, Edward C., son of Perry R. and Nancy (Howe) Jacobs, he was b. in Charlestown, Mass., May 4, 1840; machinist; res. Charlestown, Mass.
834. Achsah Hubbard Libbey⁷, b. Stanstead, Quebec; d. in infancy.
835. Chester Hardy Libbey⁷, b. Stanstead, Quebec; d. in infancy.
836. Cynthia Ann Libbey⁷, b. East Boston; d. in infancy.
837. Lizzie Leola Libbey⁷, b. Charlestown, Mass., May 20, 1855; res. Lawrence, Mass.

838. Louisa Ann Sinclair⁸ [318] (David⁸, Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John¹). She was born in Monmouth, Me., March 23, 1811; married June 18, 1834, Isaac Newton Colby, son of Philip Colby. He was born in Danville, Vt., Oct. 2, 1807. Was a farmer; resided in Danville, and died Jan. 14, 1875. She died at Waterford, Me., March 6, 1883.

CHILDREN BORN DANVILLE, VT.

839. Sophia Clark Colby⁷, b. April 17, 1835; m. June 5, 1871, Calvin C., son of French and Susan Morrill. He was b. Danville, Vt., in 1843. They reside in Providence, R. I. No children.
837. Oscar Newell Colby⁷, b. Dec. 27, 1836; m. Sept. 10, 1867, Augusta F., dau. of Joseph and Pamela (French) Preston; she was b. Cabot, Vt., Sept. 25, 1840; farmer; res. Danville, Vt. Children b. Danville, Vt.:
1. Nellie A. Colby⁸, b. June 19, 1868.
 2. Isaac N. Colby⁸, b. Jan. 23, 1873.
 3. Sarah P. Colby⁸, b. June 21, 1878.
838. Sarah Palmer Colby⁷, b. Feb. 19, 1841; m. Sept. 10, 1867, Seth P., son of Alpheus and Sarah Ann (Fowler) Moulton. He was b. Lyman, N. H., Oct. 11, 1833; farmer; res. Waterford, Vt. No children.

She died at Lawrence.

Quebec, Oct. 3, 1832. He m.
ny B. (Stanley) Lockwood,
she was b. July 15, 1838.

. April 17, 1858.
1860; m. March 25, 1888,
g. 16, 1861.
d. Dec. 9, 1866.

8; res. East Saugus, Mass.
c. April 30, 1834; m. June
and Lydia (Barstow) Stod-
Me., May 2, 1829. Was a
the war and pensioned in
; res. 159 East Oak street,

town, Mass., Jan. 17, 1857.
Lawrence, Mass.

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es. Charlestown, Mass.
dec. May 17, 1836; single;
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Aug. 29, 1839; m. Dec. 25,
Nancy (Howe) Jacobs, he
y 4, 1840; machinist; res.

Quebec; d. in infancy.
dec; d. in infancy.
in infancy.
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id⁶, Capt. James⁴, Eben-
nmouth, Me., March 23,
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t. 2, 1807. Was a far-
14, 1875. She died at

E, VT.

m. June 5, 1871, Calvin C.,
He was b. Danville, Vt., in
t. No children.

Sept. 10, 1867, Augusta F.,
Preston; she was b. Cabot,
ville, Vt. Children b. Dan-

Sept. 10, 1867, Seth P., son
Moulton. He was b. Lyman,
Sterford, Vt. No children.



DAVID PORTER SINCLAIR.



CYNTHIA (PORTER) SINCLAIR.



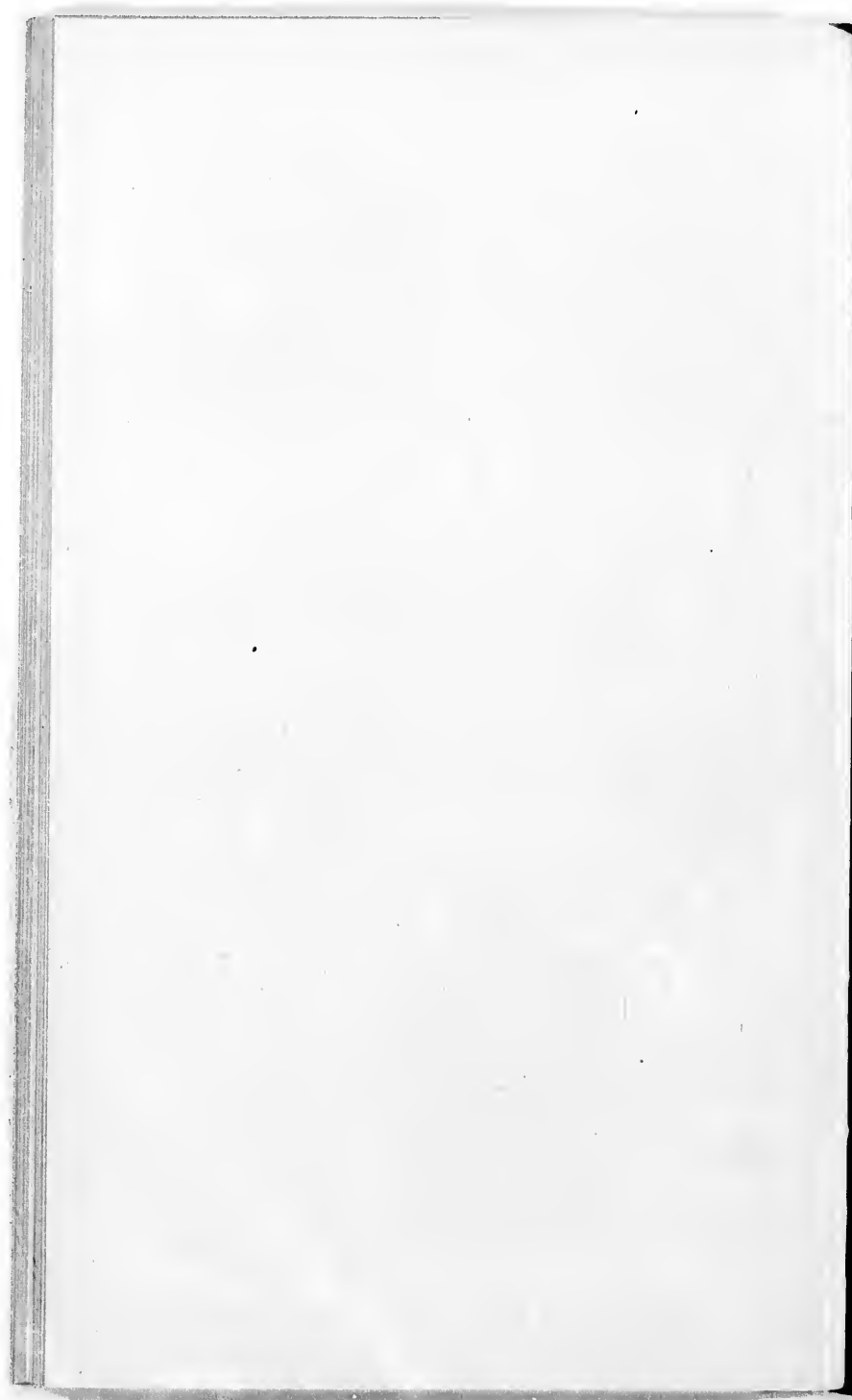
DIANTHA JANE (SINCLAIR) LIBBY.



LOUISA ANN (SINCLAIR) COLBY.



CHARLES HENRY SINCLAIR.



839. Helen Mar Colby⁷, b. April 27, 1843; m. Sept. 1, 1864, Harvey M., son of Harvey C. and Abigail (Morrill) Babcock. Trader; res. Salem, Mass. He was b. Danville, Vt., March, 1840. Children:
 1. Kate L. Babcock⁸, b. Danville, Vt., July 31, 1863.
 2. Fred I. Babcock⁸, b. Peabody, Mass., Feb. 14, 1873.
840. Frank Pierce Colby⁷, b. Oct. 20, 1833; m. Dec. 25, 1879, Alice Woodward, b. Peacham, Vt., 1862; res. Peacham, Vt.; farmer. Child:
 1. Fred M. Colby⁸, b. Dec. 2, 1881.

841. James Madison Sinclair⁸ [324] (Ebenezer⁸, Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John¹). Was born in Brentwood, N. H., March 25, 1812. Resided many years in Monmouth, Me.; farmer; then sold his property and removed to Weeks Mills, China, Me, subsequently settled in Durham, that state, and is now living upon a farm in the northern part of Augusta, Me. He married Hannah Slade Tyler, who was born in Sidney, Me., May 3, 1815. They are active and consistent members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

CHILDREN BORN MONMOUTH, ME.

842. Hartson Dalton Sinclair⁷, b. Feb. 26, 1843. Was educated at Kent's Hill seminary, Readfield, Me., and also graduated at Comer's Commercial college, Boston, Mass.; was a clerk in the provost marshal's office in that city, then enlisted in the 2d Mass. cavalry, and d. of disease at the hospital in Maryland, May, 1865.
843. Henry Madison Sinclair⁷, b. March 1, 1848. Was educated at Kent's Hill seminary, Readfield, Me., and at the academy at Monmouth, Me. At twenty-one years of age he left the paternal roof at China, Me., and lived for five years at Grinnell, Iowa, as a clerk in a clothing house. In 1874 he returned to the East, and for two years was in Boston, Mass., then was three years in Essex, Mass., following the same business. Since 1879 he has been a resident of Salem, Mass., and is now proprietor of a clothing house at 165 and 167 Essex street of that city. He m. Oct. 26, 1877, Abbie Proctor Norton of Essex, Mass., where she was b. Sept. 12, 1849. No children.
844. Charles Roscoe Sinclair⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1849; d. at Monmouth, Me., Sept., 1866, aged 16 years.
845. James Ellery Sinclair⁷, b. Feb. 1, 1857. Was educated at the academy at Monmouth, Me., and was (in 1888) employed in a wholesale provision store 221, 223 Washington street, Salem, Mass. He m., 1877, Emma Whitney of Brunswick, Me. Child:
 1. Florence Sinclair⁸.

846. Betsey Sinclair⁸ [331] (Richard, Jr.⁸, Richard⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John¹). She was born in Sandwich, N. H., Oct. 1, 1795; married Nov. 29, 1821, Meshach Robinson, Jr., of Sandwich, N. H. He was born in Dover, N. H., Dec. 16, 1792, and died in Sandwich, Feb. 27, 1871, aged 78 yrs. 2 mos. 12 days. She died in Norwood, Mass., Dec. 15, 1877, aged 82 yrs. 2 mos. 15 days, and is buried in Sandwich. Mr. Robinson was a cabinetmaker until his marriage. He built a house on the opposite side of the road from that of his father-in-law, Mr. Sinclair, and cared for the aged couple during their declining years. In politics a Democrat, and he and his wife were attendants of the Orthodox church.

CHILDREN BORN SANDWICH, N. H.

847. Charles Robinson¹, b. Dec. 8, 1822; res. Walpole, Mass.; he m. Harriet B. Clapp of that town, b. Roxbury, Mass., July 10, 1827; she was dau. of Asa and Delina (Bullard) Clapp. Mr. Robinson d. Oct. 6, 1880. She res. in Walpole, Mass. Children b. Walpole, Mass.:
1. George H. Robinson², b. Jan. 1, 1855; m. Feb. 15, 1881, Hattie Dean of Norwood, Mass., who d. in Orange, N. J., Jan. 15, 1883. He res. in Walpole, Mass. Child:
 1. Sylvia H. Robinson³, b. Jan. 8, 1883.
 2. Hattie F. Robinson⁴, b. July 3, 1859; m. Robert S. Gray of Walpole, Mass. Children:
 1. John Merrick Gray⁵, b. Feb. 27, 1884.
 11. Eleanor Gray⁶, b. July 9, 1886.
848. Augusta Robinson⁷, b. Dec. 25, 1826; d. March 3, 1845.
849. Grace Elizabeth Robinson⁸, b. Oct. 23, 1828; m. Allen Bodwell of Sanford, Me.; trader. He is deceased and left children. She m. 2d Leonard Gilman of Moultonborough, N. H.; farmer, and is deceased. Had children. She m. 3d, Aug. 20, 1860, Alvah, son of Charles and Asenath (Thompson) Prescott of Sanbornton, N. H., b. July 8, 1835; lived at Lowell, Mass. Children:
1. Amanda Bodwell⁹; d. young.
 2. Charles Bodwell¹⁰; d. young.
 3. Frank Gilman¹¹, was twice m. and is deceased.
 4. Ida Gilman¹²; m. Jesse Paine; res. Puritan avenue, Dorchester, Mass.
 5. Grace Ella Prescott¹³, b. Dec. 21, 1861; m. Daniel D. Wheeler; res. Bay View, Gloucester, Mass. Child:
 1. Ollu Wheeler¹⁴.
 6. Hattie A. Prescott¹⁵, b. Oct. 16, 1862; d. Oct. 12, 1863.
 7. Clarence A. Prescott¹⁶, b. Oct. 16, 1862; d. Jan. 15, 1863.
 8. Vina E. Prescott¹⁷, b. Jan. 14, 1864; d. Aug. 8, 1865.
 9. George Prescott¹⁸; res. Bay View, Gloucester, Mass.
850. Abbie Piper Robinson¹⁹, b. Nov. 23, 1830; m. David Chaplin of Providence, R. I.; res. Norwood, Mass. Child:
1. Olive Winslow Chaplin²⁰, b. March, 1871.
851. Esther Perkins Robinson²¹, b. Dec. 14, 1832; m. Alvah Clark, son of James and Betsey (Brown) Evans of Moultonborough, N. H., Dec. 18, 1855, at Sandwich. He was b. June 20, 1809; farmer; res. in Moultonborough, but near the original Sinclair house in Sandwich, and which is still retained by Mrs. Evans. He d. May 21, 1877. Children b. Moultonborough, N. H.:
1. Charles William Evans²², b. March 5, 1857; m. August, 1885, Esther Dade of Gloucester, Mass.
 2. Imogene Augusta Evans²³, b. Sept. 20, 1858; m. Sept., 1880, Elroy G. Bartlett of Tamworth, N. H.; manufacturer of agricultural implements. Children:
 1. Leland Clark Bartlett²⁴, b. May, 1882.
 11. Marion Bartlett²⁵, b. May 20, 1886; d. Dec. 13, 1887.
 3. Anna Grace Evans²⁶, b. Jan. 4, 1861; m. August, 1881, Edwin S. Waugh; res. Charlestown, Mass. Child:
 1. Gertrude Waugh²⁷, b. September, 1887.
 4. Otis Manley Evans²⁸, b. July 5, 1867; farmer; res. Moultonborough, N. H.
 5. Gertrude Frances Evans²⁹, b. Oct. 16, 1870; res. Walpole, Mass.
852. William Robinson³⁰, b. Oct. 13, 1834; res. Sandwich, N. H., and d. Aug. 2, 1856.
853. George Andrew Robinson³¹, b. Nov. 12, 1836; farmer; res. Sandwich, N. H. He m. March 31, 1861, Abbie, dau. of Nathaniel Farrington of Canton, Mass.; b. there Jan. 13, 1836. Children:

Walpole, Mass.; he m. Har-
 y, Mass., July 10, 1837;
 d) Clapp. Mr. Robinson
 Mass. Children b. Wal-

; m. Feb. 15, 1881, Hat-
 d. in Orange, N. J., Jan.
 ss. Child:

1883.

; m. Robert S. Gray of

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; m. Allen Bodwell of
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 orough, N. H.; farmer,
 3d, Aug. 20, 1860, Alvah,
) Prescott of Sanbornton,
 Mass. Children:

deceased.

uritan avenue, Dorchea-

; m. Daniel D. Wheeler;

Child:

d. Oct. 12, 1863.

12; d. Jan. 15, 1863.

d. Aug. 8, 1865.

oucester, Mass.

David Chaplin of Prov-

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1871.

m. Alvah Clark, son of

Moultonborough, N. H.,

June 20, 1860; farmer;

iginal Sinclair house in

by Mrs. Evans. He d.

ugh, N. H.:

1857; m. August, 1885,

20, 1858; m. Sept., 1890,

N. H.; manufacturer of

n:

1882.

1886; d. Dec. 13, 1887.

m. August, 1881, Edwin

a. Child:

r, 1887.

; farmer; res. Moulton-

6, 1870; res. Walpole,

sandwich, N. H., and d.

farmer; res. Sandwich,

u. of Nathaniel Farring-

336. Children:

1. William Otis Robinson^a, b. Canton, Mass., April 4, 1862; res.
 Providence, R. I. He m. Nov. 1, 1883, Louisa Coburn, b.
 Providence, June 19, 1864.

2. Herbert Edwin Roblison^a, b. Sandwich, N. H., June 26, 1864;
 res. Canton, Mass.; farmer and slugle.

3. George Nathaniel Robinson^a, b. Sandwich, N. H., Feb. 19,
 1867; farmer; res. Sandwich, N. H.

4. Etta Maria Robinson^a, b. Sandwich, N. H., July 19, 1869.

854. Otis Frank Robinson^a, b. June 26, 1839; d. Feb. 3, 1843.

855. John Sinclair^a [341] (Ebenezer^a, Richard^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a,
 John^a). He settled in Haverhill, N. H.; was a blacksmith, and
 learned his trade with Paul Bunker of Sandwich, N. H. He was a
 restless youth and one Sabbath while Mr. Bunker and his family were
 gone to church he and another boy went to the shop, made the shoes,
 took a pair of calves, not a year old, threw them upon their backs
 and shod them. When the proprietor returned he was surprised to
 find his calves walking upon the glare ice. He immediately investi-
 gated the strange phenomenon and found that it was due to the pro-
 gressive spirit of his enterprising, ingenious, and Sabbath desecrating
 apprentice*. Mr. Sinclair was thrice married and his wives were
 daughters of Moses Page, named respectively, Nancy, Betsey, and
 Polly Page. He was published to Nancy Page June 27, 1814.
 When he married the last named her father said, "John Sinclair, you
 have married a wife now who will see your head cold." This eccen-
 tric remark proved to be a true one, as Mrs. Sinclair survived her
 husband. He was born in Sandwich, N. H. No information of
 children has been received, and probably he had none.

866. Lydia Sinclair^a [342] (Ebenezer^a, Richard^a, Ebenezer^a,
 James^a, John^a). She married Joseph, son of Nathan and Mehitable
 (Moulton) Smith of Moultonborough, N. H. He was a farmer, and
 lived in that portion of Moultonborough called the Neck.

CHILDREN.

867. John Smith^a; was postmaster in Moultonborough, N. H., and left a
 family.

868. Lyman Smith^a.

869. Joseph Smith^a; d. of consumption.

870. Harriet Smith^a; d. young.

871. Daniel Smith^a; d. young.

872. Sarah Hill Sinclair^a [343] (Ebenezer^a, Richard^a, Ebenezer^a,
 James^a, John^a). She was born in Sandwich, N. H., Jan. 10, 1795;
 married March, 1820, John Cook of that town, where he was born
 Jan. 10, 1795; farmer. They lived in Lanark, Ill., for a time, then
 returned to Sandwich, living near the Centre, where he died June 6,
 1887. He was interested in public affairs, was a Republican in poli-
 tics, and member of the legislature in 1859 and '60. She still lives
 (1888) at the great age of 93 years.

* Anecdote told by Jonathan Page Moulton of Sandwich, N. H., in 1888,
 when he was in his 91st year.

CHILDREN BORN SANDWICH, N. H.

873. Mercy St. Clair Cook⁷, b. Oct. 19, 1820; m. Levi Gilman of Alton, N. H., and d. Sept. 22, 1852. He was a farmer, and is d. Child:
1. John Marshall Gilman⁸, b. May 27, 1849; m. Belle Pinkham, and res. Pittsfield, N. H.
874. Asa St. Clair Cook⁷, b. Jan. 10, 1823; m. Mary J. Cole of Lowell, Mass. A prominent and successful business man; res. Hartford, Conn. Children:
1. Millard Fillmore Cook⁸.
2. John F. Cook⁸.
3. Hattie E. Cook⁸; m. Philemon Robbins of Hartford, Conn.
4. Albert St. Clair Cook⁸.
875. Otis French Cook⁷, t. Feb. 26, 1825; d. Feb. 24, 1826.
876. Mary Elizabeth Cook⁷, b. March 25, 1828; d. July 21, 1833; she m. March 7, 1851, Isaac Stanley Bunker, and lived in Alton, N. H. He now res. at Lanark, Carroll co., Ill. She had one child:
1. Willie Bunker⁸, b. May 17, 1853; d. Nov. 15, 1854.
877. John Otis Cook⁷, b. Jan. 13, 1832. He lived for several years at Rock Creek, and Fair Haven, Ill., returned to his native town of Sandwich in May, 1877, where he now res.; is a farmer and respected citizen. He m. July 15, 1854, Cynthia, dau. of John and Esther (Holt) Johnson of Stoneham, Mass.; she was b. at Allentown, N. H., April 17, 1832. Children b. Sandwich, N. H.:
1. Lizzie Lydia Cook⁸, b. Oct. 28, 1855; m. Oct. 8, 1880, Ezra J. Quimby of North Sandwich; was a farmer and wheelwright. He d. Dec. 24, 1886. Children:
i. George Belinda Quimby⁹, b. Aug. 26, 1882.
ii. Wilbur Ezra Quimby⁹, b. Nov. 4, 1886.
2. Willie Ossian Cook⁸, b. May 8, 1857; lives in Littleton, N. H. He m. June 12, 1881, Lizzie Worcester of Stoneham, Mass.
3. Emma Atwood Cook⁸, b. June 27, 1862; m. May 13, 1886, Fred M. Dolley of Franklin Falls, N. H.; was a resident of Waterville, Me. Is now a printer and res. in Sandwich, N. H.
4. George Otis Cook⁸, b. Rock Creek, Ill., Feb. 9, 1868; res. Sandwich, N. H.
5. Eliza Hill Cook⁸, b. Fair Haven, Ill., July 4, 1869; res. Sandwich, N. H.
878. Lydia St. Clair Cook⁷, b. Jan. 11, 1835; d. Dec. 7, 1854.
879. William Marshall Cook⁷, b. April 20, 1838; d. Jan. 28, 1842.

880. Moses Hoag Sinclair⁸ [344] (Ebenezer⁸, Richard⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John⁸). He was born in Sandwich, N. H., March 5, 1797; removed to Haverhill, N. H.; lived at the Corner; shoe manufacturer. For 21 years he kept the jail of Grafton county; served as moderator of town meeting, and is known as Major Sinclair. He died of consumption at Haverhill, Feb. 22, 1844, aged 46 yrs. 11 mos. 17 days. He married Mary, daughter of Jonathan Wells of Rumney, N. H. She was born Nov. 2, 1797, and died March 7, 1881, in her 84th year.

CHILDREN BORN HAVERHILL, N. H.

881. Asa Crosby Sinclair⁷, b. Dec. 17, 1824; he lived in Littleton, N. H.; in early life was a stage driver, going from Haverhill to Hanover, thence to Montpelier and Waterbury, Vt. Railroads abolished stage lines and broke up his business. He was baggage master on the Boston, Concord & Montreal railroad many years.

N. H.
Levi Gilman of Alton, N.
mer, and is d. Child:
1849; m. Belle Pinkham,

Mary J. Cole of Lowell,
ness man; res. Hartford,

ins of Hartford, Conn.

24, 1826.
d. July 21, 1833; she m.
d lived in Alton, N. H.
She had one child:
Nov. 15, 1854.

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his native town of Sand-
is a farmer and respect-
thia, dau. of John and
ss.; she was b. at Allens-
Sandwich, N. H.:

m. Oct. 8, 1880, Ezra J.
as a farmer and wheel-
children:

Aug. 26, 1882.
4, 1886.

lives in Littleton, N. H.
ester of Stoneham, Mass.
1892; m. May 13, 1888,
N. H.; was a resident
ter and res. in Sandwich,

Ill., Feb. 9, 1868; res.

, July 4, 1869; res. Sand-

ec. 7, 1854.

l. Jan. 28, 1842.

ezer^d, Richard^d, Eben-
dwich, N. H., March
d at the Corner; shoe
ll of Grafton county;
known as Major Sin-
Feb. 22, 1844, aged
daughter of Jonathan
ov. 2, 1797, and died

N. H.

lived in Littleton, N. H.;
from Haverhill to Han-
ry, Vt. Railroads abol-
ness. He was baggage
eal railroad many years.

He d. in Charlestown, Mass., Aug. 14, 1871, buried at Haverhill,
N. H. He m. May 24, 1848, Zeruah, dau. of Simon and Sally
Fitch (Dale) Eggleston of Northfield, Vt. She res. there. No
children.

882. Henry Merrill Sinclair^r, b. March 30, 1827. He learned the trade of
a printer, and was engaged in that business several years in Hav-
erhill, N. H., and three years in Concord, N. H. He m. Sept. 25,
1853, Emily Augusta, dau. of Charles Hodgdon of Concord, N. H.
She was b. Oct. 31, 1831; res. Concord, N. H. Children b. Con-
cord, N. H.:

1. Charles Henry Sinclair^d, b. Jan. 21, 1859; engraver and jew-
eler, Concord, N. H.; he m. Jan. 2, 1884, Cora Mabel, dau.
of Nathaniel C. Nelson of Concord. She was b. May 1,
1859.

2. Frank Burnham Sinclair^d, b. Feb. 8, 1862; m. Nov. 21, 1883,
Carrie A. Hazeltine, dau. of John and Mary (Baker) Haz-
eltine of Concord; he is a clerk in the freight office of the
Concord railroad; res. Concord, N. H. Child:

1. Bertha Sinclair^d, b. April 9, 1885.

3. { Mabel Sherman Sinclair^d, b. Oct. 31, 1867; res. Concord, N. H.

4. { Alice Merrill Sinclair^d, b. Oct. 31, 1867; res. Concord, N. H.

883. George Hutchins Sinclair^r, b. April 17, 1829; was a printer; engaged
in business in Haverhill, N. H., Concord, N. H., and Chicago,
Ill. He d. in Concord, N. H. His wife was Ruhamah Brainard
of Haverhill, N. H., who now lives in Chicago, Ill. They were
m. Nov. 28, 1850. One dau.:

1. Mary Grace Sinclair^d; d. aged 19 years.

884. Nelson Burnham Sinclair^r, b. June 19, 1836; lived in Haverhill, N. H.,
till 18 years of age, attending school and in a store; removed to
Concord, N. H., in 1854; learned silver plating business, in which
he was engaged for ten years. When 28 years of age he learned
the watchmaker's and jewelry business, in which he is still
engaged. He m. Mary Ann, dau. of Elias and Eliza Horner
of Concord, b. Aug. 28, 1838; res. Concord, N. H. Children
b. in Concord, N. H.:

1. Hattie Newell Sinclair^d, b. Nov. 25, 1859; d. Aug. 23, 1861.

2. Addie Greenleaf Sinclair^d, b. Aug. 21, 1862; m. June 13, 1883,
Merrill A. Randall of Rouses Point, N. Y.; is train dis-
patcher on Northern railroad.

1. A child^d; b. Feb. 28, 1888.

3. Carrie Marston Sinclair^d, b. Aug. 6, 1872; res. Concord, N. H.

885. William M. Sinclair^s [345] (Ebenezer^d, Richard^d, Ebenezer^d,
James^d, John^d). He was born in Sandwich, N. H.; was published
to Lucy A. Smith of Haverhill, N. H., Aug. 20, 1833; was a farm-
er, and settled in Parishville, St. Lawrence co., N. Y., where he
died May 9, 1879, and where his widow still lives.

CHILDREN.

886. Sarah Jane Sinclair^r (1594), b. Keesville, N. Y., Sept. 25, 1835; m.
Elias G. Mosher.

887. James Henry Sinclair^r, b. Keesville, N. Y., Sept. 12, 1836; farmer;
res. Parishville, N. Y.; he m. Oct. 28, 1857, Betsey F. L. Graver,
who was b. Sept. 8, 1841. Children:

1. Elsie Amelia Sinclair^d, b. Dickinson, Franklin co., N. Y.,
July 20, 1867; m. Edgar Northup; res. Santa Clara, Frank-
lin co., N. Y.

2. Martha Louise Sinclair^d, b. Elmira, N. Y., Oct. 31, 1875.

888. John Harvey Sinclair², b. Parishville, N. Y., Jan. 2, 1844; farmer and cooper; res. in his native town; he m. Sept. 1, 1864, Candace O. Hart, b. Oct. 9, 1846. Child b. Parishville, N. Y.:

1. Etta Adella Sinclair², b. Jan. 25, 1867.

889. Helen Amella Sinclair², b. Parishville, N. Y., July 4, 1848; d. there April 23, 1855.

890. Isaiah Gould Sinclair⁴ [346] (Ebenezer², Richard¹, Ebenezer², James², John¹). He was born in Sandwich, N. H., March 10, 1799; married Nov. 20, 1823, Mary B. Lee, who was born in Moultonborough, N. H., Sept. 25, 1799 (?), and died at Sandwich May 1, 1825. He married 2d, Sept. 23, 1830, Louisa, daughter of Arthur Livermore Cox of Sandwich, who was born in Holderness, N. H., June 16, 1807, and died June 27, 1844. He married 3d her sister, Mary Abbie Cox, Dec. 23, 1844. She was born in Holderness, Oct. 4, 1814, and in 1888 resided in Franklin, Mass. Mr. Sinclair was a farmer and succeeded his father on the farm near the Red Hill, in the southern part of Sandwich. In early times, before highways were laid out, the paths between the home of his father and the homes of his father's brothers, Richard and Samuel Sinclair, who lived in the vicinity, and the abode of his grandfather, Richard Sinclair, were marked by blazing trees through the thick forests. The distance by the highway at the present time is some two and a half miles. He died in Sandwich, N. H., Dec. 23, 1856.

CHILD BORN SANDWICH, N. H.

891. Mary Louise Sinclair², b. Aug. 24, 1843; m. May 1, 1867, Rev. George Edward Lovejoy, son of John H. and Sally (Grout) Lovejoy, and b. Bradford, Mass., June 30, 1843. He is a Congregational clergyman. He completed his theological studies in the special course at Andover, Mass., seminary, in June, 1873. His pastorates have been at Candia, N. H., Bedford, Mass., and at Franklin, Mass., since Dec. 8, 1880.

892. John Sinclair⁴ [350] (Samuel², Richard¹, Ebenezer², James², John¹). He was born in Sandwich, N. H., but settled in Haverhill, N. H., where his life was largely passed, residing upon the farm of his father under the shadow of the protecting mountains. His wife was Jane Hamblett of Haverhill, who is deceased.

CHILDREN BORN HAVERHILL, N. H.

893. Frank Sinclair²; d. when twelve years of age.

894. Jonathan Sinclair²; m. Miss Titus of Haverhill, N. H., and lived in Lowell, Mass.

895. Myra Sinclair²; m. as his 2d wife Mr. Bancroft of Haverhill, N. H., and is deceased. No children.

896. Jane Sinclair²; d. young.

897. Stephen Badger Sinclair², b. about 1835; was published to Lydia J. Fitz of Haverhill, N. H., Sept. 14, 1857. She was b. 1840; res. Haverhill, N. H., and had children.

898. Samuel Sinclair⁴ [351] (Samuel², Richard¹, Ebenezer², James², John¹). He was born Dec. 14, 1800. He occupies a small place in

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CHILDREN BORN HAVERHILL, N. H.

899. Sarah Sinclair⁷; m. her cousin, Ephraim Hildreth of Haverhill, N. H.
900. Mary Sinclair⁷; m. Rufus Keyes; res. Correctionville, Woodbury
co., Iowa. Three children.
901. Sophia Sinclair⁷; m. George W. Woods of Haverhill, N. H., and res.
in the West. Four children.
902. Albert Sinclair⁷; is deceased leaving a family in Clinton, Ill.
903. Phoebe Sinclair⁷; m. Charles Robinson of Concord, N. H.; res. Ypsay-
lant, Mich. One child.
904. Charlotte Sinclair⁷; m. Henry T. Swan of Haverhill, N. H. Both
deceased. 1 child.
905. Lucy Ann Sinclair⁷; m. James Wilson of Newbury, Vt.; res. in the
West.
906. Edward Chapman Sinclair⁷; b. Dec. 31, 1845; m. March 19, 1870,
Bessie Adalaide, dau. of Isaac Corliss of Haverhill, N. H., b.
June 22, 1850; res. Haverhill, N. H. Children:
1. John Henry Sinclair⁸, b. Sept. 8, 1875.
2. Frank B. Sinclair⁸, b. Dec. 24, 1879.
907. Adaline Davenport Sinclair⁷, b. Aug. 22, 1850; m. James F. Sleeper
of Haverhill, N. H., and is deceased. Two children.

908. Hannah Sinclair⁶ [352] (Samuel⁶, Richard⁴, Ebenezer³, James²,
John¹). She was born in Sandwich, N. H., and married Simeon
Hildreth of Haverhill, N. H. He was a farmer, and both are deceased.

CHILDREN BORN HAVERHILL, N. H.

909. Ephraim Hildreth⁷; m. his cousin Sarah Sinclair. They lived in
Haverhill, where she d. August, 1883. Children:
1. Cynthia Hildreth⁸; d. when a young woman; single.
2. Lucinda Hildreth⁸; res. Haverhill, N. H.
3. Llewellyn Hildreth⁸; res. in Haverhill, N. H.
910. Sylvester Hildreth⁷; removed to Vermont and there d. leaving a fam-
ily.
911. Samuel Hildreth⁷; has been twice married and lives in Haverhill, N.
H. No children.
912. Edward Hildreth⁷; lives on the homestead in Haverhill, N. H., and
has a family.

913. Stephen Badger Sinclair⁶ [354] (Samuel⁶, Richard⁴, Eben-
ezer³, James², John¹). He was born in Sandwich, N. H., but lived
in Haverhill, and died in Moultonborough, N. H., in October, 1881.
He married Sally Nute of Sandwich, published Jan. 17, 1831.

CHILDREN BORN HAVERHILL, N. H.

914. Edwin Davenport Sinclair⁷, b. June 9, 1831; m. May 5, 1860, Sarah
Augusta, dau. of John and Louisa (Batchelder) Cram of East
Sanbornton, N. H. She was b. in Sanbornton Sept. 20, 1841.
Farmer; he resided in Sandwich, Moultonborough, and now
lives in Meredith Village, N. H.; is a Republican in politics; was
a soldier in the late war, member of company K, 14th regiment
N. H. volunteers, enlisted Aug. 14, 1862, discharged Aug. 3, 1864.
Child b. Sandwich, N. H.:
1. Oscar Harrison Sinclair⁸; d. Aug. 18, 1865.

915. William Henry Harrison Sinclair⁷, b. 1838; lived in Sandwich, N. H.; single; enlisted Aug. 14, 1862, in company K, 14th regiment N. H. volunteers, and d. in the service at Savannah, Ga., in 1865.

916. Nancy Sinclair** [373] (Lieut. Richard⁴, Capt. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John³, John¹). She was of Barnstead, N. H., was born about 1786, and married Nov. 26, 1810, to Obadiah, son of Ebenezer and Abigail (Barker) Eastman of Sanbornton, N. H. When twenty-one years of age he received a piece of land in Dorchester, N. H., where he settled; was a farmer and teacher. He cultivated his land in summer and taught school in the winters. He was several times elected selectman. He was born Aug. 26, 1780, and died in Dorchester, May 5, 1850, in his 70th year. His wife survived him several years and died June 2, 1856.

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917. Charles Grandison Eastman⁷, b. Nov. 29, 1811, in Dorchester; he m. Feb. 3, 1838, Betsey, dau. of Alexander and Nancy (Folsom) Caldwell of Groton. She was b. Nov. 11, 1815. He made his home in his native town till 1854, and served as representative in 1851 and '52. Bethlehem, N. H., subsequently became his home, where he served as clerk of the town. His intellectual qualities were of a high order, and his fine natural abilities were enriched by extensive reading and study, and much reflection. He was forcible as a writer and his political articles attracted much attention. In his adopted town he was one of its leading citizens, and his friends were many. In his disposition he was modest and unobtrusive. He d. April 16, 1873, aged 61 yrs. 4 mos. 18 days. She res. in Bethlehem, N. H. Children:
1. Eugene B. Eastman⁸, b. Dorchester, N. H., Nov. 18, 1838; was a soldier in the Union army, having twice enlisted and served in a western regiment. While in the service was wounded and taken prisoner.
 2. Ella A. Eastman⁸, b. May 13, 1840; res. Bethlehem, N. H.; single.
 3. Luthera Eastman⁸, b. Jan. 28, 1846; d. Feb. 1, 1853, in Dorchester, N. H.
 4. Ira G. Eastman⁸, b. June 5, 1848; m. Mary Armstrong of Canada, October, 1872, who d. March 27, 1874. He m. 2d her sister Caroline Armstrong, May 2, 1875; res. Portsmouth, N. H. Children:
 - i. Charles G. Eastman⁹, b. Jan. 19, 1876.
 - ii. Eugene B. Eastman⁹, b. Aug. 26, 1878.
 - iii. Bessie M. Eastman⁹, b. July 22, 1885.
 5. Clara M. Eastman⁸, b. March 1, 1851.
 6. Albert S. Eastman⁸, b. July 15, 1854; m. Miss Shute, dau. of Sewell Shute of Bethlehem, N. H.; res. Portsmouth, N. H.
 7. Hattie Eastman⁸, b. April 25, 1858; m. John Huntton; res. New York, N. Y. Child:
 - i. Clarence A. Eastman⁹, b. July 4, 1886.
918. Ebenezer Barker Eastman⁷, b. Feb. 12, 1814. He located in Norfolk, Va., and was a teacher in 1848; removed to New Orleans, La., in 1857. On Sept. 3, 1862, he m. Elizabeth O. Ronarke and d. Aug.

* Much of the information of the descendants of Nancy Sinclair and Obadiah Eastman is taken from M. T. Runnell's history of Sanbornton, N. H.

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1. { Cornelius A. Eastman⁴, b. Jan. 31, 1864.

2. { Cornelle S. Eastman⁴, b. Jan. 31, 1864.

3. Elizabeth F. Eastman⁴, b. Sept. 13, 1865.

4. Augusta M. Eastman⁴, b. Aug. 5, 1867.

5. Charles J. Eastman⁴, b. Sept. 9, 1869.

6. Walter A. Eastman⁴, b. July 8, 1871.

919. Fanny Dennett Eastman⁷, b. July 10, 1816; m. her cousin, Barker
Eastman (son of Thomas), b. Jan. 21, 1803; res. Sanbornton, N.
H., where he d. May 23, 1870. She d. Oct. 18, 1867. Children:
1. Ann Augusta Eastman⁴, b. June 23, 1844; lived in Bethlehem,
and Littleton, N. H.
2. Ellen Frances Eastman⁴, b. Sept. 15, 1848; attended the acad-
emy at Meriden, N. H. She m. Feb. 14, 1877, Cyrus Young,
and res. Littleton, N. H.

920. Eliza Sinclair Eastman⁷, b. April 10, 1818; d. April 17, 1830, aged 21
yrs. 7 days.

921. Abigail Pearson Eastman⁷, b. Dec. 31, 1823; m. Sept. 17, 1845, Joseph,
son of Richard Plumer of Sanbornton, N. H. He was b. Oct.
11, 1820; carpenter and farmer; res. in Sanbornton, Dorchester,
and Bethlehem, N. H.; was selectman in both towns, and also
town treasurer in the latter, 1873-74. He resided at Elk River,
Minn., in 1880. He d. about 1880, and she d. at Bethlehem, N.
H., in 1887, while on a visit. Children:

1. Sarah Ladora Plumer⁴, b. in Sanbornton, N. H., Feb. 28, 1847;
d. Sept. 30, 1853.

2. Abby Josephine Plumer⁴, b. in Sanbornton, N. H., Dec. 20,
1849.

3. Charles E. Plumer⁴, b. Dorchester, N. H., March 2, 1852; res.
400 Selby street, St. Paul, Minn.; is a very successful
architect and builder.

4. Mary Isabel Plumer⁴, b. Bethlehem, N. H., Jan. 5, 1857; m.
John Judd, and d. at Elk River, Minn.

5. Burns Freeman Plumer⁴, b. Bethlehem, N. H., Sept. 27, 1861;
res. Elk River, Minn.

6. George A. Plumer⁴, b. April 2, 1864; res. St. Paul, Minn.

7. Helen H. Plumer⁴, b. April 16, 1866; res. Elk River, Minn.

922. Nancy S. Eastman⁷, b. Nov. 7, 1825; d. April 10, 1840.

923. Obadiah Eastman⁷, b. Nov. 12, 1829; d. March 18, 1840.

924. Lucetta Augusta Eastman⁷, b. Jan. 18, 1833. She m. John James,
January, 1870, at Salem, Mass. They lived in Sanbornton, N. H.,
and in 1871 removed to Ipswich, N. H., where he was a farmer.
She d. in the latter town Jan. 11, 1872.

925. Polly Cilley Sinclair⁴ [374] (Lieut. Richard⁴, Col. Rich-
ard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John⁴). She was born in Barnstead, N. H.,
May 2, 1789; married July 2, 1807, Abraham Runnells Bunker of
Barnstead; born there Dec. 13, 1785. She was a woman of an
iron constitution, of a strong mind and sound judgment. She expe-
rienced religion and united with the 1st Congregational church in
Barnstead, under the ministry of Rev. Enos George. At the time of
her decease she was a member of the 2d Congregational church.
Her last end was peace; she said, "I do not fear to die. Death has
lost its terrors. My only hope is God. He has been very good to
me. Christ is all my hope." She died in Barnstead, March 29,
1870, aged 80 yrs. 10 mos. 17 days. He died Sept. 14, 1861.

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926. Hannah Thing Bunker⁷ (1002), b. Feb. 9, 1800; m. Dec. 23, 1831, Hiram Tebbitts of Northfield, N. H. She d. Jan. 15, 1852.
927. Charles Sinclair Bunker⁷, b. Dec. 26, 1811; d. May, 1860. He m. Sarah Conover of New York, who lives a widow in Rumney, N. H.
928. Betsey Hodgdon Bunker⁷, b. Feb. 2, 1814; d. April, 1815.
929. Eliza Gordon Bunker⁷, b. Feb. 14, 1815; d. Jan. 17, 1866.
930. Mary Ann Bunker⁷ (1006), b. April 2, 1817; m. May 10, 1842, George Stevens.
931. Enos George Bunker⁷ (1612), b. Aug. 31, 1819; d. at Mantonville, Minn., Sept. 10, 1871.
932. Cyrus Edwin Bunker⁷ (1620), b. Feb. 22, 1823; res. Bethlehem, N. H.
933. Eliza Sinclair Bunker⁷ (1630), b. Jan. 22, 1832; m. March 31, 1861, Daniel Franklin Davis; res. Bethlehem, N. H.
934. John Elbridge Bunker⁷ (1636), b. May 22, 1827; m. Martha Osborn; res. Kasson, Dodge co., Minn.

935. Charles Grandison Sinclair⁸ [375] (Lieut. Richard⁸, Col. Richard⁸, Samuel⁸, John⁸, John⁸). He was born in Barnstead, N. H., May 4, 1793. Descended as he was from warlike ancestors in the New World and the Old, he came naturally by his inherited military spirit. He took a deep interest in the second war with Great Britain, and entered the military service of his country. He was enlisted at Portsmouth, N. H., July 5, 1814, by Lieut. Daniel Henderson, into Capt. P. Lovering's company, 21st regiment, Regular Infantry, where he was made a corporal. From Feb. 28 to May 15, 1815, his name is on the muster rolls of Capt. M. Marston's company, and he was called Sergeant. He was in a detachment of troops under command of Lieut. James Pratt of the 21st regiment, which crossed from Buffalo to Fort Erie, Upper Canada, and joined the American army under Gen. Jacob Brown. Having been at this locality for some time, where he was clerk for General Ripley, he was impatient for active service, and on the 17th of Sept., 1815, while a member of Captain Bradford's company, he participated in the desperate fight with the English called the "Sortie", where he was severely wounded by a musket ball in the right shoulder and was taken from the field to the hospital. Upon his partial recovery he was transferred to Capt. Morrill Marston's company where he remained till the close of the war, when he was honorably discharged. For his wounds and valiant service he secured a pension from the government which commenced Feb. 23, 1830. After the war he became a trader at Barnstead Parade.

Mr. Sinclair was a man of remarkably fine personal appearance; five feet and ten inches in height, and in health weighing about one hundred and sixty-five pounds. His military service gave him an erect carriage, and his appearance was that of an athlete, while his fair complexion, blue eyes, and light brown curly hair, gave an unmistakable evidence of the Scotch race from which he came. As an equestrian he was noted, although disabled by the gun shot wound received at Fort Erie, between his right shoulder and lungs, to such an extent that it was impossible for him to raise his hand to his head,

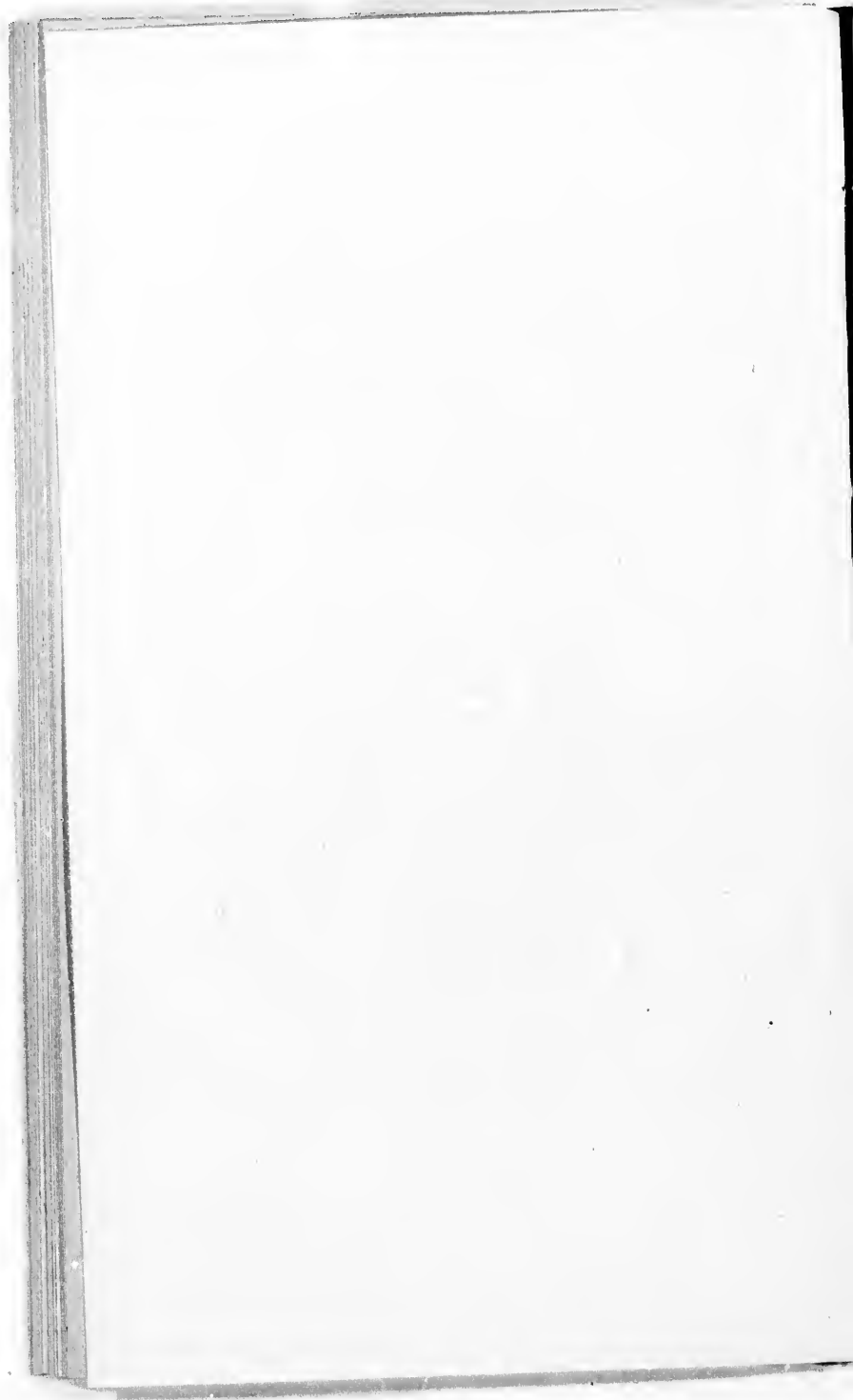
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HARRIET ROGERS FOWLER.



yet the old men of Barnstead still recount his exploits in subduing vicious and unmanageable steeds. He was an expert accountant and considered authority among his townsmen in drafting contracts and other legal papers.

Notwithstanding his robust physique, he died of consumption, July 18, 1834, at the early age of forty-one years, his disease being caused, in the opinion of his physicians, by the wound received in the service of his country. He married Jan. 20, 1825, Martha G., daughter of Joseph and Hannah (Giles) Norris of Barnstead, who was born there Wednesday, Sept. 12, 1798. (See Norris family.) She was of the best type of American womanhood. At the age of thirty-six years she was left a widow in destitute circumstances. The long illness of her husband, and two unfortunate suits at law in which he was involved, and which at his death were undecided, had used up their slender fortune, and though through the efforts of Hon. James Bell, then a young lawyer, these suits were won, the bankruptcy of the defendants made the victories barren of beneficial results, so that Mrs. Sinclair was left with but seventy dollars in money, and a small amount of household furniture, as the worldly substance for the maintenance of herself and her son, John G. Sinclair, then eight years of age.

To that boy and the service of God she devoted the remainder of her life. With her needle she earned their daily bread, and kept her son at school. A devoted Christian, with an unblemished life, she became a member of the Congregational church at Barnstead, then under the ministrations of that venerable, good old man, Rev. Enos George, who had taught the alphabet to her and her son. On removing to Bethlehem she united with the Methodist church, a member of which she was at her death, February, 1880.

At her death she was 81 years of age. Until 1847 her home was also the home of her son; then he married and established a home of his own of which she became a member, and remained as such till the November preceding her death, when temporarily she went into the home of Rev. Charles J. Fowler, who had married her eldest granddaughter. While there, during the absence of her son in Florida, she died, surrounded by his children.

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936. John G. Sinclair⁷ (1633), b. March 25, 1826. He m. Oct. 29, 1847, Tamar Merrill Clark of Landaff, who d. Feb. 10, 1872. She was b. in Landaff, Sept. 2, 1828, and was dau. of Daniel and Mary (Merrill) Clark of Landaff. He m. 2d, July 10, 1874, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth (Pierce) Blandin, widow of Willard A. Blandin and dau. of John and Rebecca (Cushman) Pierce of Bethlehem, who was b. April 9, 1837; res. Orlando, Florida. Three children.

937. George Washington Sinclair⁸ [378] (Joshua⁸, Col. Richard⁸, Samuel⁸, John⁸, John⁸). He was born in Vassalborough, Me., Nov. 14, 1796. He married in Unity, Me., Jan. 14, 1819, Elizabeth, daughter of Simeon (son of Walter Murch) and Rachel Paine Murch

of Unity, Me., where she was born Sept. 7, 1799. Her father was born in Gorham, Me., Feb. 15, 1764; married there January, 1788, and died in Unity, August, 1830; her mother was born on Cape Cod, Mass., Jan. 20, 1761; died in Unity, Me., July, 1849. Mr. Sinclair came early in life to Unity, Me., with his parents; when the war between Great Britain and the United States broke out in 1812 he enlisted from the town of Unity, and served till the end, being at time of enlistment hardly 17 years of age. After the war he led the life of a farmer in Unity, where he died, Oct. 28, 1830. Mrs. Sinclair lived in that town till Jan. 7, 1850, when she married her cousin, Timothy Murch, and they lived in Hampden, Me., where he died July 19, 1866. In May, 1867, she removed to Brooklyn, N. Y., where she in 1889, when nearly 90 years of age, resided in good health with her daughter, Abbie Sinclair, at No. 519 Halsey street.

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938. Robert Strong Sinclair¹, b. Nov. 9, 1819; was educated in the common school; went to sea when 18, and followed the sea for ten years, then he was swept in with the early tide of immigration to the land of gold, going to California early, being one of the original "Forty-niners"; was one of the first to open up a regular avenue of supplies to the miners in the vicinity of Shasta. He was exposed to great hardships, and d. in that town of congestive chills, Sept. 18, 1851. Unmarried.
939. Abbie Sinclair¹, b. Dec. 20, 1822; never married. She lived with her mother in Unity, and Hampden, Me., and continues with her in Brooklyn, N. Y. She has a phenomenal memory for chronological data and also genealogical history, not only of the Sinclair, but of numerous other families, and much of the information of this family has been preserved in consequence of her loving care and retentive memory.
940. Joshua Cilley Sinclair¹ (1637), b. Aug. 9, 1825; res. Brooklyn, N. Y.
941. Napoleon Bonaparte Sinclair¹ (1641), b. Nov. 27, 1827; res. Brooklyn, N. Y.
- 941a. Albert Sinclair¹, b. Feb. 14, 1830; single. He went to sea when 16 years of age. At 19 went to California, and was engaged in the transportation of miners' supplies, and in mining. At the breaking out of the Rebellion he became a Union soldier, and for three years he served in the U. S. regular cavalry; was always upon the frontier in Utah, Nevada, Colorado, and Arizona, in the suppression of hostile Indians. In 1865 he located in Brooklyn, N. Y., and from that date until 1888 was engaged in the trans-shipment of grain at the port of New York. He went to Southern California in 1888, and is connected with the street department of his city; res. Midland, Cal.
942. William St. Clair² [380] (Joshua Sinclair², Col. Richard², Samuel², John², John²). He was born in Vassalborough, Me., May 3, 1799; physician. He changed his name to St. Clair. He resided in Fremont, Ohio, ten years, in Maumee City, Ohio, for twenty years, and for ten years in Kansas City, Mo., and died there November, 1877. He married Laura Barney, who died in Maumee City in 1840. He married 2d Ann E. Lovejoy, who died in Kansas City in 1866. He married 3d N. M. Colby.

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943. Madison W. St. Clair², b. Bucyrus, Crawford co., Ohio, Jan. 13, 1826; m. Oct. 19, 1859, Ellen L. Bostwick; res. Kansas City, Mo.; banker.

944. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair⁴ [381] (Joshua⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John¹). He was born in Unity, Me., June 13, 1801; married Celinda Bakeman. Went to Milwaukee, Wis., in 1845, and died there in 1855.

CHILDREN. (Four died young.)

945. Jefferson Sinclair¹; probably resides in St. Louis, Mo.

946. Arabella Wingate Sinclair², b. Oldtown, Me., Feb. 22, 1834; m. in Milwaukee Dr. Bailey of Buffalo, N. Y., and res. in Chicago, Ill. Children:

1. Edward Sinclair Bailey⁴.

2. Sanford G. Bailey⁴; m. and has one child; res. Watertown, Dakota.

3. Bessie Sinclair Bailey⁴.

947. Helen Marr Sinclair¹; m. George F. Wheeler; res. Waupena, Wis.

948. Maria Sinclair¹; m. Mr. Williams; is now a widow and probably res. with her sister, Mrs. Wheeler.

949. Mary Sinclair⁴ [382] (Joshua⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John¹). She was born in Unity, Me., April 2, 1803; resided there and at Freedom, Me., where she died May 3, 1841. She married, 1832, Alden Chandler (son of Joseph James), who was born in Montville, Me., Aug. 19, 1808. After the death of Mrs. Chandler, he married May 27, 1846, her sister, Dorcas Burnham Sinclair, born in Unity, Me., March 6, 1813. They resided in Bangor, Me., and Escanaba, Mich., Mavina, Ohio, Racine, Wis. He was a lumberman, and died in Escanaba, Mich., July 26, 1856. She died in Marinette, Wis., Aug. 13, 1872.

CHILDREN.

950. Frederick William Chandler¹, b. Nov. 19, 1832, Freedom, Me; m. Aug. 20, 1862, Anne Burke; lumberman; res. Manistee, Mich., where he d. July 1, 1888. Children b. Manistee, Mich.:

1. Caroline Isadore Chandler⁴, b. July 24, 1867; teacher.

2. May Belle Chandler⁴, b. Dec. 28, 1868.

3. Fred Alden Chandler⁴, b. Oct. 23, 1870.

4. Lewis Burke Chandler⁴, b. Feb. 25, 1872.

5. Minnie Abigail Chandler⁴, b. Jan. 8, 1875.

6. Jennie Ida Chandler⁴, b. Feb. 12, 1879; res. 298 3d avenue, Manistee, Mich.

951. Abigail Bicknell Chandler¹, b. Freedom, Me., Feb. 17, 1832; d. in San Francisco, Cal., 1858; m. Mr. Brown. Child:

1. Harley Brown⁴.

952. Thomas Jefferson Chandler¹, b. Freedom, Me.; m. 1864, Katherine O'Toole; res. St. Louis, Mo.; lawyer. Children:

1. Charles Chandler⁴.

2. Nellie Chandler⁴.

3. Mary Chandler⁴.

4. Blanche Chandler⁴.

5. Jefferson P. Chandler⁴.

6. Beatrice Chandler⁴.

7. Leo Chandler^s.
8. Lucille Chandler^s.
9. Parker Chandler^s.
953. Augusta Jane Chandler^r, b. Freedom, Me.; m. June 13, 1850, William Holmes; res. Menominee, Mich. Five children:
 1. William A. Holmes^s, b. 1860.
 2. Guy W. Holmes^s, b. 1862.
 3. Arthur Kingsley Holmes^s, b. 1864.
 4. Raymond Warren Holmes^s, b. 1868.
 5. Helen Jean Holmes^s, b. 1872.
 6. Charlotte L. Holmes^s, b. 1876.

The grandfather of Mrs. Holmes came from Leith, Scotland.
954. Gustavus Alden Chandler^r, b. Freedom, Me.; m. Elizabeth Smith; res. Menominee, Mich.
955. Edwin Sinclair Chandler^r, b. Freedom, Me., April, 1841; m. January, 1870; d. at sea, 1858. Child by 2d marriage:
 1. Alden Chandler^s.
956. Mary Josephine Chandler^r, b. Racine, Wis., June 2, 1847; m. Nov. 19, 1868, Sage A. Catlin, hardware merchant; res. Vicksburg, Mich. Children:
 1. William Barues Catlin^s.
 2. Florence Catlin^s.
 3. Edna Catlin^s.
 4. Frances Catlin^s.
 5. Charles Catlin^s.
 6. Helen Catlin^s.
 7. Elmer Catlin^s.
 8. Desdemona Catlin^s.
957. Helen Jane Chandler^r, b. Racine, Wis., Nov. 26, 1848; res. Stevens Point, Wis.; single.
958. Florence Ida Chandler^r, b. Escanaba, Mich., 1850; m. Aug. 16, 1870, Egbert Copps; lumber merchant; res. Stevens Point, Wis. Children:
 1. Edith M. Copps^s, b. Marinette, Wis., Sept. 8, 1871.
 2. Egbert Earl Copps^s, b. Menominee, Mich., Feb. 17, 1873.
 3. Eunice Fern Copps^s, b. Stevens Point, Wis., Aug. 8, 1875.
 4. Alfred Copps^s, b. Stevens Point, Wis., April 11, 1877.
 5. Ruth Elizabeth Copps^s, b. Stevens Point, Wis., Sept. 28, 1885.
 6. Clinton William Copps^s, b. Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 10, 1887.
959. Celinda Isadore Chandler^r, b. June 5, 1854, Escanaba, Mich.; res. Stevens Point, Wis. She m. Mr. Huff. Children:
 1. Mary Huff^s.
 2. Cecil Huff^s.
960. Lella Chandler^r, b. Escanaba, Mich., June 2, 1855; single.
961. Joshua Sinclair^s [383] (Joshua^s, Col. Richard^s, Samuel^s, John^s, John^s). He was born at Unity, Me., July 12, 1805; married Nov. 17, 1829, Seville Jackson, daughter of Peter Gilman Jackson. She was born in Unity, April 22, 1811, and died at Racine, Wis., May 26, 1880. Mr. Sinclair was a lumberman, and lived in Maine and Wisconsin. He died at Racine, the latter state, Oct. 17, 1848.

CHILDREN.

962. Gilman Jackson Sinclair^r, b. Unity, Me., May 1831; d. at Unity, Me., Sept. 23, 1833.
963. Calvin Dwinal Sinclair^r (1651), b. Unity, Me., Dec. 11, 1832; m. Sept. 27, 1866, Martha A. Mitchell; res. Racine, Wis.

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964. Judith Parkhurst Sinclair⁷, b. Unity, Me., Feb. 17, 1835; res. Racine, Wis.; unmarried. She has lived in the West since 1846; is a member of the Episcopal church and much interested in church matters.

965. Molly Sinclair⁶ [389] (Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John⁴). She was born April 19, 1786, at Vassalborough, Me. She married Elijah Haswell. He was a farmer, and they resided in Gerry, N. Y., several years, and then went farther West. Mrs. Haswell was a resolute, energetic woman, who cared well for her own household, and was admirably fitted to battle her way in the world. It was while they lived in Gerry that a bear made a raid upon their hogpen. Mrs. Haswell heard the tumult and rushed to the rescue of her hog. She hit the bear a fearful blow on the head with the butt of her musket which killed him. She taught that bear to let other people's hogs alone. She died in Perry, Ohio.

CHILD.

966. Hersom Haswell⁷; recently res. in Fort Wayne, Ind.

967. John Sinclair³ [390] (Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John⁴). He was born in Vassalborough, Me., Jan. 6, 1788. In the fall of 1809 he went to Sinclairville, N. Y., and assisted in erecting the first house in that village. In March, 1810, he located there. He was a millwright, carpenter, and farmer, and assisted in building the first sawmill in Sinclairville. His military spirit was aroused at the breaking out of the 1812-15 war with Great Britain, and he enlisted as a soldier from Eaton, Madison co., N. Y., in Captain Seizer's company. After the war he became a resident of Eaton and later of Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., where he died April 27, 1864, though his tombstone erroneously states that it was Nov. 25th of that year. He was very robust, short in stature, weighed about 175 pounds, with sharp black eyes, black hair, and dark complexion. He married Betsey, daughter of Philip and Hepzibah (Washburn) Lee of Madison, N. Y. She died Feb. 2, 1872, aged 82 yrs. 10 mos.

CHILDREN.

968. Aberdeen Sinclair⁷ (1854), b. Champion, Jefferson co., N. Y., Sept. 12, 1808.
969. Hepzibah Sinclair⁷ (1859), b. Pomfret (village of Fredonia), Chautauqua co., N. Y., Oct. 8, 1811. She m. Jan. 6, 1831, Mr. Bennett.
970. Eliza Sinclair⁷ (1868), b. Madison, Madison co., N. Y., Nov. 10, 1813; m. Benjamin Graham.
971. Franklin Sinclair⁷ (1872), b. Jan. 19, 1818, in Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y.; m. Rachel Ellis.
972. Nancy Sinclair⁷ (1880), b. Gerry, N. Y., Sept. 30, 1819; m. James Albert Clark.
973. Ann Burlingame Sinclair⁷ (1890), b. March 30, 1822, in Eaton, N. Y.; m. Orsamus Alexander White.

974. Sally Sinclair* [395] (Maj. Samuel¹, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel², John³, John¹). She was born at Eaton, Madison co., N. Y., Dec. 20, 1795. She resided at Sinclairville, N. Y., after her father located there, till her marriage, Jan. 3, 1813, to William Barrows of Sinclairville. He was born in New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 25, 1798. They lived in Ellery, Chautauqua co., N. Y., subsequently removed to Perry, Lake co., Ohio, and in 1867 removed to Warren, Jo Daviess co., Ill., where Mr. Barrows died March 14, 1869. She was well educated, possessed excellent judgment, and had large executive ability. She looked always upon life's bright side and so escaped many of life's shadows. For many years she was an earnest Christian, "full of faith and good works." The last of her life was spent in Hastings, Minn. She entered into the "City of Peace" Nov. 10, 1887, aged 91 yrs. 10 mos. 21 days.

CHILDREN.

975. William Barrows, Jr.¹, b. Jan. 13, 1814; he m. and res. in Monmouth, Warren co., Ill.; mechanic. He with wife and child d. within the space of nine days.
976. Amos Simmons Barrows¹ (1693), b. Oct. 6, 1815; m. Mary Ann Bailey.
977. Sally Barrows¹ (1700), b. Nov. 7, 1818; m. Simeon G. Stevens; res. Warren, Penn.
978. Mary Eliza Barrows¹, b. March 18, 1821; m. Riley Murray. He d. leaving four children. She m. 2d Hubbard Nichols, and res. in Hastings, Minn. Children:
1. Laura Murray².
 2. Mary Murray².
 3. Lucy Murray².
 4. Julia Murray².
979. Laura Barrows¹, b. Dec. 21, 1822; m. Oct. 25, 1840, Chauncy Johnson; res. Hastings, Minn. He d. Jan. 21, 1888. Children:
1. Norman C. Johnson²; res. Aberdeen, Minn.
 2. Albert L. Johnson²; res. Hastings, Minn.
 3. Lovina Johnson²; m. S. N. Greenier; res. Hastings, Minn.
 4. Henry H. Johnson²; res. Minneapolis, Minn.
980. Elisha Barrows¹, b. Dec. 10, 1825; d. Dec. 27, 1825.
981. { Harriet Barrows¹, b. Sept. 10, 1829; d. Sept. 13, 1829.
982. { Martha Barrows¹, b. Sept. 10, 1829; m. her relative David Sinclair at Perry, Ohio. (See his record.) They res. at Kingston, Adams co., Neb.
983. Orinda Sinclair Barrows¹, b. April 3, 1834; m. May 20, 1852, Walter C. Wells; res. Marengo, McHenry co., Ill. Child:
- i. Estella J. Wells², b. Madison, Lake co., Ohio, April 23, 1853; m. Dr. Albert Green of Shullsburg, Wis. Children:
 - i. John Green³.
 - ii. Walter Green³.
 - iii. Harry Green³.
984. Julia Ann Pitkins Barrows¹, b. Nov. 11, 1835; m. Dec. 25, 1853, Joseph Butterfield. He is a farmer, and they reside in a fine locality in Perry, Lake co., Ohio. He was b. Nov. 15, 1822, at Crown Point, Essex co., N. Y., and is a son of Wilder and Patty Baxter (Huestis) Butterfield of Westmoreland, N. H. No children.

985. Samuel Sinclair² [397] (Maj. Samuel¹, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel², John³, John¹). He was born in Eaton, Madison co., N. Y.,

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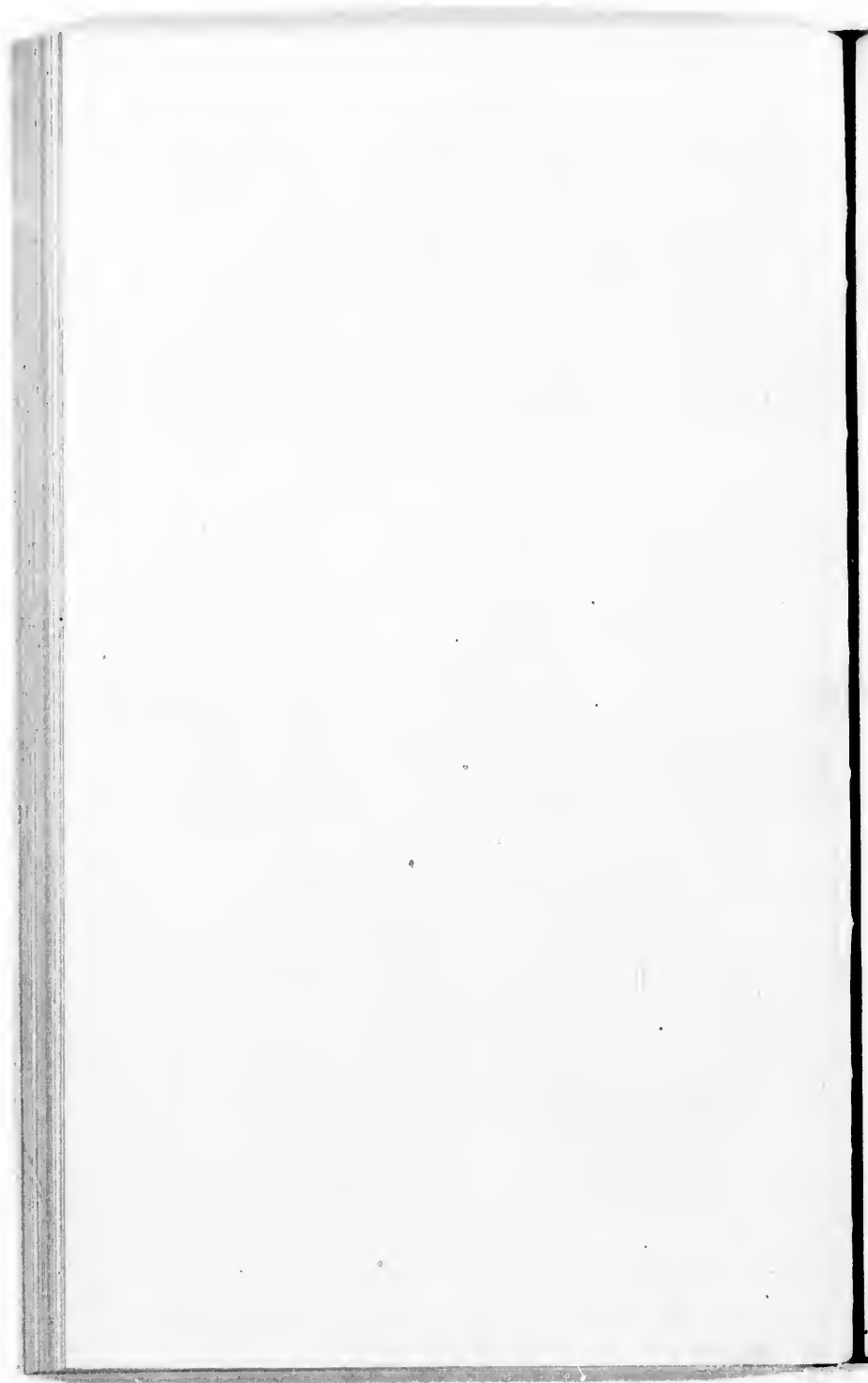
DAVID BIGELOW SINCLAIR



GEORGE WASHINGTON SINCLAIR.



VIRTUE-ELVIRA (SINCLAIR) COLE.



Aug. 14, 1801. He in 1810 located in Gerry, N. Y., and ever after resided there. He was above the average size, of commanding form, features, and voice, with black hair and eyes, had great physical strength, was fond of manly sports, and being an accomplished marksman with the rifle was skillful as a hunter of deer, bears, and other wild animals which made their home in the forests by which he was surrounded. He was lieutenant-colonel of the 212th regiment, of the New York militia. Being a man of strict integrity, he had but few if any enemies. By occupation he was a farmer, carpenter, and millwright, and erected the first framed barn ever built in Gerry. He became widely known for his skill in constructing sawmills, and built a large number of them in his locality, in Pennsylvania, and in Canada. While attending to business at Kinzua, Penn., he was taken ill and died Oct. 22, 1848. The maiden name of his wife was Martha Bucklen, daughter of James and Martha (Aldrich) Bucklen of Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., but who came from Guilford, Vt. They were married Oct. 19, 1819. She was born at Guilford, Vt., June 22, 1800, and died at Gerry, Feb. 28, 1879.

CHILDREN BORN GERRY, CHAUTAUQUA, CO., N. Y.

986. Sophia Sinclair⁷ (1709), b. Sept. 6, 1820; m. Charles P. Ward; res. East Poultney, Vt.
 987. Samuel Sinclair⁷ (1715), b. May 9, 1822; was connected with the New York Tribune; res. Croton-on-Hudson, Chester co., N. Y.
 988. Sally Sinclair⁷, b. Sept. 2, 1824; d. June 19, 1829.
 989. Nancy Sinclair⁷ (1719), b. Oct. 22, 1828; m. May 2, 1847, Isalah Cobb; res. Ridgeway, Elk co., Penn.
 990. Major Sinclair⁷ (1721), b. Oct. 6, 1831; res. Gerry, N. Y.
 991. Elisha Ward Sinclair⁷ (1724), b. April 19, 1833; res. Longmont, Col.
 992. Martha Melissa Sinclair⁷ (1729), b. Nov. 16, 1836; m. Theodore Barrett Cobb; res. Tonesta, Forest co., Penn.

993. Nancy Sinclair⁸ [395] (Maj. Samuel⁸, Col. Richard⁸, Samuel⁸, John⁸, John¹). She was born in Madison, Madison co., N. Y., Jan. 24, 1806. She died in Sinclairville, N. Y., Sept. 6, 1855. She married Amasa Dalrymple. He died having been the father of four children; three died early and one child, Elvira Dalrymple, born June 11, 1824, only living at his death. She married 2d, April 24, 1847, Worthy Putnam, who was born Oct. 22, 1811. He was an accomplished man; a lawyer of high standing, and of much literary ability and reputation; was judge of the supreme court of Michigan, and resided at Berrien Springs, Berrien co., Mich., where he died.

CHILD OF NANCY SINCLAIR BY FIRST MARRIAGE. (Three d. in infancy):

994. Elvira Dalrymple⁷, b. June 11, 1824; she m. Nov. 13, 1856, Worthy Putnam, and res. at Berrien Springs, Berrien co., Mich. Her husband is deceased.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

995. Florence Putnam⁷, b. Sept. 1, 1848, at Sinclairville, N. Y.; m. Sept. 25, 1867, at Berrien Springs, Job Barnard of the firm Edwards & Barnard, attorneys at law, No. 412 5th street, N. Y. He is a

deputy clerk in the supreme court; res. Washington, D. C.
Children:

1. Ralph Putnam Barnard¹, b. Aug. 14, 1868, at Crown Point, Ind.
2. Walter Sinclair Barnard², b. at Crown Point, April 1, 1873, and d. April 1, 1875.
3. Clarence W. Barnard³, b. Dec. 26, 1876, at Washington, D. C.
4. Charles Arthur Barnard⁴, b. March 22, 1880, at Washington, D. C.

996. Clarence Worthy Putnam¹, b. Sinclairville, May 20, 1856; m. at Waukegan, Ill., Jan. 24, 1871, Sarah De Ette Nash. He is an editor and journalist at Aurora, Ill. Children:

1. Clarence Worthy Putnam, Jr.², b. Berrien Springs, Mich., June 8, 1872; d. Aurora, Ill., June 3, 1878.
2. Ralph Clarence Putnam³, b. Aurora, Ill., Aug. 11, 1880.
3. Glen Putnam⁴, b. Aurora, Ill., Nov. 15, 1885.

997. David Bigelow Sinclair⁶ [400] (Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel², John², John¹). He was born in Madison, Madison co., N. Y., 1807, and died at Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Nov. 8, 1879. He was a man of great uprightness of character, had a rare fund of humor, and was much respected wherever he lived. Had fine mechanical abilities; was a millwright by trade and had remarkable powers in that line, and was the inventor of an improved waterwheel. Possessed great physical strength, power of endurance, and courage, was a noted marksman and hunter, and was fond of and well adapted to pioneer life. During the Indian troubles in Minnesota, at the time of the rebellion of the South, he was on the frontier. His neighbors fled from approaching trouble. He said mentally if not aloud, in regard to his house and possessions, "These are mine, there is no reason why I should leave them. If Indians or others assail me, there will be trouble." So he laid in a stock of rifles and ammunition and awaited results, but was un molested. In politics a Democrat. He married in early life Sophronia Elliott of Sinclairville, N. Y. She was born July 11, 1811. She resided at Sinclairville in 1889. He died Oct. 8, 1879, and is buried in the Evergreen cemetery at Sinclairville, N. Y.

CHILDREN.

998. Calvin Sinclair⁷, b. Dec. 6, 1832; d. Dec. 3, 1841.
999. Mary Sinclair⁷, b. Nov. 1, 1836; d. Feb. 17, 1837.

1000. Joseph Sinclair⁸ [401] (Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel², John², John¹). Hon. Joseph Sinclair was born in Madison, Madison co., N. Y., March 19, 1809, and was brought by his parents to Sinclairville, N. Y., in 1810. He received a good education, and in early life was apprenticed as a dry goods clerk in Sinclairville, and later on was a merchant. Between the years of 1830 and '40, he went to Fort Wayne, Ind., and is mentioned as one of its early attorneys, in the "History of Allen County" of that state. He was an exceedingly lively, bright, and popular man; was elected clerk of his county, and during the administration of President Polk, he was

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appointed Indian agent, and superintended the removal of the Miami Indians of Indiana and Michigan to their reservations west of the Mississippi. He was a member of the Indiana State Senate from 1841 to '44. He was intellectual, was well read, an influential politician, and at his death was greatly beloved and respected, and is still well remembered. He was over six feet and two inches in height, with black hair and dark complexion. On April 7, 1837, he and Susan S. Edsall were married at Fort Wayne, by Rev. James Harrison. She was born in Morristown, Penn., May 31, 1816, and died Aug. 31, 1861. He died at Fort Wayne, of cholera, Sept. 7, 1854.

CHILDREN BORN FORT WAYNE, IND.

- 1001. Frances C. Sinclair⁷, b. March 12, 1838; is a teacher; res. Fort Wayne, Ind.
- 1002. Samuel Edsall Sinclair⁷ (1732), b. July 11, 1840; was an attorney at Fort Wayne, Ind.
- 1003. John M. Sinclair⁷, b. Feb. 10, 1843; d. Aug. 6, 1845.
- 1004. Orinda P. Sinclair⁷, b. June 14, 1847; teacher. She d. at Fort Wayne, Jan. 8, 1885.
- 1005. Isabella J. Sinclair⁷, b. April 4, 1849; d. Sept. 10, 1851.
- 1006. Susan S. Sinclair⁷, b. Dec. 20, 1853. She is a teacher, and res. at Fort Wayne, Ind.

1007. George Washington Sinclair⁸ [402] (Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John⁴). He was born in Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., July 4, 1811. A large part of his life has been employed in operating different milling establishments. He relinquished this business on account of falling health, purchased a farm in Gerry, N. Y., over thirty years since, and upon this has since lived. In his prime he possessed great strength, and enjoyed athletic sports. He has been a noted hunter, an excellent marksman, and in his old age goes almost yearly to the forests of Michigan for a few days of this sport. He married Diana, daughter of Amos Ferguson of Ellery, N. Y. She died May 5, 1836, aged 25 yrs. 8 mos. 12 days. He married 2d Charlotte, daughter of Melzer Sylvester, who was born April 10, 1810; died April 3, 1880.

CHILDREN BORN SINCLAIRVILLE, N. Y.

- 1008. Diana Sinclair⁷; d. Oct. 3, 1836, aged 5 months.
- 1009. George Sinclair⁷ (1733), b. June 2, 1841; res. Luddington, Mason co., Mich.
- 1010. Mary Ann Sinclair⁷ (1739), b. Aug. 20, 1849; m. George S. Wheeler; res. Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y.

1011. Orinda Sinclair⁸ [403] (Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John⁴). She was born in Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., May 20, 1813. She married at Mayville, N. Y., Jan. 22, 1836, Dr. Charles Parker. He was born April 6, 1812, in Burlington, Otsego co., N. Y.; settled in Ellery with his parents, Benjamin Parker, a native of Providence, R. I., and his mother was Mary (Davis) Parker, daughter of Ebenezer Davis, and a native of Hart-

ford, Conn.; was educated at Fredonia academy, and later became a physician and surgeon. He practiced his profession at Ashville, Fredonia, Jamestown, Forestville, and Panama, in Chautauqua co., N. Y. He conducted for several years a sanitarium at Forestville. His failure of health led him to abandon his profession and devote all his time and strength to his farm in Harmony (P. O. address Panama), N. Y. His wife, Mrs. Orlinda (Sinclair) Parker, was more than medium in stature, of graceful and agile step, and when young took great delight in the amusement of dancing. She was intensely sanguine in temperament; her complexion was florid, and the tint of the rose oft was upon her cheeks. Her eyes were dark, and hair was jet black and

" . . . to shame might bring
The plumage of the raven's wing."

Having a cheerful, hopeful disposition she shielded with the mantle of her charity, her erring fellow mortals, and her heart "was soft with sympathy for all her sorrowing, struggling, sinful race." She was reared in a pioneer settlement and her advantages for education were quite limited, yet her large share of good common sense (which is the best kind of sense), and a shrewd, keen knowledge of human nature made her always welcome in the best of society. After her father's death, which took place when she was hardly fourteen years of age, she soon relied upon herself for success and a livelihood. She learned the trade of a milliner, which she successfully followed till her marriage. Early in life her mind was called to religious subjects, and she sought and found Christ, who was the foundation of her hope of immortality and eternal life. This hope she fondly cherished, and clung to with unwavering grasp for several years before she made a public profession of religion. She united with the Baptist church, which she aided by her personal effort, and by pecuniary assistance.

Her residence after marriage was for a number of years in Mayville, then at Ashville, till her death. But few are blest with the vigor, unbroken health, and strong constitution which Mrs. Parker possessed until the winter of 1849, March 17. Then her home was destroyed by fire, and her system received a shock from which she never recovered. Her youngest son was born soon after. The strong, vigorous, athletic form gradually wasted away in the space of eighteen months. Her decline was attended with great bodily suffering and her spirit underwent painful experiences, as she felt the relentless hand of the destroyer upon her and she realized that she was fading away from her dear friends and family, for whom she so ardently cared. Shortly previous to her death, she summoned her brother, Hon. J. M. Edson of Sinclairville, and spoke to him substantially as follows: "You see what is left of my once strong and vigorous frame. In the prospect of what is so near at hand, I have endeavored to set my house in order, and be in readiness to make a journey to an unseen realm. I have sent for you to offer you one of the brightest and most precious gems of my heart, my youngest

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child, Benjamin Franklin Parker. I know that you have a noble son of your own soon to arrive at manhood, but if you and sister Hannah accept my freewill offering, the good Lord may so handle this matter as to make my son a comfort and blessing to your declining years." The offering was accepted. Her mind became settled and tranquil in the near approach of death. She committed her dear family and all she held dear and precious on earth to her loving Father's care. She yielded her soul to her Saviour, in whom she had trusted for so many years, and her death was peaceful.

She died at Ashville, N. Y., Jan. 28, 1846, and is buried on the east side of the village cemetery. Her grave is marked with a marble slab, engraved with an appropriate inscription. She was the mother of five sons, to whom were imparted strong constitutions and good mental endowments.

Dr. Parker married 2d Elizabeth Ann, daughter of John James and Tryphena (Lomiss) Atherly, an intimate friend of his first wife. She was born in Fenner, Madison co., N. Y., Aug. 24, 1824. She is the mother of six children, five of whom are living, namely: 1. Samuel A. Parker¹, b. Jan. 10, 1852, in Forestville, N. Y.; res. Panama, N. Y. 2. William D. Parker², b. Jamestown, N. Y., May 14, 1855; res. Mayville, N. Y. 3. Bettie Orlinda Parker³, b. Fredonia, N. Y., March 16, 1859; res. with her parents in Harmony, N. Y. 4. Julius W. Parker⁴, b. Ellery, N. Y., Aug. 21, 1860; res. Panama, N. Y. 5. Milton Edson Parker⁵, b. Ellery, N. Y., Jan. 21, 1862; res. Denver, Col. 6. Judson A. Parker⁶, b. Ellery, N. Y., Aug. 19, 1863; d. Panama, N. Y., May 28, 1865.

Orlinda (Sinclair) Parker had the following

CHILDREN.

1012. Charles Sinclair Parker⁷ (1742), b. Mayville, N. Y., Dec. 22, 1836; d. at Panama, N. Y., Sept. 1, 1866.
1013. Albert Henry Parker⁸ (1743), b. Mayville, N. Y., April 24, 1838; assassinated at Seavey, White co., Ark., in 1866.
1014. Samuel Edson Parker⁹, b. Ashville, N. Y., July 11, 1840; d. July 25, 1846, in consequence of injuries received from a runaway team, and is buried by the side of his mother in the Ashville cemetery.
1015. David Bigelow Parker¹⁰ (1744), b. Ashville, N. Y., Dec. 25, 1842; res. Cold Spring, Cattaraugus co., N. Y.; P. O. Randolph, N. Y.
1016. Benjamin Franklin Parker¹¹, b. Ashville, N. Y., Feb. 18, 1845. His mother in her last illness gave him to her brother, Hon. John Milton Edson, into whose family he was adopted. He d. at their home in Sinclairville, N. Y., Oct. 8, 1854, and is buried in their family lot in the cemetery at that place. He was a bright boy. His short life gave much promise of a life full of usefulness had he attained the years of manhood's prime.

1017. Virtue Elvira Sinclair¹² [404] (Maj. Samuel¹³, Col. Richard¹⁴, Samuel¹⁵, John¹⁶, John¹⁷). She was born at Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Feb. 3, 1816; was educated in the schools of Sinclairville, was fond of books and a great reader; was a school teacher. She married May 6, 1835, in Sinclairville (by Rev. James Schofield, father of Gen. James Schofield, the present commander-in-chief of

the army of the United States) Chester Cole (son of David Cole and grandson of Elisha Cole) of Edmeston, Otsego co., N. Y. He was born Oct. 18, 1810. He died at Hillsdale, Mich., Feb. 2, 1885. They resided in Mayville, Chautauqua co., then in Sinclairville, then removed to Hillsdale, Mich. He was a hatter in early life. She resides in Hillsdale, Mich., the only surviving daughter of Maj. Samuel Sinclair.

CHILDREN.

1018. Chester Sinclair Cole⁷, b. March 8, 1836, in Mayville, Chautauqua, co., N. Y., and d. Jan. 22, 1839.
1019. Frances Eliza Cole⁷, b. Oct. 26, 1839, at Mayville, Chautauqua co., N. Y. She m. July 4, 1860, Nathan Randall, and res. in Hillsdale, Mich.; farmer. Children b. Hillsdale, Mich.:
 1. Frank Randall⁸, b. July 8, 1861; m. Sept. 3, 1882, and has children.
 2. Emma Randall⁸, b. 1883.
 3. Nathan Noah Randall⁸, b. 1884.
1020. Henry Clay Cole⁷, b. Aug. 4, 1841; m. September, 1875, Olive Beebe; res. Luddington, Mason co., Mich.; farmer. Children:
 1. Chester David Cole⁸, b. Aug. 10, 1876.
 2. Amilly Cole⁸, b. March 26, 1878.
 3. Hannah Cole⁸, b. March 30, 1880; d. aged six weeks.
 4. Amy Orinda Cole⁸, b. July 10, 1882.
 5. Samuel S. Cole⁸, b. Oct. 18, 1884.
 6. John Cole⁸, b. Sept. 30, 1887.
1021. Walter Sinclair Cole⁷, b. June 21, 1851; res. Hillsdale, Mich.

1022. Joshua St. Clair⁶ [414] (John⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born at Harbor Creek, Erie co., Penn., Feb. 26, 1802. By occupation a farmer, cooper, and carpenter. He married Rhoda (Moore) McClellan, daughter of Stephen Moore and widow of Charles McClellan. She was born Jan. 26, 1802, in Massachusetts; had two children by her first marriage, namely: 1. Orville McClellan; 2. Joel Porter McClellan. Her death occurred at Seven Mile Creek, Juneau co., Wis., July 8, 1884. The home of Mr. St. Clair was at various places in different periods of his life. In 1849 he resided at Waterloo, Dane co., Wis., at Crow Fish River, Dodge co., Wis., at Cottage Grove, Dane co.; in 1853 at Hatchville, Dane co., then at Lodi, Columbus co., Wis.; in 1856 at Newport, Sauk co., and in 1858 he removed to Summit, Juneau co., where he remained until the death of Mrs. St. Clair, when he joined his daughter, Mrs. Coleman, at her home at Seven Mile Creek, where he died April 21, 1885. He was a Democrat in politics, and a Methodist in his religious faith. Mrs. St. Clair was a Baptist.

CHILDREN.

1023. Enoch St. Clair⁷, b. Hamburg, Ashtabula co., Ohio; d. young.
1024. Franklin St. Clair⁷ (1748), b. April 15, 1824, in Hamburg, Ohio; m. Sarah Casper, and d. April 21, 1877.
1025. Olivia Cordella St. Clair⁷ (1757), b. Hamburg, Ohio, Aug. 1, 1827; m. John Coleman.
1026. Phylander Victor St. Clair⁷, b. Hamburg, Ohio, April 10, 1829;

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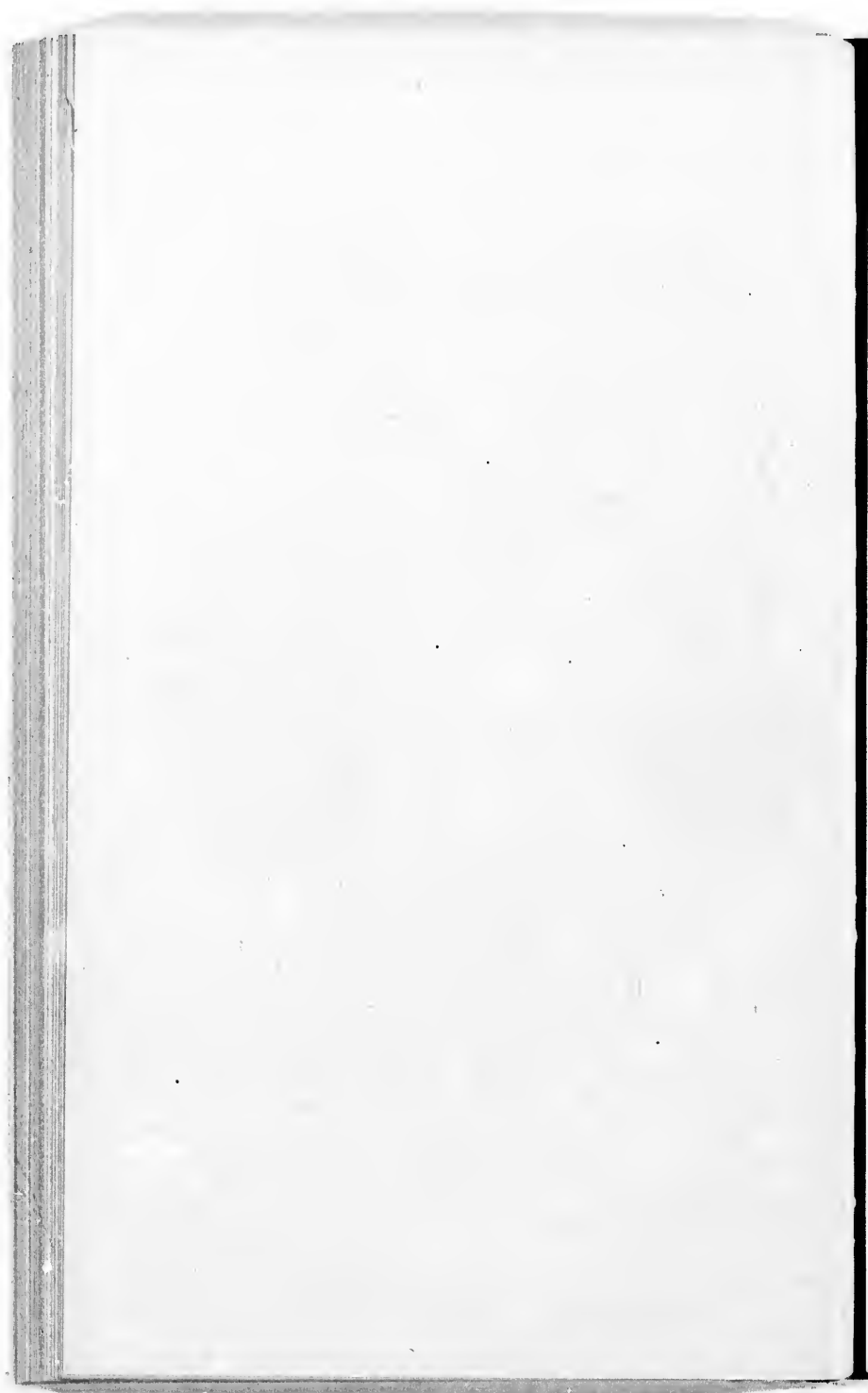
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1027. Charles LaFayette St. Clair¹ (1767), b. April 1, 1833, at Rockdale, Oxford co., Penn.; res. Seven Mile Creek, Juneau co., Wis.
 1028. Melinda Florilla St. Clair² (1778), b. Rockdale, Penn., Aug. 20, 1835; m. George Robert Curtis; res. Summit, Wis.
 1029. John Wesley St. Clair¹ (1783), b. May 17, 1837, at Rockdale, Penn.; d. at Seven Mile Creek, Wis., Sept. 1, 1882.
 1030. Susan Melissa St. Clair¹, b. Rockdale, Penn., March 10, 1838; d. April 26, 1888, at Seven Mile Creek, Wis.; single.

1031. Joseph Sinclair⁶ [420] (Joseph⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁵, John³, John²). He was born in Barnstead, N. H., Oct. 15, 1789. Was taken to Danville, Vt., by his parents when a child, which was his home for many years, and he probably went to Perry, Ohio, at the same time that his father removed there. He was a millwright by trade. He married Sally Dane of Danville, Vt. She died and he married again. No children by 2d marriage. He died in Sioux City, Iowa.

CHILDREN.

1032. John Sinclair⁷; stage driver and millwright; res. Geneva, Ohio; he m. ———; he m. 2d Mrs. Della (Scranton) Dane of Perry, Ohio. Child by 1st marriage:
 1. Charles Sinclair⁸; res. Geneva, Ohio; single.
 1033. Joseph W. Sinclair⁷ (1789), b. May, 1820; farmer; res. and d. in Madison, Ohio.
 1034. Horatio Sinclair⁷; m. Miss Bullen in Chicago, Ill., and d. of consumption in California.

1035. Greenleaf Cilley Sinclair⁶ [423] (Joseph⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁵, John³, John²). He was born in Danville, Vt., Dec. 22, 1798, and when he arrived at manhood's estate lived at or near Danville Green. Was a carpenter and farmer. Removed to Perry, Ohio, in December, 1832. He married Susan Tilton, daughter of Joseph Batchelder of Danville, Vt., born there March 9, 1800; died Lenox, Ohio, Nov. 16, 1880. They were members of the Freewill Baptist church, and he was a Republican in politics. In stature he was large, stood six feet in height, weighed more than 200 lbs., was light complexioned, with blue eyes and auburn hair. He died in Perry, Ohio, Sept. 19, 1876.

CHILDREN.

1036. Susan Almira Sinclair⁷ (1795), b. Derby, Vt., Jan. 20, 1823; m. Aug. 30, 1841, Orrin Harper; res. Perry, Ohio.
 1037. Richard Baxter Sinclair⁷ (1800), b. Danville, Vt., May 24, 1824; d. Perry, Ohio, Feb. 8, 1870. He m. Celestie Brown.
 1038. David Batchelder Sinclair⁷ (1806), b. Danville, Vt., Dec. 16, 1827; m. Feb. 23, 1868, Sarah F. Wyman; res. Perry, Ohio.
 1039. Eliza Millicent Sinclair⁷ (1808), b. Danville, Vt., Oct. 11, 1830; m. Theodore Wire; res. Perry, Ohio; d. Geneva, Ohio, Nov. 4, 1882.
 1040. Joseph Franklin Sinclair⁷ (1810), b. Perry, Ohio, Nov. 5, 1836; m. Dec. 25, 1867, Stella Owen; res. Perry, Ohio.

1041. Roxanna Sinclair⁶ [426] (Joseph⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John², John¹). She was born Sept. 13, 1798, in Danville, Vt. She married Asa Glines in Vermont. They removed to Painesville, Ohio, and then to Mayfield, same state, where she died Dec. 29, 1849. Date of his death not known. As reported, their family was as follows:

CHILDREN.

- 1042. Laura Glines⁷; m. Dr. Vienay, probably in Danville, Vt.
- 1043. Sylvanus Glines⁷; res. in Union, Cass co., Mich.
- 1044. Lucinda Glines⁷; m. John Kelsey; res. Union, Cass co., Mich.
- 1045. Carlos Glines⁷; deaf and dumb. He once res. in Mayfield, Ohio.
- 1046. Sarah Glines⁷; m. Joseph Mapes; res. Willoughby, Ohio.
- 1047. Eclecta Glines⁷; single; res. Mayfield, Ohio.
- 1048. George Warren Glines⁷; d. Akron, Ohio.
- 1049. Fanny Glines⁷; m. Mr. Curtis; d. in Mayfield, Ohio.
- 1050. Alexander Glines⁷; single; d. in Perry, Ohio.
- 1051. Charles Glines⁷; died in the Union army during the Rebellion.
- 1052. Homer Glines⁷; res. Newburg, Ohio.
- 1053. Frank Glines⁷; res. Union, Cass co., Mich.
- 1054. Kimball Glines⁷; u. in Union, Mich.

Two children, names not given, d. in infancy.

1855. Milton Sinclair⁶ [427] (Joseph⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John², John¹). Danville, Vt., was the birthplace of the subject of this sketch, where he was born July 11, 1811; lived there until 1831, when he located in Derby, Vt., where he owned a farm and hotel. There he lived and managed his business for five years, when he removed to Perry, Lake co., Ohio, arriving there Feb. 2, 1836. No railroads existed at that time and he traveled with his own teams. He went with goods and family in sleighs, from Vermont to his future home, and was twenty-two days in making the journey. He erected the Sinclair hotel in Perry in 1848, and managed it until his death, Oct. 6, 1852. He married in Derby, Vt., Mary, daughter of Daniel Kelsey, who was born Dec. 9, 1800, and died in Perry, Ohio, March 12, 1877.

CHILDREN.

- 1056. Mary Ann Sinclair⁷, b. July 31, 1823, in Danville, Vt.; went to Perry, Ohio, when fourteen years of age; m. Sept. 20, 1849, Samuel Wire, b. Phelps N. Y., Sept. 12, 1818, and res. in Perry, which has been his home for 47 years. Has been sheriff of the county. Is a lumber merchant and manufacturer. Child:
1. Dorr Wire⁸, b. Perry, Ohio, May 4, 1851; d. Nov. 10, 1861.
- 1057. Harriet Sinclair⁷, b. Danville, Vt., Aug. 30, 1824; m. Feb. 27, 1862, John Perry, b. Nov. 2, 1820, in Madison, Madison co., Ohio; is a farmer, and res. in Perry, Ohio. No children.
- 1058. Lucius Charles Sinclair⁷ (1811), b. Danville, Vt., Sept. 22, 1827; res. Perry, Ohio.
- 1059. Milton Hugh Sinclair⁷ (1812), b. Danville, Vt., Dec. 14, 1831; res. Roscommon, Roscommon co., Mich.
- 1060. William Wallace Sinclair⁷, b. Derby, Vermont, 1833; d. in Derby, aged two months.
- 1061. Eliza Jane Sinclair⁷ (1818), b. Derby, Vt., Sept. 1, 1834, and d. May 10, 1871.

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1062. Corilla Sinclair⁷ (1822), b. Perry, Ohio, Aug. 11, 1837; m. Lucius Greene; res. Perry, Ohio.

1063. William Wallace Sinclair⁷ (1825), b. Perry, Ohio, in 1840; res. Geneva, Ohio.

1064. Sarah Sinclair⁶ [428] (Joseph⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁵, John⁵, John¹). Her birthplace was Danville, Vt., her date of birth March 10, 1802. On March 26, 1827, she married Stephen B. Glines, son of James and Mary Glines of Vermont, who was born April 28, 1797. About the year 1830 they settled in Perry, Ohio, and owned the farm which in 1889 was covered with the nurseries of Lucius Greene. Mr. Glines died July 5, 1861, and Mrs. Glines resides with her daughter, Mrs. Lucius Charles Sinclair in Perry.

CHILDREN EXCEPT THE ELDEST BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1065. Benton Glines⁷, b. Dec. 18, 1827, in Danville, Vt.; d. Jan. 21, 1831.

1066. Benton Sinclair Glines⁷, b. Aug. 17, 1832; res. Perry, Ohio. He m. Julia Barteau of Painesville, Ohio; was a farmer; d. July 21, 1865. She d. April 9, 1864, aged 30 years. No children.

1067. Martha Glines⁷, b. June 9, 1834; m. Lucius Amidon of Perry, Ohio; farmer. She d. Feb. 20, 1853. Child:

1. Martha Amidon⁸; m. Samuel Foster of Madison, Ohio. Children:

i. Willbur Foster⁹.

ii. Emma Foster⁹.

1068. Olive Downing Glines⁷, b. Nov. 21, 1837; m. Sept. 10, 1855, Jehial Cook of Perry, Ohio; a railroad man, who d. of heart disease July 3, 1865, leaving three children. She m. 2d, April 8, 1869, Hiram Owen of Perry, Ohio, b. 1822, who d. 1877, leaving one child. She m. 3d, March 18, 1879, her cousin, Lucius Charles Sinclair, who is a farmer and res. in Perry, Ohio. No children by 3d marriage. Children:

1. Harry Downing Cook⁸, b. Painesville, Ohio, May 22, 1859; farmer; res. Chardon, Ohio. He m. Eliza Goss, who left one child. He m. 2d Mrs. Frankie (Long) Peck. Children:

i. Emma Cook⁹.

ii. Josie Olive Cook⁹.

iii. Lucius J. Cook⁹.

2. Craig W. Cook⁸, b. Erie, Pa., Jan. 3, 1863; m. Cora Meeker of Collingwood, Ohio; res. Collingwood, Ohio. Children:

i. Morris Cook⁹.

ii. Samuel Cook⁹.

3. Charles B. Cook⁸, b. Painesville, Ohio, Aug. 1, 1865; res. Collingwood, Ohio; m. Minnie Secore. Children:

i. Blake Cook⁹.

ii. Grace Cook⁹.

CHILD BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

4. Agnes C. Owen⁸, b. Perry, Ohio, June 8, 1872; res. Perry, Ohio.

1069. Stephen Barker Glines⁷, b. May 1, 1843; res. Geneva, Ohio. He m. Clara McMasters of Painesville, Ohio. Children:

1. Archibald Glines⁸, b. Saybrook, Ashtabula co., Ohio.

2. Eugene Glines⁸, b. Perry, Ohio; d. Fairport, Ohio.

1070. Marlon Glines⁷, b. Feb. 21, 1847; m. Sept. 30, 1863, Reed A. Vesey, son of Jonathan and grandson of Benjamin Vesey of Vermont, an early settler of Perry, Ohio. Mr. Vesey was b. in Perry,

Ohio, April, 1843, and res. there; farmer. He d. Dec. 10, 1885. Mrs. Vesey and her family still live in the village at Perry. Children b. Perry, Ohio:

1. Julia Bell Vesey^s, b. Jan. 1, 1865.
2. Carrie May Vesey^s, b. Jan. 2, 1868.
3. Harry Grant Vesey^s, b. June 21, 1872.
4. Florence Vesey^s, b. Jan. 27, 1881.

1071. Olive Sinclair^d [429] (Joseph^s, Col. Richard^d, Samuel^s, John^s, John^s). She was born in Danville, Vt., Jan. 5, 1804, and lived in that town until 1826, then resided in Peacham, Vt., until 1828, when she removed to Perry, Lake co., Ohio, with her parents. At the age of nineteen she united with the Methodist Episcopal church and ever after was a devoted servant of the Master. On Sept. 15, 1833 she married Amherst, son of Rufus and Lydia Call. He was born in Newport, Orleans co., Vt., Feb. 24, 1804; removed with his parents to Perry in 1815; became an extensive farmer there and died on the "Call Farm" Feb. 15, 1869, aged 64 yrs. 11 mos. 23 days. He was a member of the Methodist church. She died July 1, 1881, aged 77 yrs. 5 mos. 26 days.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1072. Statira Clark Call^r, b. July 23, 1834; m. Jan. 23, 1856, Thomas Thompson, and d. March 7, 1857, in Bremer, Bremer co., Iowa. No children.
1073. Carlisle Adell Call^r, b. Nov. 4, 1836; m. Nov. 1, 1859, Thomas Thompson, the husband of her deceased sister; farmer. He was b. Oct. 8, 1831, in Concord, Ohio, and was son of Moses and Rachel (Dutton) Thompson; res. Perry, Ohio. Children b. Perry, Ohio:
 1. Statira Adell Thompson^s, b. Sept. 14, 1860; m. George Orcutt of Perry, Ohio. Child:
 1. Hazel Orcutt^s.
 2. Natalie Agnes Thompson^s, b. Nov. 29, 1864.
 3. Amherst Mores Thompson^s, b. April 5, 1867.
1074. Arit B. Call^r, b. Dec. 6, 1838; farmer; d. in Perry, Ohio, Aug. 10, 1886. He m. Adelia Huson of Perry, Ohio. She res. Oberlin, Kansas. Children:
 1. Cora Call^s; m. William Day; res. Oberlin, Kansas. Child:
 1. Hazel Day^s.
 2. Dora Call^s; res. Oberlin, Kansas.
1075. Addison Danford Call^r, b. April 11, 1841; farmer; res. Castleton, Dak. He m. 1868, Emma Cook of Perry, Ohio. No children.
1076. Amherst Wheelock Call^r, b. April 25, 1843; res. Finley, Ohio; real estate dealer. He m. 1868, Elizabeth Cole of Ashtabula, Ohio. Child:
 1. Dell W. Call^s; res. Finley, Ohio.
1077. Solon Wilford Call^r, b. Nov. 13, 1845; res. Perry, Ohio, on the Call homestead; nurseryman; 80 acres in all kinds of fruit trees. He m. June 30, 1869, Eunice Matilda, dau. of Eli and Ulila (Bartram) Olds of Madison, Ohio. Ell was b. in Hamilton, Madison co., N. Y. (and the family was from St. Albans, Vt., originally). She was b. Jan. 9, 1847, in Madison, Ohio. Child b. Perry, Ohio.
 1. Jessie Louise Call^s, b. Nov. 8, 1880.

He d. Dec. 10, 1885.
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1078. Elizabeth B. Sinclair⁴ [431] (Joseph⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samu-
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Removed to Perry, Ohio; she married, 1831, Carlos Norris⁴, son of
Benjamin Norris of Vermont. They lived in Michigan, in Perry,
Ohio, and in Saybrook, Ohio, where he died Aug. 19, 1866. He
was born Nov. 29, 1807, and was a wagon maker, millwright, and
farmer. In 1889 she lived in Perry, Ohio.

CHILDREN.

1079. Olive S. Norris⁷, b. April 7, 1833; single; res. Perry, Ohio.
1080. Ann Norris⁷, b. Jan. 20, 1840; m. Horatio Storrs of Painesville, Ohio.
He was a Union soldier, and d. in the rebel prison at Salisbury,
N. C. One child. She m. 2d Dr. Edgar Arthur Von Rapp.
They res. Painesville, Ohio. Children:
1. Carrie Storrs⁸, b. May 23, 1863; res. Conneaut, Ashtabula
co., Ohio.
2. Arabella Cecelia Von Rapp⁸, b. July 19, 1867; d. July 27, 1877.
3. Lydia Winona Von Rapp⁸, b. July 17, 1870; res. Painesville,
Ohio.
4. Louis Norris Von Rapp⁸, b. Aug. 17, 1872; is at U. S. Naval
school.
5. Anne Augusta Von Rapp⁸, b. June 10, 1875.
6. Arthur Edgar Von Rapp⁸, b. July 23, 1880.
7. Ralph Garfield Von Rapp⁸, b. Jan. 13, 1882.
1081. Mark Norris⁷, b. Perry, Ohio, Feb. 5, 1842; d. June 11, 1863, at Sag-
inaw, Mich.; single.
1082. Jane B. Norris⁷, b. Perry, Ohio, Feb. 18, 1845; m. Milo Taft; res.
in Ashtabula, Ohio. No children.
1083. Theresa Norris⁷, b. Perry, Ohio, Sept. 4, 1848; m. Andrew Jackson;
res. Jefferson, Ashtabula co., Ohio. Children:
1. May Jackson⁸, b. Aug. 10, 1869.
2. Carlos Jackson⁸, b. 1875.
3. Jesse Jackson⁸, b. March, 1887.

1084. Prentice Sinclair⁴ [433] (David⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴,
John⁴, John⁴). He was born in Danville, Vt., March 24, 1796.
He accompanied his parents when young to Perry, Ohio, which was
ever after his home; farmer. He married Sarah Jennings. In the
last war with Great Britain, 1812-15, he was a soldier in the service
of his country. His death occurred at Perry, Ohio, Feb. 6, 1845.

CHILDREN.

1085. Nancy Sinclair⁷; m. Rollins Ballard. They res. in Warren, Ill., and
each d. with cholera. No children.
1086. Eurana Sinclair⁷; m. Alonzo Wellman. They res. in Perry, Ohio,
where she d. Feb. 22, 1849, aged 20 yrs. Children:
1. Edgar A. Wellman⁸; d. when an infant.
2. Alfred Wellman⁸; d. when young.
1087. Thirza Sinclair⁷; m. Joseph Richardson; lived in Elizabeth, Branch
co., Mich.

* A full record of the Norris family will be found in "Lineage and Bio-
graphies of the Norris Family in America from 1640 to 1892," by Leonard
Allison Morrison, A. M.; published by Dainrell & Upham, Boston, Mass.,
1892.

1088. Calvin Sinclair^a [436] (David^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). He was born in Danville, Vt., April 13, 1802, and settled in Perry, Ohio, when it was a wilderness. He went there with his parents, being about nine years of age. Their household goods were in covered wagons and drawn by oxen. Mr. Sinclair possessed great physical strength. When twenty years of age he fell sixty feet from a tree, struck upon his feet, was made insensible by the fall, and received such injuries that made necessary the amputation of one leg below the knee, thus making him a cripple for life. Resided Perry, Ohio. He donated the land to the Church of the Disciples on which to erect their house of worship. He married May 24, 1837, Nancy, daughter of Nehemiah and Wealthy (Jones) Gray of Perry. She was born in Ellery, Chautauqua co., N. Y., June 27, 1819. Mr. Sinclair died March 21, 1852, aged 52 years, and is buried in Perry's beautiful cemetery. An open Bible is engraved upon his tombstone, while beneath are the words of Holy Writ:

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, OHIO.

1089. Henry Sinclair^r (1830), b. April 3, 1838; res. Perry, Ohio.
 1090. Charles Sinclair^r, b. Sept. 11, 1841; d. Sept. 21, 1862, aged 21 yrs. 11 days.
 1091. Mary Jane Sinclair^r (1835), b. Jan. 2, 1845; m. Samuel L. Lapham; res. Madison, Ohio.
 1092. Emily L. Sinclair^r, b. Feb. 17, 1847; d. March 27, 1849.
 1093. Emma E. Sinclair^r (1840), b. Feb. 28, 1851; m. Dec. 9, 1868, Burgess Herrick; res. Perry, Ohio.

1094. Betsey Sinclair^a [438] (David^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). She was born in Danville, Vt., June 3, 1806; married Feb. 27, 1827, Elisha Coltrin. They lived in Perry, Ohio, then removed to Warren, Jo Daviess co., Ill., and later to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where they died. Her death occurred March 7, 1888.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, OHIO.

1095. Charles Coltrin^r. He res. at or near Los Angeles, Cal., and is a prominent business man and politician. He has been a member of the House and Senate of California. The town of Coltrin was named in his honor.
 1096. Sarah Coltrin^r; m. Joseph Greves, and res. at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He is a book dealer. No children.
 1097. Edwin Coltrin^r; is a railroad engineer, and res. at Perry, Iowa.

1098. Nancy Sinclair^a [439] (David^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). She was born in Danville, Vt., Nov. 14, 1808, and accompanied her parents to Ohio. She married Oct. 18, 1826, Freeman Tisdell. They resided in Coldwater, Mich., and in Warren, Jo Daviess co., Ill., then removed to Salem, Neb., where she died July 21, 1870, and he died about 1872.

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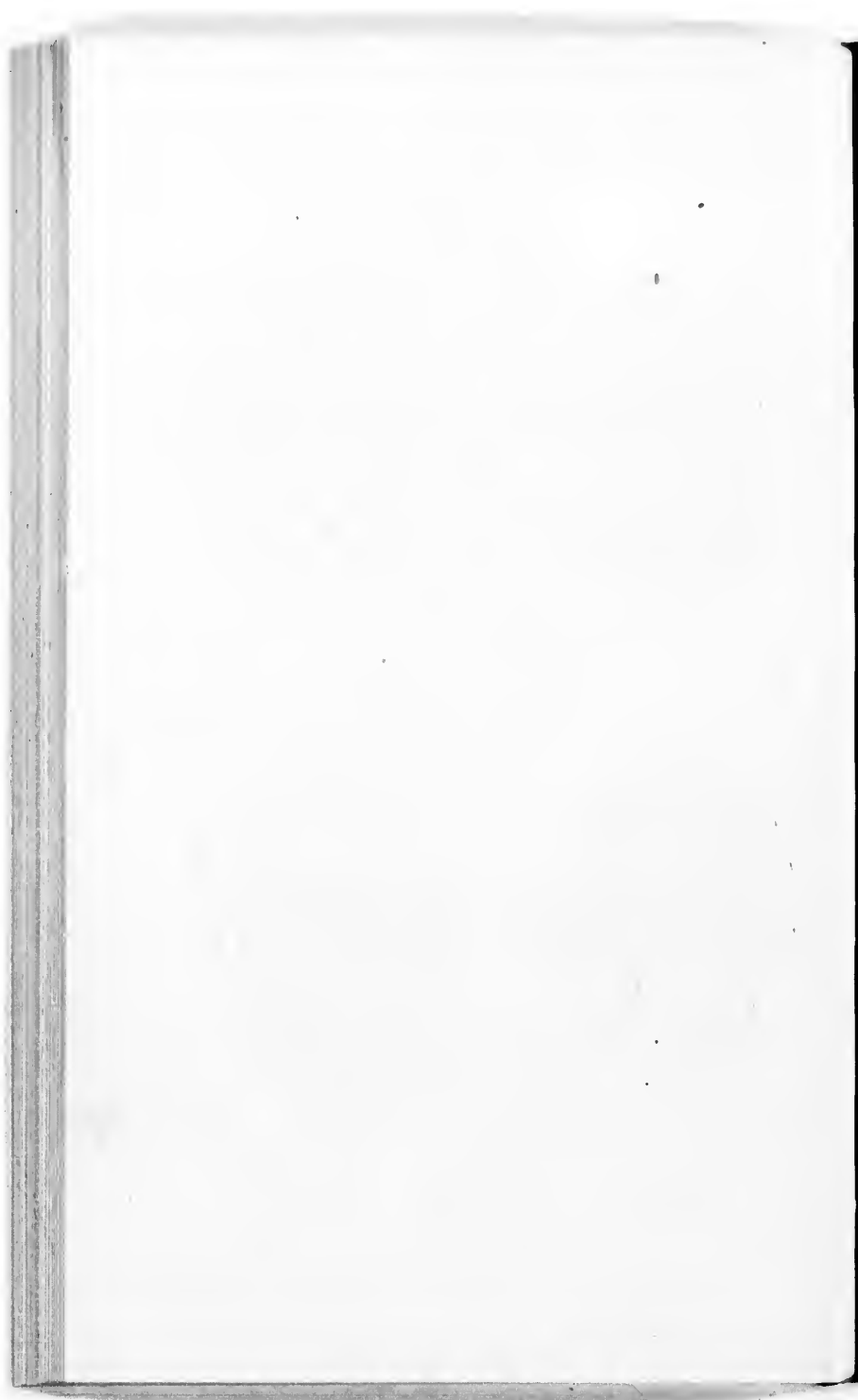
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1099. Freeman Tisdell¹; res. Salem, Neb.
 1100. Melissa Tisdell¹; res. Salem, Neb. She m. George Smith of Warren, Jo Daviess co., Ill., who d., and she m. 2d Anson Rising.

1101. Dolly Sinclair¹ [440] (David¹, Col. Richard¹, Samuel¹, John¹, John¹). She was born in Danville, Vt., Feb. 10, 1811. She married Feb. 27, 1845, in Perry, Ohio, David Parmly. He was a farmer in Perry, and died there. She died July 17, 1887, in Cleveland with her daughter.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, OHIO.

1102. Sarah Parmly¹; d. aged four yrs. six mos.
 1103. David Parmly¹, b. Dec. 25, 1848; d. aged 21 years.
 1104. Eleazur Parmly¹, b. Nov. 25, 1849; res. Bridgeport, Conn., connected with the Howe Sewing Machine Co. He m. Ida Fox, b. Bridgeport, Conn. Child:
 1. Eleazur Parmly¹.
 1105. Sarah Parmly¹, b. April 25, 1852; m. Albert Teatchout of Cleveland, Ohio. Is in the furniture business. Children:
 1. Kate Teatchout¹.
 2. Albert Teatchout¹.
 3. David Teatchout¹.
 1106. Kate Parmly¹, b. Oct. 12, 1854; lives with her friends in Cleveland, Ohio.

1107. David Sinclair¹ [442] (David¹, Col. Richard¹, Samuel¹, John¹, John¹). He was born June 4, 1815, in Danville, Vt. Was taken to Perry, Ohio, by his parents when very young and lived on the home farm. While in the South, previous to the Rebellion, he was arrested by a "Vigilance Committee" as a northern Abolitionist, and only escaped from their clutches by the persuasive influence of his revolver. His home was in Perry till 1853, when he removed to Warren, Jo Daviess co., Ill., and from there in 1873 he removed to Kingston, Adams co., Neb. He married Mrs. Mary (Pike) Wooley, who died in Perry, leaving no children. He married 2d his cousin, Martha M., daughter of William Barrows and granddaughter of Elisha Barrows of Massachusetts. She lives in Kingston, Neb., and he died April 18, 1881.

CHILDREN BORN WARREN, JO DAVIESS CO., ILL.

1108. Fremont B. Sinclair¹, b. Sept. 27, 1856; farmer; res. Alnsworth, Neb. He m. January, 1882, Sophia Liebolt. Children:
 1. Mary Sinclair¹, b. Nov. 12, 1882.
 2. Ellen Sinclair¹, b. Nov. 8, 1884.
 3. Gertrude Sinclair¹, b. March 18, 1887.
 1109. Albert W. Sinclair¹, b. Oct. 22, 1861; single; res. Kingston, Adams co., Neb.
 1110. Mary A. Sinclair¹, b. Rush, Ill., Aug. 24, 1864; m. 1882, William H. Coltrin; res. Alnsworth, Neb. Children:
 1. Betsey Coltrin¹, b. July 21, 1883; d. Oct. 3, 1883.
 2. Clara Coltrin¹, b. July 10, 1884.
 3. Sarah Coltrin¹, b. Jan. 10, 1886.
 4. William Coltrin¹, b. Sept. 6, 1888.

1111. Alanson Sinclair⁷.

1112. Sarah Sinclair⁷, b. Oct. 12, 1866; res. Hanover, Neb.

1113. David W. P. Sinclair⁷, b. Dec. 25, 1869; res. Hanover, Neb.

1114. Polly Sinclair⁶ [443] (David⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). She was born LeRoy, Genesee co., N. Y., Oct. 17, 1817. She married in Freedom, Mich., 1842, Benjamin Wolverton. He was born in Huntington, Huntington co., Penn., Jan. 2, 1818; carpenter, and resided in Perry, Ohio, many years and then removed to Painesville, Ohio, where she now lives.

CHILDREN.

1115. Nancy Wolverton⁷, b. Freedom, St. Joseph co., Mich., Feb. 29, 1844; school teacher in Normal school in Columbus, Ohio.

1116. Alfred Burderdett Wolverton⁷, b. Perry, Ohio, Jan. 14, 1850. He is connected with the Howe Sewing Machine Co., and res. at Bridgeport, Conn.; m. Nov. 28, 1876, Sadie Bell of Painesville, Ohio. No children.

1117. Frank Lavant Wolverton⁷, b. Perry, Ohio, Aug. 2, 1855; m. Dec. 17, 1879, Ella Carroll, dau. of Harmon and Minerva (White) Carroll of Painesville, Ohio. She was there May 13, 1854. Children b. Painesville, Ohio.

1. Anna Louise Wolverton⁸, b. July 4, 1884.

2. Percy Bentley Wolverton⁸, b. July 24, 1883.

1118. Simeon Pease Sinclair⁷ [447] (Nathaniel⁶, Benjamin⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born at Hardwick, Vt., Dec. 17, 1797, where he always resided. A very bright man and possessed much literary taste. Was a great reader and a ready talker, his public utterances abounding with wit and quotations from the poets, and he always kept his audience in the best of humor. Was prominent in his town; held numerous public positions and commanded the highest respect and esteem of his townsmen. He married June 3, 1824, Sally Bugbee of Hardwick. She was quiet in manner, domestic in her habits and taste, and in her quiet way had much executive ability. They were attendants of the Methodist church. His death occurred at Hardwick, Dec. 8, 1874. She died April 17, 1866.

CHILDREN BORN HARDWICK, VT.

1119. Marlon Bruidfoot Sinclair⁸, b. Jan. 31, 1825; teacher; was well known and successful. She d. in Petaluma, Cal., Sept. 21, 1872.

1120. Arvilla Ellen Sinclair⁸ (1842), b. Aug. 23, 1826; m. Charles Smith Dana.

1121. Cella Anna Butler Sinclair⁸, b. Sept. 7, 1828; single; res. St. Johnsbury, Vt.

1122. Lucy M. Sinclair⁸, b. June 30, 1831; teacher in the public schools, and res. at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

1123. Martha L. Sinclair⁸, b. May 27, 1834; m. Nov. 2, 1860, John Goss.

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She d. at Greensborough, Vt., Dec. 21, 1867. He was son of
Luke and Sophia (Ellsworth) Goss, and was b. in Hardwick,
Vt.; farmer and mechanic many years. In 1888, an insurance
agent and res. in Greensborough. Child:

1. Florence Sinclair Goss⁴, b. Jan. 25, 1863; m. Feb. 24, 1886,
Wendell Phillips Stafford of St. Johnsbury, Vt., and res.
there; attorney.

1124. Florence Josephine Sinclair⁴, b. Oct. 24, 1842; d. Jan. 26, 1861.

1125. Harriet Esther Sinclair⁴, b. Nov. 24, 1843; m. Dec. 5, 1866, Dean D.
Patterson of St. Johnsbury, Vt., where he lives. He was for-
merly of Bath, N. H. Children:

1. Marlon Dean Patterson⁴, b. May 11, 1870.
2. Helen Sinclair Patterson⁴, b. Jan. 22, 1875.

1126. Nathaniel Sinclair, Jr.⁷ [449] (Nathaniel⁴, Benjamin⁴,
Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). He was born in Greensborough,
Vt., May 10, 1801; married at Hardwick, Vt., June 21, 1824, Laura
Hager, who was born at Hartford, Vt., Oct. 2, 1802, and who died
at Springfield, Mass., Feb. 12, 1885. He died at Canton, Mass.,
Jan. 11, 1874.

CHILDREN.

1127. Allen G. Sinclair⁴ (1846), b. Hardwick, Vt., March 25, 1825.

1128. Adams O. Sinclair⁴ (1849), b. Hardwick, Vt., Aug. 13, 1826; res.
Canton, Mass.

1129. Sarah E. Sinclair⁴ (1851), b. Hardwick, Vt., Dec. 13, 1827; m.
Alonzo Johnson.

1130. Laura Ann Sinclair⁴ (1855), b. Hardwick, Vt., March 31, 1831.

1131. Eunice M. Sinclair⁴, b. Woodstock, Vt., Nov. 27, 1837; d. Dec. 9,
1887.

1132. Charles J. N. Sinclair⁴, b. Woodstock, Vt., Dec. 1, 1839; d. there
Aug. 11, 1842.

1133. Stephen A. Sinclair⁷ [451] (Nathaniel⁴, Benjamin⁴, Thom-
as⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). He was born at Greensborough, Vt.,
Jan. 8, 1804. In 1833 he was a resident of Littleton, N. H., and
of Taunton, Mass., as early as 1840. He married in Boston, Mass.,
June 19, 1836, Celia P. Bragg, born China, Me., Oct. 9, 1804;
died Taunton, Mass., Jan. 7, 1882. He died there April 28, 1868.

CHILDREN.

1134. Marcella M. Sinclair⁴ (1861), b. Roxbury, Mass., April 25, 1839; m.
June 25, 1860, James A. Deane.

1135. Eliza E. A. Sinclair⁴, b. Aug. 25, 1845; m. Dec. 30, 1866, at Taun-
ton, Mass., Nathaniel H. Wood. Child:

1. Harrie S. Wood⁴, b. March 2, 1870, at Taunton, Mass.

1136. Sophronia Sinclair⁷ [452] (Nathaniel⁴, Benjamin⁴, Thom-
as⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). She was born in Greensborough, Vt.,
March 27, 1805. She married Feb. 7, 1836, Luther Ayer, born St.
Johnsbury, Vt., Feb. 18, 1801. (He was son of Samuel Ayer, who

was a native of England). They resided in St. Johnsbury till 1839, when they removed to Waukesha, Wis., where Mrs. Ayer resided in 1888. He was a stone mason and farmer, and died at Waukesha, May 14, 1867.

CHILDREN.

- 1137. Sarah Ann Ayer², b. New York, N. Y., April 16, 1838; d. Aug. 18, 1851.
- 1138. Sophronia Elizabeth Ayer², b. Waukesha, Wis., Jan. 8, 1840; d. Sept. 19, 1864.
- 1139. William Wallace Ayer², b. Waukesha, Wis., July 3, 1842; d. Sept. 19, 1864.
- 1140. Stephen Sinclair Ayer², b. Waukesha, Wis., Nov. 7, 1844; d. Dec. 13, 1863; a soldier in company F, 1st Wisconsin volunteers.
- 1141. Hannah Melissa Ayer², b. Waukesha, Wis., July 31, 1846; d. Aug. 24, 1856.

1142. Amos S. Sinclair⁷ [454] (Nathaniel¹, Benjamin², Thomas³, Joseph⁴, James⁵, John¹). He was born at Stanstead, Canada, Feb. 14, 1809; was a railroad employe the last year of his life. He married in 1827, Joanna Faunt at Canton, Mass. She was born at that place May 31, 1800, and died January, 1869, in Chelsea, Mass. He died in Scituate, R. I., February, 1857.

CHILDREN BORN CANTON, MASS.

- 1143. Sarah Louise Sinclair⁸ (1868), b. July 8, 1832; m. November, 1851, Thaddeus S. Eldridge.
- 1144. Ellen Melissa Sinclair⁸ (1873), b. Feb. 16, 1836; m. Feb. 27, 1854, George S. Harvey.

1145. Caroline Tilton Sinclair⁷ [460] (Benjamin², Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John¹). She was born at Monmouth, Me., Jan. 8, 1813; married William Higgins, who was born at Hampden, Me., Dec. 6, 1810. They resided at Levant, and at Kenduskeag, Me., where he died Aug. 1, 1880. She died there Oct. 17, 1887.

CHILDREN.

- 1146. Mary Abby Higgins⁸, b. Levant, Me., Dec. 10, 1834; m. Jan. 4, 1862, William H. Greenough of Bangor, Me., who d. at Kenduskeag, Me., Nov. 5, 1876. She d. at Boston, Mass., Aug. 25, 1882.
Children:
 - 1. William Higgins Greenough⁹, b. Bangor, Me., February, 1864.
 - 2. Ralph Greenough⁹, b. Bangor, Me., Aug. 13, 1870.
 - 3. Carl Rosa Greenough⁹, b. Kenduskeag, Me., May 8, 1875; d. at Boston, Mass., June, 1882.
- 1147. Benjamin Franklin Higgins⁸, b. Levant, Me., July 22, 1837; m. March 8, 1861, Martha A. Gould, Dec. 12, 1861. Children b. Kenduskeag, Me.:
 - 1. Katie Sinclair Higgins⁹, b. April 30, 1865.
 - 2. William Fred Higgins⁹, b. May 8, 1868.
 - 3. Caroline Tilton Higgins⁹, b. Jan. 1, 1878.

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1253] LOIS JOSEPHINE ST. CLAIR, OF SHELL ROCK, IOWA. 225

1148. Lois Josephine St. Clair⁷ [471] (Enoch⁶, Benjamin⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁶, James², John¹). She was born July 18, 1830; married Nov. 4, 1849, Lewis Milton, son of Edward and Sarah Stevenson, born in Lebanon, Warren co., Ohio, Oct. 2, 1825. In 1837 he settled in Harvard and then in Dunham, McHenry co., Ill., and then in Shell Rock, Iowa. He was a Republican in politics; a successful business man and farmer. He and his wife and daughter were members of the Methodist Episcopal church. He died Nov. 9, 1887. His family reside at Shell Rock, Iowa.

CHILDREN.

1149. Fiorell Frances Stevenson⁸, b. Dunham, McHenry co., Ill., Oct. 1, 1850; m. Waverly, Iowa, Nov. 29, 1868, Darius C. Farnsworth. They res. at Catalpa, Gove co., Kansas. He was b. Dec. 26, 1843, Smithfield, Bradford co., Penn. (His father, Bernard Farnsworth, was b. in Halifax, Vt., Feb. 5, 1811, and m. Elizabeth Wood of Smithfield, Penn.). Children:

1. Frank B. Farnsworth⁹, b. Dec. 11, 1861, Waverly, Bremer co. Iowa.
2. Burr C. Farnsworth⁹, b. Oct. 17, 1876, Reeve, Franklin, co., Iowa.
3. Galen L. Farnsworth⁹, b. Oct. 12, 1878, Hamilton, Franklin co., Iowa.
4. Myrtle Josephine Farnsworth⁹, b. Aug. 30, 1881, Burlingame, Osage co., Kansas.
5. Clinton E. Farnsworth⁹, b. Sept. 15, 1884, Burlingame, Osage co., Kansas.

1150. Ardelie Arloine Stevenson⁸, b. Shell Rock, Iowa.

1151. Roxa Clementine St. Clair⁷ [472] (Enoch⁶, Benjamin⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁶, James², John¹). She was born June 25, 1833; married Dec. 28, 1860, Charles Jacob, son of Lewis Frankshaw Tobey, was born in Charlestown, Kalamazoo co., Mich., May 4, 1834. His father was born in Butternut, Otsego co., N. Y., Feb. 14, 1799. His wife, Emeline Jacobs, was born in Guilford, Vt., Sept. 13, 1808. Lewis F. Tobey was a brave soldier in the Union army, serving in the 95th regiment, Illinois Volunteers, till the close of the war, when he received an honorable discharge. He then settled on a farm in Avon, Rock co., Wis., which is still his home. He is a Republican in politics, and a strong temperance advocate. He and his wife belonged to the Baptist church. She died at Avon, Dec. 14, 1886.

CHILD BORN LAWRENCE, MCHENRY CO., ILL.

1152. Jessie T. Tobey⁸, b. Nov. 8, 1861; d. May 10, 1862.

1153. Mary Jane St. Clair⁷ [474] (Enoch⁶, Benjamin⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁶, James², John¹). She was born April 28, 1837; married at Reeve, Iowa, April 6, 1864, Thomas Wayman Jones, who was born March 5, 1837 in Thornton, Taylor co., West Virginia. He is a farmer; resides Table Precinct, near Valentine, Cherry co., Neb.

CHILDREN BORN REEVE, FRANKLIN CO., IOWA.

- 1154. Wentworth Call Jones^s, b. April 24, 1866.
- 1155. Jay Forrester Jones^s, b. July 11, 1868.
- 1156. Martin Augustus Jones^s, b. Jan. 25, 1870.
- 1157. Roy Webster Jones^s, b. July 3, 1872.
- 1158. Lola Florence Jones^s, b. April 5, 1875.
- 1159. Charles Bertrand Jones^s, b. Dec. 27, 1876.
- 1160. Vinnie Eloise Jones^s, b. June 13, 1878.
- 1161. Hugh Thomas Jones^s, b. March 23, 1880.

1162. Augustus Duroc St. Clair^r [475] (Enoch^s, Benjamin^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born July 31, 1839; married Jan. 28, 1872, Florence Josephine Jakway, daughter of Elmer Jenks and Aurilia (Graham) Jakway of Benton Harbor, Mich. She was born April 7, 1851, at St. Joseph, Mich. Mr. St. Clair was formerly a teacher. In 1863 he settled in Hampton, Franklin co., Iowa, which has since been his home. Is a deacon in the Baptist church, and has acceptably and efficiently filled county public offices. His farm of four hundred acres demands and has almost his undivided attention. Mrs. St. Clair is an efficient woman of much executive ability, and ably superintends domestic affairs.

CHILDREN.

- 1163. Winnie Cella St. Clair^s, b. Jan. 22, 1873; is a student at the University at Des Moines, Iowa.
- 1164. Edson De Witt St. Clair^s, b. Oct. 26, 1874.
- 1165. Frank Earl St. Clair^s, b. Nov. 22, 1876.
- 1166. Florence Amelia St. Clair^s, b. Dec. 4, 1883.
- 1167. Howard Augustine St. Clair^s, b. May 6, 1888.

1168. Perry Sinclair^r [478] (Asa^s, Benjamin^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Barre, N. Y., Nov. 15, 1823; married March 12, 1855, Miss Whaley, daughter of John and Eunice (Fuller) Whaley, who was born in London, Monroe co., Mich., Nov. 15, 1836. Mr. Sinclair was a farmer; lived in Dundee, Monroe co., Mich., where he died Oct. 21, 1865. Mrs. Sinclair married 2d, Feb. 16, 1870, Abraham Seranton, and resides in Dundee, Mich.

CHILD BORN DUNDEE, MICH.

- 1169. Ida Sinclair^s, b. Feb. 26, 1856; m. Jan. 25, 1874, Hardin Marsh; res. Harveyville, Waubaunsee co., Kansas. Child:
 - 1. Perry Brier Marsh^s, b. March 10, 1875.

1171. Laura Sinclair^r [479] (Asa^s, Benjamin^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Concord, Erie co., N. Y., May 24, 1822; married in Rollin, Lenawee co., Mich., Aug. 9, 1846, Thomas Patrick, born June 7, 1824, in Gaines, Orleans co., N. Y. They are members of the Congregational church; res. Carson City, Montcalm co., Mich.

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Erie co., N. Y., May
Mich., Aug. 9, 1846,
Orleans co., N. Y.
n; resid. Carson City,

CHILDREN.

1172. Sherman Patrick³, b. Rollin, Mich., Sept. 6, 1847; d. Jan. 6, 1848.
1173. Frances Melvinn Patrick³, b. Saline, Mich., Dec. 20, 1848; m. Dec. 26, 1868, Carlton Spencer, b. Sycamore, Ohio, March 4, 1844; farmer; res. Crystal, Montcalm co., Mich. She d. Aug. 2, 1873.
Children:
1. Willis Spencer³, b. Crystal, Mich., Feb. 9, 1871.
2. Charles Spencer³, b. Crystal, Mich., July 26, 1873.
1174. Clara Della Patrick³, b. Rollin, Lenawee co., Mich., July 21, 1849; m. July 3, 1870, Reuben Davis, b. Attica, N. Y., Sept. 12, 1847; carpenter; res. Ovid, Clinton co., Mich. Child:
1. Minnie Davis³, b. Ovid, Mich., June 23, 1871.
1175. Sherman Oakley Patrick³, b. Rollin, Lenawee co., Mich., Aug. 12, 1852; m. Oct. 5, 1876, Carrie Fuller, b. Bloomer, Mich., Sept. 24, 1855; farmer; res. Steena, Marshall co., South Dakota. Child:
1. Clarence Patrick³, b. Bloomer, Montcalm co., Mich., Dec. 23, 1879.
1176. Algernon Harrison Patrick³, b. Keene, Ionia co., Mich., July 1, 1860; m. May 22, 1881, Hattie Seeley, b. Lock, Ingham co., Mich., Aug. 23, 1863. He is a fruit agent; res. Carson City, Mich. Child b. Bloomer, Montcalm co., Mich.:
1. Floyd Patrick³, b. Sept. 8, 1885.

1177. Eliza Sinclair⁷ [480] (Asa³, Benjamin⁴, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born at Barre, Orleans co., N. Y., Nov. 28, 1824. She married at Rollin, Lenawee co., Mich., Dec. 3, 1846, Nathaniel J. Hodges, who was born April 22, 1822, in Onondaga co., N. Y., and died at Saranac, Mich. Farmer and miller.

CHILDREN.

1178. Adalalde Ophella Hodges³, b. Rollin, Mich., Sept. 18, 1848; m. Henry Clay Gloster, b. Chicago, Ill., Jan. 12, 1847; boot and shoe dealer. They were m. at Lowell, Kent co., Mich., Nov. 8, 1868. Children b. Saranac, Mich.:
1. Willard Henry Gloster³, b. July 31, 1873.
2. Edna Gloster³, b. June 17, 1878.
3. Rexford Gloster³, b. Aug. 25, 1886.
1179. Albert Alphonzo Hodges³, b. Saranac, Mich., April 20, 1861; res. Ionia, Mich. Is in the railroad employ. He m. Flora Elliott.
1180. Ina Della Hodges³, b. Saranac, Ionia co., Mich., Sept. 12, 1864. She m. Oct. 14, 1879, Charles S. Kelley, who was b. at Hastings, Barry co., Mich., Aug. 31, 1858. They were m. at Grand Rapids, Mich. Was a member of Law school at Ann Arbor, University of Michigan, class of 1880. Was in practice of his profession at Saranac, Mich. Child:
1. Fitch Harold Kelley³, b. Saranac, Mich., Oct. 4, 1880.

1181. Asa Sinclair⁷ [482] (Asa³, Benjamin⁴, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). Asa Sinclair was born at Barre, Orleans co., N. Y., Oct. 18, 1833; married Nov. 9, 1859, Louisa, daughter of Boswell and Nancy (Mills) Lamb, who was born in Saline, Washtenaw co., Mich., June 22, 1834. Mr. Sinclair enlisted as a private in the 1st Michigan regiment, Dec. 23, 1863, taken prisoner by the rebel General Forrest's cavalry near Murfreesboro', Tenn., Dec. 15, 1864, was marched about 700 miles and stranded in Andersonville prison,

Feb. 18, 1865, where he remained till March 18, was then taken out and paroled, sent to Black River, Miss., and exchanged, went into the hospital at Vicksburg, Miss., transferred to Jefferson Barracks near St. Louis, Mo., and discharged, Aug. 4, 1865. When taken prisoner his weight was 150 lbs.; when discharged it was 75 lbs. His experience was the same as thousands of brave Union soldiers who endured the horrors of rebel prisons. He is a farmer and resides in Bushnell, Montcalm co., Mich., which has been his home for 29 years.

CHILDREN BORN BUSHNELL, MONTCALM CO., MICH.

1182. Willis Duane Sinclair^s, b. Sept. 11, 1860; m. November, 1879, Dora Scott; farmer; res. Bushnell, Mich.
 1183. George Boswell Sinclair^s, b. April 29, 1862.
 1184. Frederick Albertus Sinclair^s, b. June 3, 1864.
 1185. Ulysses Grant Sinclair^s, b. April 28, 1869.
 1186. Eugene Jerome Sinclair^s, b. Dec. 10, 1872.

1187. Benjamin Sinclair^r [434] (Asa^s, Benjamin^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich., Aug. 3, 1835. On 4th of July, 1863, he was married to Anna Sloan, who was born in Rollin, Lenawee co., Mich., Jan. 16, 1843, and was daughter of Beal and granddaughter of James Sloan. Her father was born in Pawlet, Vt., March 6, 1802, and died in Rollin, Mich., April 15, 1883. Mr. Sinclair was only 13 years of age at the death of his father and was forced ever after to depend largely upon his own exertions for a livelihood. After his marriage he engaged in the milling business with his brother in Pioneer, Williams co., Ohio. Was subsequently in Ranson, Hillsdale co., Mich. In 1871 he removed into the wilds of northern Michigan, on the frontier or beyond the frontier of civilization, and there has made his home. He has a pleasant home on his homestead of 80 acres cleared by his own exertions from its wild state. In politics he is a Democrat. In 1869 he and his wife united with the Methodist Episcopal church. Has served as town treasurer, and on the school board. Is six feet in height, has light hair and complexion, and weighs 175 lbs.; resides Springfield, Mich.

CHILDREN.

1188. Walter Adelbert Sinclair^s, b. Rollin, Mich., April 25, 1864; m. March 6, 1887, Carrie Place. Lumber dealer; res. Fife Lake, Mich.
 1189. Mary E. Sinclair^s, b. Pioneer, Williams co., Ohio, Aug. 31, 1866; m. August, 1885, Henry Lanks; res. Fife Lake, Traverse co., Mich.
 1190. Frank B. Sinclair^s, b. July 11, 1868, Ranson, Hillsdale co., Mich.
 1191. Carrie A. Sinclair^s, b. Ranson, Hillsdale co., Mich., Feb. 5, 1871.
 1192. (Dorris R. Sinclair^s, b. Springfield, Mich., Dec. 27, 1876; d. March 22, 1877.
 1193. (Morris Jay Sinclair^s, b. Springfield, Mich., Dec. 27, 1876; d. Feb. 28, 1878.
 1194. George Arthur Sinclair^s, b. Springfield, Mich., May 6, 1882.

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1207] AARON J. SINCLAIR, OF GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. 229

1195. Aaron J. Sinclair⁷ [485] (Asa⁶, Benjamin⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in Petersburg, Monroe co., Mich., Nov. 23, 1838; married March 26, 1859, Eliza, daughter of James Edgar, who was born in Independence, Ohio, Oct. 1, 1842. He is in the insurance business, and they reside at Grand Rapids, Mich.

CHILDREN.

1196. Edith Sinclair⁸, b. Adrian, Mich., Oct. 28, 1860; m. Oct. 25, 1888, Charles P. Jacobson. He is salesman; res. New York, N. Y.
1197. Charles H. Sinclair⁸, b. Pioneer, Ohio, June 9, 1865; d. at Amboy, Mich., March 31, 1869.
1198. Emmanuel Sinclair⁸, b. Pioneer, Ohio, Nov. 13, 1866; d. at Amboy, Mich., March 7, 1869.

1199. Caroline Sinclair⁷ [494] (John Mead⁶, Thomas⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born in Freedom, Me., Aug. 3, 1815; married Dec. 31, 1840, Stephen Thorn, who was born in Baldwin, Me., May 2, 1817; farmer. They settled in Crystal, Aroostook co., Me., in June, 1853, where he died Oct. 9, 1885. She resided there in 1888.

CHILDREN.

1200. Eugene Llewellyn Thorn⁸, b. Freedom, Me., Dec. 2, 1841; m. February, 1879, Nancy Bradford; res. Crystal, Me. Children:
1. Stephen Sanborn Thorn⁹.
2. Charles Lovejoy Thorn⁹.
1201. Albina Alvatine Thorn⁸, b. June 17, 1842; m. Ephraim Fales. She d. in Crystal, Me., Sept. 15, 1883.
1202. Orvilla Alfonso Thorn⁸, b. Oct. 14, 1849, Crystal, Me.; d. July 1, 1862.
1203. Velorin Valvira Thorn⁸, b. Augusta, Me., April 23, 1850; d. July 14, 1862.
1204. Viola Vesta Thorn⁸, b. Island Falls, Me., Aug. 29, 1853; d. June 17, 1862.
1205. Orville Sinclair Thorn⁸, b. Island Falls, Me., Aug. 10, 1857; d. June 29, 1862.

1206. Lavina St. Clair⁷ [496] (James⁶, Thomas⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born in Thomaston, Me., Oct. 22, 1801; married Benjamin Burgess, a native of Camden, Me. They resided on Matinicus Island, in Penobscot Bay, where they died. Living by the salt water he often went to the Georges Banks and Grand Banks. He died Oct. 30, 1872, aged 73 yrs. 8 mos. 22 days. She died Dec. 19, 1878, aged 77 yrs. 2 mos.

CHILDREN BORN ON THE ISLAND OF MATINICUS, ME.

1207. Almira Burgess⁸, b. Sept. 13, 1821; m. Feb. 17, 1842, Jacob Smith; lived in Rockland, Me., where she still resides. He was a seaman and d. May, 1882. Children:
1. Henry Smith⁹; seaman; res. Rockland, Me.
2. George Smith⁹; seaman; res. Rockland, Me.
3. Sarah J. Smith⁹; res. Lynn, Mass.
4. Fred Smith⁹.

1208. Eldridge B. Burgess^s, b. Dec. 28, 1823; res. North Haven, Me.; m. Jan. 30, 1848, Mary Varill. She was b. Feb. 18, 1827. Children:
1. Clara S. Burgess^s, b. Oct. 2, 1849; m. Stephen L. Calderwood, 1871. Children:
 - i. Frank O. Calderwood¹⁰, b. Dec. 11, 1871.
 - ii. Fannie B. Calderwood¹¹, b. July 19, 1873.
 - iii. Robert A. Calderwood¹⁰, b. Aug. 20, 1878.
 - iv. Pearl O. Calderwood¹⁰, b. June 23, 1884.
 2. Lucy A. Burgess^s, b. Dec. 30, 1851.
 3. Rosetta S. Burgess^s, b. Nov. 30, 1853; m. Nov. 12, 1875, George W. Thayer. Children:
 - i. Linwood A. Thayer¹⁰, b. April 17, 1876.
 - ii. Marion E. Thayer¹⁰, b. March 15, 1879.
 - iii. Guy O. Thayer¹⁰, b. July 26, 1880.
 4. Lucy S. Burgess^s, b. March 8, 1860; m. 1887, Alexander Perry at North Haven, Me.
 5. Horatio L. Burgess^s, b. Sept. 24, 1862.
 6. Zenas C. Burgess^s, b. Sept. 6, 1864.
 7. Sophia S. Burgess^s, b. Nov. 1, 1866.
1209. Elizabeth Burgess^s; d. June 11, 1864, aged 32 yrs. 2 mos. She m. Andrew Young of North Haven, Me. Children:
1. Benton P. Young^s, b. Jan. 6, 1852.
 2. Flavella E. Young^s, b. Feb. 12, 1854; d. Oct. 30, 1888.
 3. Jason G. Young^s, b. March 20, 1856.
 4. Addie M. Young^s, b. June 18, 1858.
 5. Benjamin B. Young^s, b. Nov. 30, 1860.
1210. Lavinia Burgess^s; m. Feb. 6, 1850, Ivory T. Jackson; res. Rockland, Me. He d. April 17, 1867, aged 50 years. Children:
1. Frank Jackson^s.
 2. Charles A. Jackson^s.
 3. William R. Jackson^s.
 4. Della Jackson^s.
 5. William C. Jackson^s.
 6. Clara W. Jackson^s.
1211. John Burgess^s; d. Dec. 20, 1853, aged 23 yrs. 6 mos. 23 days. Was master of a vessel lost at sea in a gale at Cape Cod; single.
1212. Ada Eliza Burgess^s; d. Dec. 30, 1858, aged 24 yrs. 10 mos. 14 days.
1213. Celesta Jane Burgess^s; d. young.
1214. Lewis Burgess^s; res. on Matinicus Island, Me. He m. Jennie L. Abbott, who d. June 28, 1871, aged 26 yrs. 10 mos. Children:
1. Charles T. Burgess^s.
 2. Orrin F. Burgess^s.
1215. Esther Burgess^s; m. March 15, 1863, Henry Philbrook; res. Matinicus Island, Me. He is master of a vessel.
1216. Lycetta Burgess^s, b. May 12, 1845; m. David W. Babson; res. Pigeon Cove, Mass., and he was accidentally shot Jan. 17, 1889.
1217. Thomas H. Burgess^s, b. June 9, 1848; m. June 28, 1873, Jennie Richardson.
- 1217a. Mahala J. Burgess^s; d. April 7, 1844, aged 18 yrs. 5 mos. 9 days.
- 1217b. Orrin Burgess^s; d. aged 1 year, 3 months.
1218. Mary Smith St. Clair⁷ [497] (James^s, Thomas^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John¹). She was born in Warren, Me., Feb. 15, 1804; married Jan. 20, 1823, Sion, son of Ephraim Payson, who was born in Hope, Me., Jan. 1, 1794; farmer, and resided in Hope, and Freedom, and died July 12, 1877, in Montville, Me., aged 73 yrs. 1 mo. 12 days. She died Jan. 8, 1885 at Montville, Me., aged 80 yrs. 10 mos. 23 days.

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Montville, Me., aged 73
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CHILDREN.

1210. Erastus Augustus Payson⁴, b. Feb. 7, 1825, Hope, Me.; m. Acclia E. Robinson, Feb. 9, 1851, who was b. in Belmont, Me., March 3, 1828. He was a farmer and school teacher, and res. in Freedom, and Morrill, Me. Children:
1. Ellery E. Payson⁵, b. Freedom, Me., April 15, 1853; machinist and master mechanic; res. Monville, R. I. He m. 1876, Ella M. Baker of Providence, R. I.
 2. Anon R. Payson⁵, b. Morrill, Me., Sept. 1, 1858; res. Natulta, Col.
 3. Stephen R. Payson⁵, b. Morrill, June 30, 1861; practical electrician. He m. 1885, Fanny Herbert; res. Providence, R. I.
 4. Modora S. Payson⁵, b. Morrill, Me., Dec. 3, 1863.
 5. Lizzie A. Payson⁵, b. Morrill, Me., Oct. 6, 1866; m. May 15, 1886, Cyrus W. Achorn. Child:
 - i. Leonia J. Achorn¹⁰, b. Feb. 27, 1887.
 6. Leland C. Payson⁵, b. Morrill, Me., Feb. 10, 1860; d. Sept. 24, 1869.
1220. Martha P. Payson⁵, b. Hope, Me., March 20, 1827; m. March 13, 1854, Bethuel E. Daniels, who was b. in Hope, Me., Sept. 21, 1826. Children:
1. Millard E. Daniels⁵, b. Hope, Me., April 22, 1855; m. July, 1880, Abby Stevens of Montville, Me.; farmer; res. Deer Island, Boston Harbor, Mass.; teacher. Child:
 - i. Harry M. Daniels¹⁰, b. Oct. 17, 1882.
 2. Henry P. Daniels⁵, b. Appleton, Me., Nov. 4, 1859; res. Montville, Me.; farmer.
1221. Mary Payson⁵, b. Hope, Me., Feb. 4, 1830; m. Feb. 15, 1854, Theodore Moulton of Freedom, Me.; trader; deceased. Children:
1. Horace A. Moulton⁵, b. Dec. 24, 1854; m. March 17, 1888, Mary Knowlton; teacher on Deer Island, Boston Harbor, Mass.
 2. Mary A. Moulton⁵, b. Feb. 20, 1861; m. March 5, 1882, Charles E. Knowlton; res. Freedom, Me.; stable keeper. Children:
 - i. Pearl H. Knowlton¹⁰, b. April 2, 1883.
 - ii. Edna Knowlton¹⁰, b. Feb. 20, 1885.
 3. Udora B. Moulton⁵, b. Sept. 9, 1862; m. July 4, 1882, Anson Knowlton. Child:
 - i. Gertie B. Knowlton¹⁰, b. March 4, 1883.
1222. Sarah A. Payson⁵, b. Hope, Me., Dec. 25, 1832; d. Searsmont, Me., March 24, 1887; single.
1223. Orle Anna Payson⁵, b. Hope, Me., March 7, 1835; m. 1856, Charles L. Thompson of Freedom, Me. She d. April 24, 1860. Child:
1. Judson A. Thompson⁵, b. Freedom, Me., April 17, 1858; m. 1880, Sarah Overlook; res. Montville, Me. Children:
 - i. Gertrude Thompson¹⁰, b. Montville, Me., Feb. 20, 1880.
 - ii. Clarence Thompson¹⁰, b. Montville, Me., Dec. 15, 1883.
 - iii. Bernis Thompson¹⁰, Feb. 18, 1886.
1224. Lucy S. Payson⁵, b. Freedom, Me., March 13, 1838; m. 1867, John V. Busher, and d. July 29, 1871, in Searsmont, Me.
1225. Ston W. Payson⁵, b. Freedom, Me., April 17, 1842; d. Port Hudson, La., July 23, 1863; single.
1226. Henry L. Payson⁵, b. Freedom, Me., Nov. 8, 1844; m. Sarah J. Twitchell of Montville, Me., in 1870. Children:
1. Lula Payson⁵, b. July 12, 1871.
 2. James E. Payson⁵, b. May 12, 1873; d. June 24, 1875.
 3. Adin Payson⁵, b. Aug. 30, 1874.
 4. Flora Payson⁵, b. Aug. 24, 1876.
 5. Nellie Payson⁵, b. Jan. 10, 1879.

6. Ida M. Payson^a, b. Aug. 27, 1880.
 1227. James M. Payson^a, b. Freedom, Me., April 13, 1848; m. — Hunter.
 He is a Universalist minister, and res. in the state of New York.

1128. George Washington St. Clair^r [498] (James^a, Thomas^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John¹). He was born in Warren, Me., April 22, 1806; carpenter and farmer. Was employed many years in the ship yards at Thomaston, Rockland, and Warren, Me. In politics a Democrat. Attended the Universalist church. He married, 1834, Sabra Hall, who died in 1850. He married 2d Mrs. Eliza (Smith) Brewster in the fall of 1853. She resides at Owl's Head, South Thomaston, Me. He died in the insane asylum at Augusta, Me., of softening of the brain.

CHILDREN.

1229. Emery J. St. Clair^a, b. 1835; m. Caroline S. Long of St. George, Me. He was a carpenter, and res. at Owl's Head, Thomaston, Me. He was employed on a vessel of his brother-in-law, Capt. Samuel Maddocks, which sailed from Portland, Me., and was lost at sea, never heard from. Children:
 1. Austin St. Clair^a, b. 1864.
 2. Lena St. Clair^a, b. 1866; d. 1885.
 1230. Mary H. St. Clair^a, b. 1837; m. Capt. Samuel Maddocks, b. March 23, 1837. She res. Rockland, Me. He res. at Owl's Head, Thomaston, Me. He was lost at sea Jan. 8, 1866, while on a voyage to the West Indies. Child:
 1. Ethelbert K. Maddocks^a, b. Jan. 1, 1863; res. Rockland, Me.
 1231. Gilbert M. St. Clair^a, b. East Union Dec. 1, 1839; he is a joiner; m. Louisa Warren of Boston, Mass., who was b. Weston, Mass.; res. Wellesley Hills, Mass. Children b. Wellesley Hills, Mass.:
 1. Albert W. St. Clair^a, b. Oct. 22, 1873.
 2. William Porter St. Clair^a, b. July 11, 1878.
 1232. George Washington St. Clair^a, b. July 31, 1860; res. Owl's Head, Thomaston, Me.; m. 1881, Mary J. Kinney; farmer. Children:
 1. George F. St. Clair^a, b. Feb. 7, 1882.
 2. Anne M. St. Clair^a, b. Oct. 5, 1883.
 3. Robert R. St. Clair^a, b. Feb. 3, 1885.
 4. Florence C. St. Clair^a, b. May 16, 1888.

1233. Mahala St. Clair^r [499] (James^a, Thomas^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John¹). She was born in Warren, Me., June 2, 1808. She married Jonathan Hall Feb. 14, 1828. He was a seaman and made three voyages around Cape Horn before marriage. After that event they resided in Camden, Me., then Thomaston, then Hope, and died at Packard's Mills, now Smith's Mills, in Appleton, Me., of consumption, about 1833. After the death of her husband she returned to her father's home. She married 2d, July 6, 1835, Hugh Killsa, who was born in Bristol, Me., Jan. 30, 1807; settled in Thomaston, Me.; farmer, lime burner, and ship carpenter. They then resided in Rockland, Me., where she died Sept. 24, 1880, aged 72 yrs. 1 mo. 24 days. He died June 18, 1889, in Rockland, Me.

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390; he is a joiner; m.
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Sibley Hills, Mass.:

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ry; farmer. Children:

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and ship carpenter.
died Sept. 24, 1880,
1889, in Rockland,

CHILDREN BY FIRST MARRIAGE.

1234. Timothy H. Hall^s, b. Camden, Me., Dec. 31, 1828; became a seaman,
and went to California in 1849, where he lived in 1889; single.
1235. Olive S. Hall^s, b. Camden, Me., July 18, 1830; m. Alward Devine,
and lived in Rockland, Me. He was an iron moulder, and d.
there. She with the family then joined her brother in Califor-
nia, where she lived in 1889. Child:
1. Flora Devine^s, b. Rockland, Me. She m. William Sands.
She went to California and d. there. Two children.
1236. Flora S. Hall^s, b. Thomaston, Me., April 21, 1832; m. William Shep-
ard. He was a ship carpenter, and lived in Rockland, Me.,
where he d. She d. in Rockland, Me., about 1880. Children b.
Rockland, Me.:
1. Albert Shepard^s; seaman; d. in South America.
2. Ida Shepard^s; m. Rufus Anson Crie; res. Rockland, Me.;
hardware dealer. One child.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

1237. Mary E. Killis^s, b. Nov. 12, 1836; m. Charles Cilley, son of Rev.
William Cilley, a Baptist minister. He is a carpenter; res.
Rockland, Me. Children:
1. Lottie Cilley^s; m. George Smith; second cousin; seaman;
res. Rockland, Me. One child.
2. Lavina Cilley^s; m. Walter Haws; res. Rockland, Me.; shoe
business. One child.
1238. Louisa Helen Killis^s, b. Sept. 17, 1838; m. Benjamin Pottle; sea-
man; went into the army during the war and died there. She
m. 2d Capt. David Rich, a ship master, who d. in South America.
She m. 3d Oliver J. Conant, and res. in Rockland, Me. He is a
trader. Was captain in the 4th Maine regiment during the war.
Children by 1st marriage:
1. William F. Pottle^s, b. April, 1860; res. Haverhill, Mass.; brass
moulder. He m. Helen M. Smith; two children.
Children by 2d marriage:
2. Annie L. Rich^s, b. April, 1864; m. Mr. Cobb; res. Bruns-
wick, Me.
3. Freeman Rich^s, b. April, 1868; was drowned. He and a com-
panion in a boat went a boating in Penobscot Bay. They
never returned or were seen afterward.
1239. William I. Killis^s, b. July 27, 1841; res. Rockland, Me.; is a brass
founder. He m. Dora A. Philbrick. No children.
1240. Orenda M. Killis^s, b. Sept. 26, 1843; d. Nov. 22, 1845.
1241. Huldah Ann Killis^s, b. Aug. 5, 1845; m. May 3, 1863, Emery Thorn-
dick; res. Rockland, Me. She d. Aug. 15, 1889. Children:
1. Charles G. Thorndick^s.
2. Reuben S. Thorndick^s.
3. George D. Thorndick^s.
1242. Lois D. Killis^s, b. Oct. 23, 1849; m. Lewis Richardson; removed to
Nelson, Saline co., Mo.; farmer. Children:
1. Lewis Richardson^s, b. about 1870; d. 1887.
2. Henry Richardson^s.
3. Fred Richardson^s.
4. Mahala B. Richardson^s.
5. Hugh Richardson^s.

1243. Thirza St. Clair^s [500] (James^s, Thomas^s, Thomas^s,
Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Warren, Me., June 2,
1808; married April 19, 1829, in Union, Me., Capt. Isaac Tolman.

They lived the first part of their married life on Matineus Island, in Penobscot Bay, Me., and then removed to Owl's Head, South Thomaston, Me. He was master of a vessel; then was a farmer, and taught school in the winters, and has been engaged in town affairs. He resides at Owl's Head. She was an intelligent, active woman, with a good share of executive ability. She died Dec. 2, 1873.

CHILDREN.

1244. Eunice Young Tolman^a, b. Matineus Island, Me., May 27, 1820; d. April 22, 1841.
 1245. Sarah Cathinul Tolman^a, b. Matineus Island, Me., Sept. 13, 1831; m. Hanson Philbrick, and res. on Matineus Island, Me., where she d. Feb. 15, 1875. Five children.
 1246. Henry E. Tolman^a, b. Matineus Island, Me., April 21, 1831; d. Sept. 12, 1859. Was a seaman. He m. Frances Adams.
 1247. Mark Young Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., Feb. 20, 1837; d. Nov. 27, 1855; single.
 1248. Celesta Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., March 15, 1839, Reuben Carver, and res. at Vinal Haven, Me.; trader. Five children.
 1249. Almira S. Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., Sept. 20, 1841; m. George Carver (brother of Reuben); res. Vinal Haven, Me. Two children.
 1250. Ezekiel A. Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., Oct. 23, 1843; m. ———— Wicher; res. Owl's Head, Me.; seaman, master of a vessel. Four children.
 1251. Gullford St. Clair Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., Jan. 26, 1845; d. Sept. 20, 1863.
 1252. Charles I. Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., May 28, 1847; res. Matineus Island, Me. He m. Cora Norton.
 1253. Isaac Herbert Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., July 18, 1850; captain of a vessel and follower of the sea. He m. Ada Aery; res. Owl's Head, South Thomaston, Me. Has children.
 1254. Gilbert Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me.; d. Sept. 1, 1850.
 1255. Laura H. Tolman^a, b. South Thomaston, Me., Aug. 10, 1852; m. Charles Shields; res. at Vinal Haven, Me.; stone cutter. Six children.

1256. James Madison St. Clair⁷ [501] (James^a, Thomas^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Union, Me., Nov. 11, 1811; farmer and ship carpenter. Was for several years in the ship yards at Rockland, Me., and lived in Camden. He then removed to South Hope and purchased a farm, where he was a farmer for some twenty-five years; attended the Universalist church. He removed to Rockland, Me., in 1885, after he became unable to operate his farm, and lives with his son, Aubert Alward St. Clair. He married Dec. 25, 1838, Orinda Bartlett Payson, daughter of Col. Asa and Hannah King (Hewitt) Payson of Hope, Me. She was born in Hope, Me., March 9, 1814; died Sept. 19, 1880. She was an intelligent, active, and interesting woman, and a Universalist.

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1257. Thomas Jefferson St. Clair^a, b. Hope, Me., Sept. 22, 1839; shoemaker. Has res. at Vinal Haven, Me., and in 1889 at Rockland, Me. He m. Mrs. Etta Ames (Sellers) Tobin of Vinal Haven, Me., July 4, 1869. She d. Aug. 26, 1874. He m. 2d, Feb. 14,

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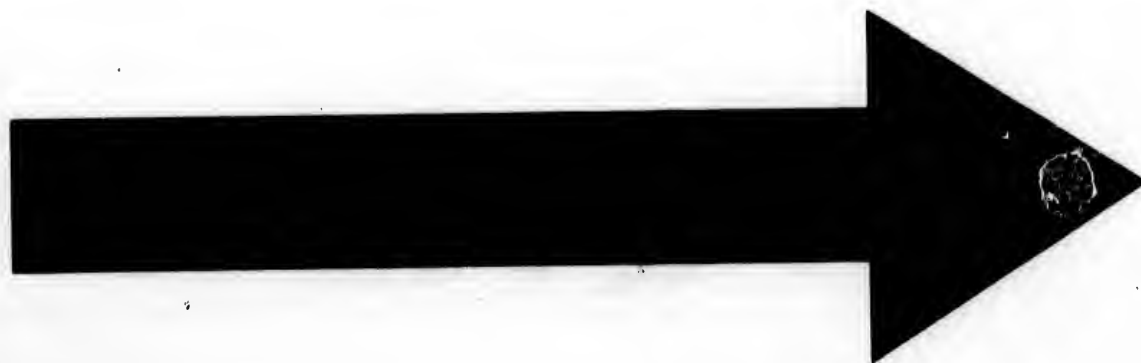
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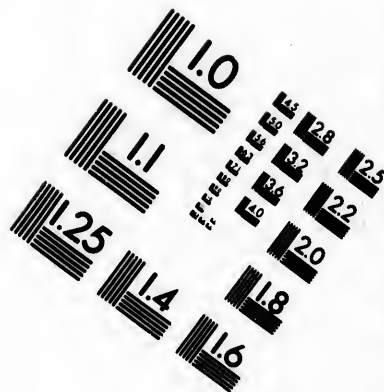
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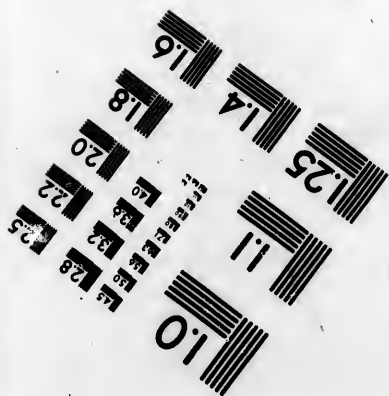
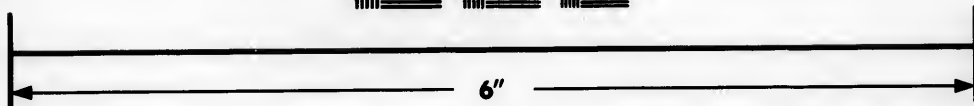
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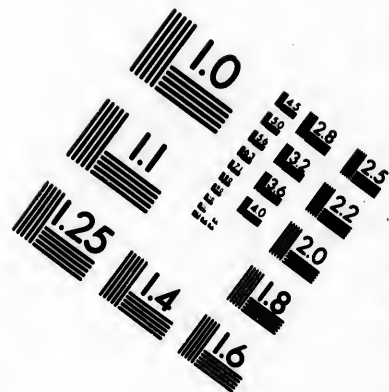
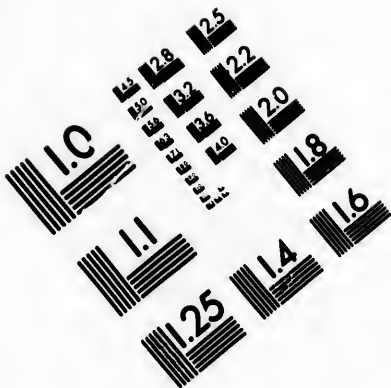
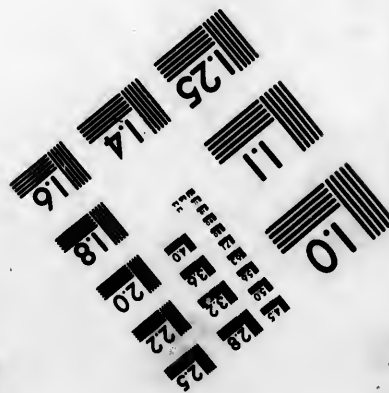
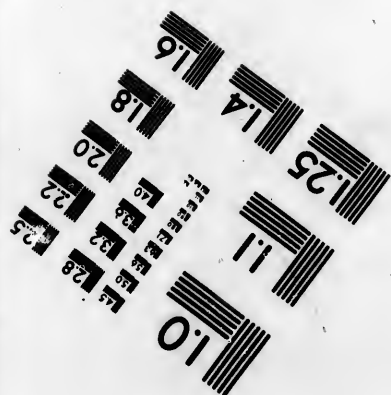
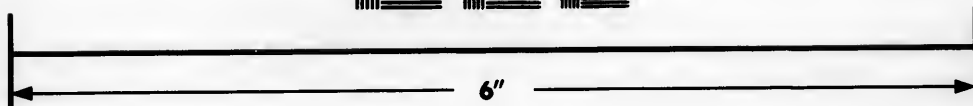
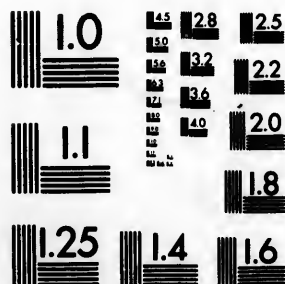


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1. Arthur Washburn St. Clair³, b. Rockland, Me., Aug. 18, 1881.
1258. Leonora Adalaide St. Clair³, b. June 13, 1843, Camden, Me.; m. March 11, 1862, William Henry Maxcy, who was b. Feb. 10, 1841, in Warren, Me. They res. on the Maxcy homestead in Warren; farmer and teacher. Was a Union soldier in a Maine regiment. Children:
1. Martha Leach Maxcy², b. Hope, Me., Oct. 21, 1864. She m. Dec. 13, 1884, Louis H. Watts of Warren, Me., and res. in Warren; farmer. Children:
 - i. Raymond L. Watts¹⁰, b. Nov. 27, 1885, in Hope, Me.
 - ii. Maynard Watts¹⁰, b. Warren, Me., Dec. 19, 1886.
 2. Edwin Harvey Maxcy², b. Warren, Me., Sept. 15, 1866; res. Camden, Me.
 3. Rose Starrett Maxcy², b. Warren, Me., March 18, 1868; school teacher.
 4. William H. H. Maxcy², b. Warren, Me., Oct. 10, 1870; at home.
 5. Frank Elwood Maxcy², b. Warren, Me., Aug. 18, 1873.
 6. Mial Mossman Maxcy², b. Warren, Me., Dec. 15, 1878.
 7. Hattie Adalaide Maxcy², b. Warren, Me., Sept. 21, 1883.
1259. Asa Payson St. Clair³, b. Camden, Me., Sept. 3, 1847. Has lived in South Hope, and in 1889 res. in Rockland, Me. Was a trader in the former town, and is a wholesale confectioner in Rockland, Me. He m. Feb. 14, 1874, Ervilla Emma Leach, who was b. in Union, Me., Aug. 11, 1853. Children:
1. George Leach St. Clair², b. Hope, Me., Nov. 25, 1874.
 2. Etta St. Clair², b. Hope, Me., Dec. 3, 1876.
1260. Madan King St. Clair³, b. Hope, Me., July 10, 1851; res. Camden, Me. Is a sash and blind manufacturer. He m. Oct. 2, 1876, Ida Frances Payson, dau. of George and Emily (Hull) Payson of South Hope, Me. She was b. in Hope, June 23, 1856. Children:
1. Florence E. St. Clair², b. Hope, Me., May 16, 1879.
 2. Charlotte M. St. Clair², b. Camden, Me., Feb. 7, 1885; d. Jan. 30, 1886.
1261. Aubert A. St. Clair³, b. Hope, Me., Dec. 17, 1852; m. Clara Frances Leach, Dec. 26, 1876. She was b. Feb. 5, 1861, in Union, Me. He is a wholesale confectioner; res. Rockland, Me. Children:
1. Emma Ervilla St. Clair², b. Hope, Me., Jan. 8, 1879.
 2. George Austin St. Clair², b. Hope, Me., Feb. 12, 1883.
1262. Erastus St. Clair⁷ [502] (James⁶, Thomas⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in Union, Me., Feb. 14, 1814. He resided on the homestead in Union, Me., and the farm is still owned by the family. A man of excellent habits, active, industrious, and vigorous. He died of pneumonia Feb. 24, 1873. A war Democrat in politics, and an attendant of the Universalist church. He married March, 1836, Sarah E., daughter of William and Sally (Philbrook) Bowley. She was born in Hope, Me., Oct. 10, 1822. She resides on the homestead in Union, Me., and is a member of the Advent church.

CHILDREN BORN UNION, ME.

1263. William Bowley St. Clair², b. March 18, 1837. He enlisted Sept. 10, 1862, from Union, in company B, 24th Maine Volunteers, for nine months. Was at the surrender of Port Hudson, La., in

1863, and was sunstruck in the service, and has never fully recovered from that and the wear and tear of army life in that malarial region of the South. He has always resided in Union, Me., and his farm is only about 80 rods from the spot where his grandfather, James St. Clair, located and built his log house, when he came from Meredith, N. H., and settled in the wilds of Maine. He is a Republican in politics, and attends the Baptist church. He m. in Damariscotta, Me., March 15, 1872, Addie, dau. of Sumner and Nancy (Brown) Chapin of that town. She was b. there May 31, 1847, and is a strict member of the Baptist church. Children b. Union, Me.:

1. Berton Edgar St. Clair^s, b. Feb. 22, 1873; res. Union, Me.
2. Zetta Ella St. Clair^s, b. June 19, 1874; res. at home.

1264. Gilman St. Clair^s, b. 1840; d. February, 1841.

1265. John Lermond St. Clair^s, b. 1842; was a soldier in the Union army; was in the Regular army, and d. of effects of army life in March, 1864. He received an honorable discharge and lived several months after his return.

1266. Eliza Emaline St. Clair^s, b. Jan. 1, 1847; res. Union, Me.; single.

1267. Henry Franklin St. Clair^s, b. November, 1850; res. Rockland, Me.; d. in the fall of 1882.

1268. Caroline Sarah St. Clair^s, b. 1852; m. Nathan A. Hewett; res. in Union and Rockland, Me.; quarryman. She d. in spring of 1876. Children b. Union, Me.:

1. Fred Hewett^s, b. November, 1869; res. Rockland, Me.
2. Jennie E. Hewett^s, b. November, 1872; res. Rockland, Me.
3. Lizzie F. Hewett^s, b. January, 1874; res. Rockland, Me.

1269. Martha Ella St. Clair^s, b. November, 1855; d. 1860.

1270. Samuel Bowley St. Clair^s, b. 1858; res. Rockland, Me. He m. Elizabeth Long of St. George, Me. Child:

1. Effie Arletta St. Clair^s.

1271. Charles Riley St. Clair^s, b. September, 1861; res. Rockland, Me.; single.

1272. Lucy Lovejoy St. Clair^s [504] (James^s, Thomas^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Union, Me., Nov. 16, 1818. She married Abijah Thurston Metcalf. They resided in Hope, Me.; farmer. She died April 26, 1863. He died Feb. 12, 1878. He was born March 1, 1813, in Hope, Me.

CHILDREN BORN HOPE, ME.

1273. Sophila Metcalf^s, b. Hope, Me., 1840; m. Aug. 20, 1861, at Wayne, Me., J. Mellen Sylvester of Leeds, Me. He was b. 1835. They res. Leeds, Me.; farmer. Children b. Leeds, Me.:

1. Arthur Mellen Sylvester^s, b. Nov. 30, 1865.
2. f Laura Metcalf Sylvester^s, b. April 26, 1867.
3. f Lucy Metcalf Sylvester^s, b. April 26, 1867.
4. Henry Cole Sylvester^s, b. March 26, 1874.

1274. Drucilla Metcalf^s, b. Dec. 2, 1842. She m. at Lawrence, Mass., Nov. 10, 1863, Henry Martin Cole. He was b. Hope, Me., May 8, 1829. He lives in Hope, Me.; farmer. Children b. Hope, Me.:

1. Florence Cole^s, b. Feb. 24, 1871.
2. Lucy Maude Cole^s, b. April 4, 1873.
3. Alice Lena Cole^s, b. Aug. 19, 1874.

1275. Lauraett Metcalf^s, b. Oct. 8, 1843; d. Aug. 19, 1865.

1276. Hudson Metcalf^s, b. March 1, 1845; d. Aug. 23, 1862.

1277. Ariston Metcalf^s, b. August, 1847; d. 1849.

1278. Geneva Metcalf^s, b. Aug. 31, 1849; m. November, 1867, Alden, son

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Me., on the homestead; farmer. Children b. Appleton, Me.:

1. Effie Elia Robbins^s, b. Feb. 10, 1870; m. Dec. 15, 1888, All
F. Mink, who was b. 1865; res. South Hope, Me.

2. Raymond Hudson Robbins^s, b. January, 1873.

1279. Nellie Metcalf^s, b. 1851; m. at Augusta, Me., June, 1877, Fred L.
Mansfield, b. 1845. She d. April 26, 1880.

1280. George Albert Metcalf^s, b. April 29, 1853; m. in Fremont, Neb.,
Feb. 11, 1875, Lizzie Simonton, who was b. Feb. 10, 1859; cattle
raiser. Children:

1. Ralph Metcalf^s, b. May 22, 1877, Fremont, Neb.

2. Carl Metcalf^s, b. Grant, Kansas, Feb. 17, 1879.

3. Grace Metcalf^s, b. Oberlin, Kansas, Aug. 22, 1881.

4. Harry Metcalf^s, b. Grant, Kansas, Sept. 29, 1883.

1281. Aldeverd Metcalf^s, b. July 7, 1855; m. at Oberlin, Kansas, October,
1880, Hattie, dau. of Simon and Orinda (Bartlett) Fish of South
Hope, Me. She was b. 1860. Children b. Decatur, Kansas:

1. Maud Metcalf^s, b. August, 1882.

2. Lucy Metcalf^s, b. September, 1884.

3. Clyde Metcalf^s, b. April, 1887.

1282. Evillna Metcalf^s, b. Feb. 24, 1859; m. at Grant, Kansas, June 5,
1880, William Frasier, who was b. at Fort Atkinson, Wis., Nov.
25, 1853.

1283. Abigail Burgess St. Clair⁷ [505] (James^s, Thomas^s, Thom-
as^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Union, Me., Aug.
27, 1822. She married Dec. 20, 1846, Samuel L. Hastings of Hope,
Me., where he was born, and was son of Ansell and Nancy Hastings
of that town. He was a farmer and teacher. He died of consump-
tion, Jan. 27, 1855, aged 34 years. She died Feb. 14, 1885, aged
62 years.

CHILDREN BORN HOPE, ME.

1284. Herbert L. Hastings^s, b. Feb. 20, 1848; mechanic; res. at East
Union, Me. He m. Oct. 2, 1875, Abbie E. Hewett, dau. of Wil-
liam and Eliza (Payson) Hewett of South Hope, Me. She was b.
in that town, date not given. Children b. East Union, Me.:

1. Ralph Hewett Hastings^s, b. Dec. 16, 1877.

2. Alice Mary Hastings^s, b. Aug. 13, 1883.

3. Phyllis D. Hastings^s, b. July 5, 1886.

4. Parker Wallace Hastings^s, b. Aug. 2, 1887.

1285. Minerva Bartlett Hastings^s, b. Oct. 17, 1850; d. May 26, 1871, of
consumption.

1286. Frederick Hewett Hastings^s, b. Feb. 1, 1853; d. March 8, 1879, of
consumption. He m. Oct. 17, 1874, Sylvia L., dau. of William
and Eliza (Payson) Hewett of South Hope, Me., where she was
b., date not given. He lived in Waldoborough, Me., and then
in South Hope, Me. Child:

1. Lillian Beatrice Hastings^s, b. South Hope, Me., Oct. 7, 1877;
d. December, 1878.

1287. Josephine Hastings^s, b. April, 1855; d. May, 1856.

1288. Guilford Dudley St. Clair⁷ [506] (James^s, Thomas^s, Thom-
as^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Union, Me., Sept.
30, 1824; resided in Camden, Me.; ship carpenter and farmer. He
was employed upon the homestead farm in Union, Me., till nineteen

years of age. From the time he was twenty-one years of age till 1877, or thirty-three years, he was employed in the ship timbering business or as ship carpenter. First at the ship yard in Thomaston, Me., then at South Thomaston, at Camden, and in Portland, Me., and has aided in the construction of many vessels. Those at Portland were built during the great Rebellion and were gun boats for the national service. For nine winters both previous and subsequent to the war he was in Maryland and Virginia in manufacturing ship timber for the northern market, and was also at different times in various portions of Maine in the same avocation. In 1870 he purchased the "Mt. Pleasant Farm" in Camden, upon which the family moved in September of that year from Rockland, which had been their home for 20 years. His new home is pleasantly situated at the base of Mt. Pleasant, a wooded mountain. In the east the abrupt and ragged sides of Ragged mountain rise high into the sky. Near its base in plain view is Grassy Pond, a body of clear and sparkling water. In the northwest is an unobstructed view for 25 miles, and Bowlen mountain in Montville can be distinctly seen. Portions of Appleton and Union are plainly discernible, while in another direction 20 miles away, Waldoborough, Me., greets one's vision.

Since 1877 Mr. St. Clair has devoted all his time and energy to farming. In politics he takes a deep and abiding interest and is a pronounced Republican. Is intelligent, and well read upon the general topics of the day. He married Dec. 25, 1845, Leonora Helen, daughter of Col. Asa and Hannah King (Hewett) Payson of Hope, Me. She was born in that town Sept. 6, 1826, married early in life. Her life as a teacher in private schools was short. She is intelligent, active, and energetic, with much executive ability. She is an attendant and member of the Baptist church.

CHILDREN.

1289. Ashley St. Clair^s, b. Camden, Me., March 22, 1847. He enlisted in company E, 2d Maine cavalry, for three years, on Nov. 10, 1863, and served till the close of the war, being mustered out in December, 1865. He m. in Phillips, Me., Sept. 7, 1871, Sarah Evelyn, dau. of James and Sarah Tarbox of Phillips, Me. She was b. there in 1850. He was educated at the Normal school, Farmington, Me., and is a teacher in Calais, Me., where he has been employed 18 years. Is studying law and intends to enter the legal profession. His wife d. Jan. 20, 1887. Children:
1. Louisa Evelyn St. Clair^s, b. June 3, 1872, in Phillips, Me.
 2. Eda Estelle St. Clair^s, b. Aug. 18, 1874, in Calais, Me.
 3. Alice Winnifred St. Clair^s, b. Sept. 27, 1883; d. Aug. 12, 1885.
1290. George Francis St. Clair^s, b. Camden, Me., Aug. 21, 1849; d. Rockland, Me., June 26, 1850.
1291. Lauriston Fenno St. Clair^s, b. Rockland, Me., April 13, 1851; res. Camden, Me.; blacksmith by trade. Is now in the dyeing department of a worsted mill at Camden. He m. May 3, 1874, Belle Conway of Rockland, Me. Children:
1. Eugene Mills St. Clair^s, b. Camden, Me., June 11, 1875; d. June 4, 1877, of diphtheria.
 2. Arthur Payson St. Clair^s, b. Camden, Me., Jan. 30, 1877; d.

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3. Lena St. Clair^a, b. Rockland, Me., July 10, 1881.
1292. Eda Frances St. Clair^a, b. Rockland, Me., July 4, 1882; m. Sept. 8, 1872, Abner Rice Mitchell. He was b. in Appleton, Me., and is son of Enos and Sarah (Butler) Mitchell of Appleton, Me. He was a cooper and farmer; lived in Hope, Me., and d. in East Union, Me., April 17, 1878. She m. 2d in Camden, Me., Jan. 1, 1881, Franklin A., son of Eraatus Oxtou of Camden. He was b. there; painter; res. West Camden, Me. Children by 1st marriage:
 1. Lillian Belle Mitchell^a, b. Hope, Me., Sept. 13, 1873; d. Union, Me., March 20, 1876.
 2. Alton Payson Mitchell^a, b. Hope, Me., March 13, 1876; d. Union Oct. 9, 1877.
 Children by 2d marriage:
 3. Grace Lillian Oxtou^a, b. West Camden, Me., Jan. 31, 1882.
 4. William Chapman Oxtou^a, b. Camden, Me., Oct. 22, 1884.
1293. Eva Leonora St. Clair^a, b. Rockland, Me., Oct. 12, 1854; m. Dec. 24, 1877, in Union, Me., Edward Linley Cleveland, son of Rev. Edward and Sarah (Grinnell) Cleveland of West Camden, Me. He was b. Aug. 12, 1854, in that town. He is a commercial traveler, and res. in Houlton, Me. Child:
 1. Arthur St. Clair Cleveland^a, b. Camden, Me., Feb. 8, 1882.
1294. Grace Lillian St. Clair^a, b. Rockland, Me., March 8, 1863; m. in Camden, Me., Dec. 16, 1888, Rockland, son of Thomas and Nancy (McLean) Jones of Union, Me., where he lived several years. He was b. in Hope, Me., June 6, 1864; carpenter; res. Camden, Me. Child:
 1. Gladys St. Clair Jones^a, b. Camden, Me., Nov. 15, 1886.
1295. Elmer Carroll St. Clair^a, b. Rockland, Me., May 14, 1867. Educated at common school, and at the commercial college in Rockland, Me. Is a farmer, and res. with his parents on the "Mt. Pleasant Farm" in Camden, Me.

1296. Ahira Sinclair^a [509] (Thomas^a, Thomas^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born at Beaver Hill Plantation, Me. (now Freedom), Oct. 27, 1807; was a farmer. The most of his life was spent in Dover, Me. Removed to Midland, Mich., in 1869, where he resided in 1888. Is a member of the Baptist church; a Republican in politics. He married June 1, 1836, Harriet, daughter of David and Elizabeth (Wilbur) Bartlett of Trenton, Me., where she was born May 10, 1818. She is still living at Midland, Mich. This venerable couple celebrated their golden wedding in 1888.

"From the hills of spring they started,
And through all the Summer land,
And the fruitful Autumn country
They have journeyed hand in hand."

The years still seem bright before them.

CHILDREN.

1297. Mary Elizabeth Sinclair^a, b. April 14, 1837, in Ellsworth, Me. She m. April 10, 1859, Samuel Sias; res. Midland, Mich. Children:
 1. Herbert Arthur Sias^a, b. Dover, Me., August, 1859; res. Midland, Mich.; m. Aug. 27, 1881, Mary Emery. Children:
 - i. Arthur Valentine Sias¹⁰, b. Feb. 14, 1883.
 - ii. Samuel Roy Sias¹⁰, b. Nov. 23, 1884.

- iii. Myrol Sias¹⁰, b. Feb. 22, 1887.
2. Ella Frances Sias⁹, b. Midland, Mich., April 23, 1861; m. May 27, 1877, Samuel T. McReavy. They res. Midland, Mich. Children:
- i. Hattie Ethel McReavy¹⁰, b. Aug. 10, 1880.
- ii. Harry Robert McReavy¹⁰, b. Sept. 30, 1880.
3. Hattie Sinclair Sias⁹, b. Midland, Mich., April 18, 1863; m. June 26, 1888, Dr. Frank A. Towsley; res. Midland, Mich. No children.
4. Annie Maria Sias⁹, b. March 28, 1865; m. June 24, 1885, William Hardy; res. Midland, Mich. Children:
- i. Hattie Hazel Hardy¹⁰, b. April 8, 1886.
- ii. Herbert Harold Hardy¹⁰, b. March 20, 1888.
5. Lizzie Irene Sias⁹, b. Midland, Mich., Feb. 17, 1867.
6. Clara May Sias⁹; d. in infancy.
7. Calice Henrietta Sias⁹; d. in infancy.
8. Flora Phoebe Sias⁹, b. Nov. 30, 1872.
9. Edith Sias⁹, b. 1878.
1298. Anna Maria Sinclair⁸, b. Ellsworth, Me., Aug. 20, 1838; m. Jan. 1, 1859, Orrin P. Dorr. She res. at Midland, Mich., and d. Dec. 4, 1874, at that place. Children:
1. Charles Dorr⁸, b. October, 1861; drowned, May 28, 1873.
2. Gertrude L. Dorr⁸, b. Dover, Me., July 15, 1863; m. May 6, 1882, John Callahan; res. Midland, Mich. Children:
- i. Lizzie Callahan¹⁰, b. May 8, 1883.
- ii. John Callahan¹⁰, b. Nov. 20, 1884.
- iii. Blanche Ethlyn Callahan¹⁰, b. May 18, 1886.
- iv. Helen Callahan¹⁰, b. Sept. 16, 1888.
3. Jackson Hiram Dorr⁸, b. Dover, Me., Feb. 17, 1865; m. May, 1886, Rosa Croukright; res. Midland, Mich. Child:
- i. Annie Maria Dorr¹⁰, b. January, 1888.
4. Geneva May Dorr⁸, b. June 13, 1867; m. June 10, 1885, Joseph Openo; res. Midland, Mich. Child:
- i. Bessie Openo¹⁰, b. Sept. 23, 1886; d. March 23, 1888.
5. Orrin Ahira Dorr⁸, b. 1869; d. 1873.
6. James Elmer Dorr⁸, b. Oct. 6, 1871.
1299. Eliza Bartlett Sinclair⁸, b. Dover, Me., Dec. 5, 1839; m. Sept. 17, 1859, Joel A. Dorr; res. Midland, Mich. Children:
1. Nellie Eugenie Dorr⁸, b. Dec. 2, 1860; m. April 9, 1878, Fred O. Stanford; res. Midland, Mich. Children:
- i. Bertha Cora Stanford¹⁰, b. May 3, 1880.
- ii. Glen Marshall Stanford¹⁰, b. Dec. 6, 1883.
2. Bertha Almira Dorr⁸, b. Aug. 2, 1862; m. Oct. 7, 1882, Thomas L. Wood; res. Madison, Dak. Children:
- i. Addie Helen Wood¹⁰, b. Madison, Dak., Sept. 17, 1883.
- ii. Guy Wood¹⁰, b. Midland, Mich., Dec. 20, 1885.
- iii. Child; b. Madison, Dak., Jan. 18, 1888.
3. Willis Ormand Dorr⁸, b. June 14, 1867.
4. Flora Eliza Dorr⁸, b. May 14, 1872.
5. Frances Edith Dorr⁸, b. Nov. 8, 1874.
6. Blanch Ethlyn Dorr⁸, b. Jan. 8, 1876.
7. Mary Elizabeth Dorr⁸, b. July 24, 1877.
1300. Charles William Sinclair⁸, b. March 31, 1843, at Dover, Me.; m. Aug. 7, 1860, Josephine M. Keith; res. Midland, Mich. Children b. Midland, Mich.:
1. Lizzie Sinclair⁹; d. young.
2. Alice May Sinclair⁹; d. young.
3. Susie Belle Sinclair⁹, b. July 15, 1871.
4. Nora Blanche Sinclair⁹, b. Aug. 24, 1873.
5. Mabel Edith Sinclair⁹, b. March 27, 1875.
6. Willie Keith Sinclair⁹, b. Dec. 2, 1877.

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7. Hattie Maria Sinclair², b. March 2, 1880.
8. Mildred Eliza Sinclair², b. Feb. 28, 1882.
1301. David Lowrie Sinclair², b. Dover, Me., July 5, 1845; m. Aug. 27, 1881, Harriet Melten; res. Midland, Mich. Children b. Midland, Mich.:
 1. Alice May Sinclair², b. Aug. 20, 1882.
 2. Annie Maria Sinclair², b. Dec. 8, 1884.
 3. Blanche Ethelyn², b. January, 1888.
1302. Thomas Wilson Sinclair², b. Dover, Me., Oct. 9, 1847; d. there Sept. 9, 1848.
1303. Alvah Willis Sinclair², b. Dover, Me., June 26, 1849; d. there Dec. 22, 1862.
1304. Gleason Orman Sinclair², b. Dover, Me., Oct. 12, 1851; d. there Jan. 5, 1893.
1305. Albion Aurelius Sinclair², b. Dover, Me., Oct. 20, 1850; m. June 1, 1882, Edna M. Hart; res. Midland, Mich. Child b. Midland, Mich.:
 1. Ralph Sinclair², b. May 8, 1883.
1306. Hattie Thompson Sinclair², b. Dover, Me., Feb. 2, 1859; d. there Jan. 14, 1893.
1307. Amy Bartlett Sinclair², b. Dover, Me., April 14, 1862; m. April 10, 1881, Alfred Moore Burd; res. Midland, Mich. Children b. Midland, Mich.:
 1. George Ernest Burd², b. Feb. 11, 1882.
 2. Alfred Harold Burd², b. May 6, 1885.
 3. Grace Alfarata Burd², b. April 2, 1887.

1308. Alvah Sinclair⁷ [510] (Thomas², Thomas², Thomas², Joseph², James², John¹). He was b. April 20, 1810, at Beaver Hill Plantation, Me. (now Freedom, Me.), before its incorporation. His early life in Dover, to which he came when young, was spent in a log hut, and on the farm which he reclaimed from a wilderness he spent his life. His farm lay beside that of his father and that of his brother Ahira. He was a rare man and such a one as blesses a community. He was an exemplary christian, and his deeds of kindness and affectionate words of counsel will live after him. For more than 40 years he was deacon in the Baptist church, and was one of its main supporters, being always at the post of duty. His faithful service as superintendent of the Sabbath school was greatly blest. For many years he was selectman of the town, and was a member of the Farmers' Grange, of which he was grand master. He died of pneumonia March 26, 1888, after a four days' illness of great suffering. He was greatly respected by all, and at his decease he was much lamented. On June 23d following, memorial services were held in his honor, and his grave was decked with the sweetest flowers of all the field. He married Sept. 17, 1834, Hannah Baxter of Vassalborough, Me., who died at South Dover, Me., Oct. 8, 1860. She was daughter of Richard and Rebecca (Priest) Baxter. She ably seconded her husband in all good works and they rest side by side.

CHILDREN BORN SOUTH DOVER, ME.

1309. Cellisa Brown Sinclair², b. March 16, 1839; m. Aug. 25, 1864, George H. Williams of Dover, Me. He was b. in Syracuse, N. Y., 1842. Is engaged in the woolen mill of S. P. Brown & Co.;

res. Dover, Me. Child:

1. Alvah Henry Williams^o, b. March 28, 1860.
1310. Martha Ellen Sinclair^o, b. Sept. 10, 1842; m. Dec. 25, 1867. Charles Speed; res. Bradford, Me. He was b. Sept. 11, 1834. He was an insurance agent. She d. in Dakota, June 11, 1888. Children:
 1. Charles Henry Speed^o, b. South Dover, Me., Nov. 21, 1868.
 2. Mary Hannah Speed^o, b. Atkinson, Me., May 9, 1869.
1311. Holman Dexter Sinclair^o, b. Nov. 11, 1845; m. May 1, 1878, Ida May Curtis, b. Frankfort, Me., Oct. 11, 1861. Employed in a woolen mill; res. Dover, Me. Child:
 1. Harry Alvah Sinclair^o, b. Dover, Me., June 6, 1882.
1312. Della Augusta Sinclair^o, b. Nov. 17, 1847; d. South Dover, Me., Sept. 11, 1848.
1313. Fred Kenting Sinclair^o, b. Dec. 18, 1831; m. Feb. 2, 1878, Alice Isabel Rand. She was b. in Brownville, Me., Jan. 9, 1857. He is employed in a woolen mill; res. Dover, Me.

1314. Gideon Robinson Sinclair^o [511] (Thomas^o, Thomas^o, Thomas^o, Joseph^o, James^o, John^o). He was born in Freedom, Me., Aug. 6, 1812; married Emeline Coburn of Boston, Mass. She died and he married 2d, Oct. 14, 1847, Lucinda Jackson of Boston, Mass. He was a carpenter and farmer, and resided at different places in Maine, New Hampshire, New York, and Virginia. About 1850 he went to California and was in the mining business; returned East in 1856, and removed to Dixon, Lee co., Ill., and remained there until March 6, 1876, when he removed to Carroll county, Iowa, and died at Jasper Top, Dec. 1, 1886. His widow resides with her eldest son. Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair were active members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

CHILDREN.

1315. George Pickering Sinclair^o, b. Boston, Mass. (the Highlands), Nov. 11, 1852; is a farmer, and located in Carroll county, Iowa, in 1876. Has been clerk and assessor in his town, and a member of the M. E. church since his 16th year; res. Gilden, Carroll co., Iowa.
1316. Frank Hamilton Sinclair^o, b. Dec. 13, 1857, in Dixon, Lee co., Ill., where he received a high school education. Is a Methodist; a teacher and farmer; res. Gilden, Iowa. He m. Oct. 25, 1882, Libby Shiner, dau. of Harvey P. and Susan (O'Neal) Seburn. She was b. Dec. 11, 1858. Children:
 1. Earl Morton Sinclair^o, b. Jasper Top, Carroll co., Iowa, May 16, 1884.
 2. Lee Seburn Sinclair^o, b. Jasper Top, Carroll co., Iowa, Sept. 17, 1886.

1317. Thomas Rila Sinclair^o [575] (Thomas^o, Thomas^o, Thomas^o, Joseph^o, James^o, John^o). He was born in Freedom, Me., Oct. 14, 1829. He married Sept. 16, 1856, Mrs. Charlotte (Brann) Doore, a daughter of Simeon and Betsey (Balch) Brann. She was born in China, Me., Feb. 4, 1818. Mr. Sinclair was a teacher in Ellsworth, Me., and died Aug. 29, 1876. She resides in Dover, Me.

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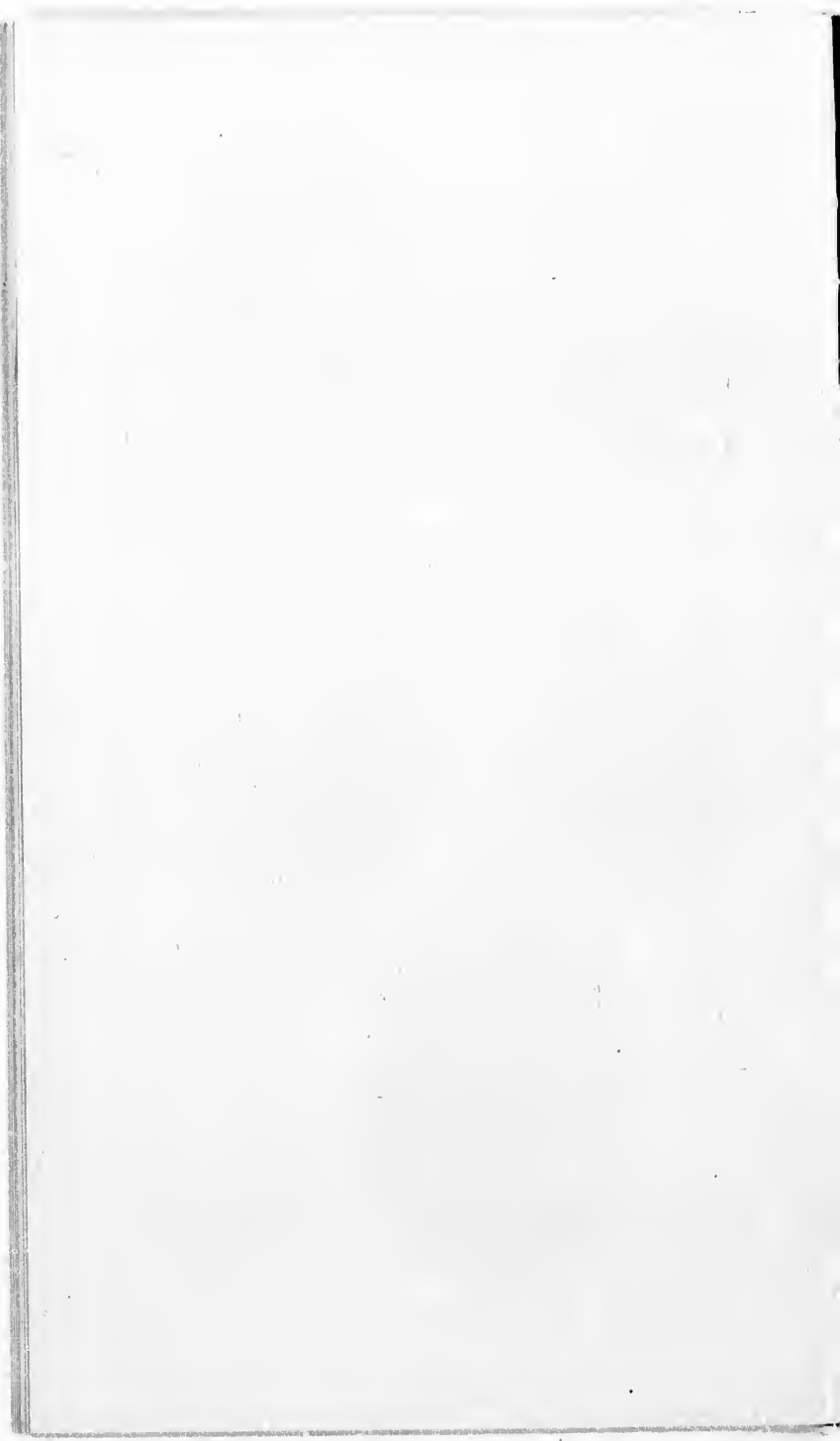
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CHILDREN.

- 1318 Walter Ernest Sinclair^s, b. Oct. 9, 1857; d. Jan. 9, 1892.
 1319 Elmer Eugene Sinclair^s, b. March 9, 1860; is a teacher; res. Pomona, Los Angeles co., Cal.
 1320 John Sinclair^s, b. Dec. 26, 1862; d. April 26, 1893.

1320. Thomas Sinclair^r [528] (William^s, Thomas^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Meredith, N. H., in August, 1808. Removed to Boston, Mass., when 16 years of age, to seek his fortune; was a farmer, and traded in live stock; was successful and became wealthy. He lived in North Beacon street, Brighton, now Boston. Had a valuable farm in that town, and farm property in the West. In personal appearance he was six feet in height, weight 200 lbs., with light complexion, and brown hair. He married Caroline Abbie, daughter of Jedediah and Marietta (Doane) Tracy of Norwich, Conn., where she was born in 1815. His death occurred March 17, 1883. Mrs. Sinclair was above medium size, with dark complexion, and black hair. She died September, 1883.

CHILDREN BORN BRIGHTON, MASS.

1321. William Tracy Sinclair^s, b. September, 1841. Lives in Iowa. Is an extensive farmer and stock raiser. He m. Elizabeth Carter of that state. Children:
 1. Joseph Doane Sinclair^s.
 2. Thomas Albert Sinclair^s.
 3. Louise Caroline Sinclair^s.
 4. Rose Henrietta Sinclair^s.
 1322. Albert Thomas Sinclair^s, b. Dec. 4, 1844. Graduated at Harvard college in 1864. Studied at Harvard law school, and admitted to Suffolk co., Mass., bar in 1866. Lawyer, office 82 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass.; res. 37 North Beacon street, Brighton, Mass.
 1323. Louise Carruth Sinclair^s, b. January, 1849. Educated at High school, Brighton, Mass., and in Boston, Mass. She m. Jeremiah A. Marston of Chicago, Ill., a commission merchant on Summer street, Boston, Mass.; res. 37 North Beacon street, Brighton, Mass. Children:
 1. Mabel Marston^s, b. Chicago, Ill.
 2. Albert Sinclair Marston^s, b. Brooklyn, N. Y.
 3. Carrie Marston^s, b. Boston, Mass.
 4. Son^s, b. Boston, Mass., August, 1887.

1324. Belinda Sinclair^r [529] (Joseph^s, Thomas^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Meredith, N. H., Feb. 18, 1806; married May 22, 1826, John Cotton of Meredith, who was born in Gilford, N. H., Feb. 8, 1806. They removed to Moultonborough, N. H., where he resided in 1888; farmer. She died Oct. 6, 1860, aged 54 yrs. 7 mos. 18 days.

CHILDREN BORN MOULTONBOROUGH, N. H.

1325. Joseph Sinclair Cotton^s, b. Dec. 29, 1826; was an invalid all his life, and d. at his father's home Jan. 2, 1873.

1326. Mary Cotton^a, b. Jan. 11, 1828; d. Nov. 5, 1862. She m. Oliver Ambrose of Sandwich Centre, N. H. Four children.
1327. Isabel Sinclair Cotton^a, b. Sept. 6, 1830; m. Lewis Smith of Sandwich, N. H., who was a soldier in the 14th regiment, New Hampshire Volunteers, and d. in Maryland, Dec. 8, 1862. He was b. in New Hampton, N. H., Dec. 23, 1830. She res. in Moultonborough, P. O. Sandwich Centre, N. H. Children:
1. Evelyn A. Smith^a, b. Feb. 12, 1857; d. Sept. 8, 1858.
 2. Mabel E. Smith^a, b. Feb. 3, 1859; teacher.
 3. Ralf S. Smith^a, b. Aug. 8, 1860; lumber dealer. He m. March 1, 1884, Carrie E. Smith. Child:
 1. Ethel W. Smith^b, b. April 18, 1897.
 4. Lindie C. Smith^a, b. Jan. 14, 1862; music teacher.
1328. John Langdon Cotton^a, b. Oct. 22, 1833; res. in Stoneham, Mass. He m. March 30, 1864, Mrs. Lydia (Etheridge) Cotton of Sandwich, widow of his brother, Noah Franklin Cotton. Child:
1. Norman Cotton^a, b. July 4, 1866; is a farmer.
1329. Eli Noyes Cotton^a, b. June 17, 1834; m. July 3, 1865, Mary Ellen Hunt, who d. Feb. 29, 1888. Children:
1. Vanle J. Cotton^a, b. May 14, 1867.
 2. Maud E. Cotton^a, b. March 21, 1876.
 3. Ethel Gertrude Cotton^a, b. Oct. 20, 1880.
 4. Marion H. Cotton^a, Oct. 20, 1884.
1330. Noah Franklin Cotton^a, b. Aug. 12, 1835. Graduated at Hillsdale college, Michigan. In the late war he served in an Ohio regiment, and d. in a military hospital, Feb. 18, 1862. He m. March 12, 1857, Lydia Etheridge. Child:
1. Frank Cotton^a, b. September, 1861.
1331. George Edward Cotton^a, b. May 28, 1837; d. Feb. 14, 1839.
1332. Olive Livonia Cotton^a, b. Oct. 5, 1840; m. John A. Marston of Sandwich, N. H., b. Sept. 3, 1829; lived in Sandwich, and d. of hemorrhage of the lungs Aug. 12, 1863. No children.

1333. John Langdon Sinclair^a [531] (Joseph^a, Thomas^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). Rev. John L. Sinclair was born in Meredith, N. H., July 10, 1809, near the "Oak Hill church," on a farm owned in 1888 by a son of Dea. Thomas Veasey. His boyhood was spent upon the farm, where he acquired habits of industry and frugality, and developed his strong constitution and stalwart frame. He desired a collegiate course, but was educated in the district school and New Hampton academy, by private instructors and private study. Was a teacher. He joined the church at Meredith, N. H., and commenced his life work as a preacher. His heart was full of love and tenderness, his exhortations were powerful, and his labors were greatly blessed. He was licensed to preach April 18, 1832. In 1833 he supplied a church in Lowell, Mass., one in Dover, N. H., in 1834, and in July, 1836, he helped organize one of fifteen members in Lynn, Mass.; was in Contoocook, N. H., in 1837, and Manchester, N. H., in the fall of 1839, and helped organize a church there in November of that year. Soon after he spent three years of labor in West Buxton, Me. He labored in several New Hampshire towns. Was five years in Sandwich, N. H.; five years at Strafford, Vt., and four years in Belmont, N. H., and again labored four years in Sandwich. This was his last pastorate, and he then removed to Lake Village, where he lived until his death.

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As a financier Mr. Sinclair had few equals. He saved to give, and he loved to give. He aided students preparing for the ministry; gave \$1000 to the Freewill Baptist church at Concord, N. H.; the society at Lake Village \$500; Hillsdale college \$1000; the Sinclair Orphanage in Balasore, Bengal, India, \$1000; to Storer college he gave \$10,000, and educated at his private expense a native youth in India, who took the name of his benefactor, and who now, with his wife, is a teacher at the English Bible school at Midnapoar, Bengal, India. Mr. Sinclair was tall, massive, had dark hair and complexion, and his heavy, shaggy eyebrows overshadowed a kind, benevolent face remarkable for strength, and eyes which often twinkled with mirth. He was always young and never grew old. He died at Lake Village Aug. 16, 1888, aged 79 yrs. 1 mo. 6 days, and is buried in the City cemetery, Concord, N. H.

The maiden name of Mrs. Sinclair was Olive Eastman, daughter of David and Mehitabel (Hilton) Haynes of Deerfield, N. H., born there Aug. 17, 1812; married Mr. Sinclair Aug. 19, 1837. She most faithfully seconded her husband in all benevolent work; in his labor she sustained her part of the burden; bore her part of the sacrifices in their united career. With the weight of 76 years upon her, in feebleness, yet with heart filled with precious memories, she lives at Lake Village, N. H., knowing it will not be long till she joins the loved ones upon a brighter shore.

CHILD.

1334. Joseph Haynes Sinclair⁶, b. Contoocook, N. H., July 20, 1838. Graduated at New Hampton academy July, 1858. Suffered from hemorrhage of the lungs, and d. July 25, 1858.

1335. Noah Sinclair⁷ [532] (Joseph⁶, Thomas⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in Meredith, N. H., on Sunday, Jan. 2, 1814; resided in that town until his death of brain fever Jan. 10, 1843, aged 29 yrs. 8 days. He married May 7, 1837, Hannah Cotton, born Meredith, Sept. 23, 1816. He was an earnest worker in the Free Baptist church, and a faithful and upright citizen. Mrs. Sinclair married 2d, Nov. 26, 1846, Joseph S. Hart of Meredith. She married 3d Daniel Smith of Meredith, who is living. She died Feb. 5, 1882, aged 65 yrs. 2 mos. 10 days.

CHILDREN BORN MEREDITH, N. H.

1336. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair⁸ (1880), b. April 3, 1838; res. Meredith, N. H.
1337. Marinda Jane Sinclair⁸ (1884), b. March 23, 1841; d. May 17, 1877.
1338. Noah Leroy Sinclair⁸, b. Nov. 2, 1842; farmer; res. Meredith, N. H. He m. Nov. 16, 1867, Henrietta Laurence of Tamworth, N. H., b. March 19, 1845. Child b. Meredith, N. H.:
1. Minnie Iva Sinclair⁸, b. Jan. 21, 1873.

1339. Electa Whitney⁷ [543] (Polly St. Clair⁶, James⁶, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born in Lower Canada, Nov. 4,

1807; married Nov. 30, 1828, at Eagle Harbor, N. Y., Lucius Cobb, who was born in Manlius, N. Y., Jan. 5, 1800, and died at Akron, Erie co., N. Y., Sept. 30, 1881.

CHILDREN.

1340. Isaac Cobb⁸, b. May 11, 1830, at Shelby, N. Y.; m. Dec. 28, 1852, at Royalston, N. Y., Eliza A. Utley; mechanic. Children:
1. Albert L. Cobb⁹.
 2. Franklin I. Cobb⁹.
 3. William Cobb⁹.
1341. Hezekiah W. Cobb⁸, b. Eagle Harbor, N. Y., Jan. 19, 1832; physician; res. Perry, Mich. He m. July 8, 1859, Eveline S. Fishel. Child:
1. Leon R. V. Cobb⁹; farmer.
1342. Maria Cobb⁸, b. Eagle Harbor, N. Y., Jan. 4, 1834; m. April 25, 1858, at Akron, N. Y., Abner Billington. He d. at Middleville, Mich., Nov. 6, 1876. Children:
1. Ida M. Billington⁹; telegraph operator.
 2. Reno R. Billington⁹. He graduated at the University at Ann Arbor, Mich., in 1885; admitted to the bar in Foughkeepsie, N. Y., the same year.
1343. Mary Cobb⁸, b. Newstead, N. Y., Aug. 21, 1836; d. Aug. 29, 1836.
1344. Jane E. Cobb⁸, b. Newstead, N. Y., Dec. 19, 1837; m. June 7, 1861, Charles Rogo in her native place. Children:
1. Truman H. Rogo⁹.
 2. Endle C. Rogo⁹.
1345. Margaret A. Cobb⁸, b. Newstead, N. Y., June 28, 1842; m. Aug. 23, 1856, Charles A. Billiard at Corfu, N. Y. Children:
1. Frank H. Billiard⁹.
 2. Millie Billiard⁹.
 3. Alice S. Billiard⁹.
 4. Carrie E. Billiard⁹.
 5. Henry C. Billiard⁹.
1346. Gertrude F. A. Cobb⁸, b. May 16, 1845; d. June 11, 1866.

1347. Levi St. Clair Whitney⁷ [545] (Polly St. Clair⁸, James⁸, Thomas⁸, Joseph⁸, James⁸, John⁸). He was born March 15, 1811, at Morristown, Orleans co., Vt.; married Dec. 14, 1834, to Clarissa Jones at Fairfield, Essex co., N. J., daughter of Lewis Jones.

CHILDREN.

1348. Joseph St. Clair Whitney⁸, b. Jan. 31, 1838, at Orange, Essex co., N. J.; m. Aug. 31, 1860, at New Hartford, Onondaga co., N. Y., Susan Ann Russell, b. New Hartford, N. Y. She was of Scotch descent. Children:
1. Emma Whitney⁹, b. New York City, June 20, 1861; m. Nov. 25, 1885, at Eagle Harbor, N. Y., Lorenzo Calvin Dusling, b. Sept. 18, 1854, at Frumansburgh, Seneca co., N. Y.; engineer. Children:
 - i. Joseph Whitney Dusling¹⁰, b. Eagle Harbor, N. Y., Oct. 5, 1886.
 - ii. Walter Henry Dusling¹⁰, b. Knowlesville, Orleans co., N. Y., April 6, 1888.
 2. Nellie Whitney⁹; d. in New York City, aged 6 mos. 12 days.
 3. Rosalie Whitney⁹, b. New York City, Sept. 23, 1864; is a successful teacher.

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MAY WHITNEY EMERSON.

4. Andrew St. Clair Whitney⁹, b. New York City; d. in infancy.
5. Flora Whitney⁹, b. New York City; d. in infancy.
6. Theodora Whitney⁹, b. and d. at Allentown, Penn., aged 6 mos. 12 days.

7. Albert Whitney⁹, b. and d. at Allentown, Penn.

Mr. Whitney m. 2d, May 10, 1874, in New York City, Georgie E., dau. of George and Mrs. Augusta C. Dean Parlaen. Children:

8. William Willett Whitney⁹, b. June 22, 1877, in New York City.
 9. Howard Eustice Whitney⁹, b. New York City, Aug. 23, 1881; d. aged 4 mos. 23 days.
1349. Charles Jones Whitney⁹, b. Utica, N. Y., Sept. 6, 1842; m. Oct. 12, 1872, Cordella Fanny Lekien, dau. of Douglass Alexander Lekien, b. Westfield, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Jan. 14, 1856. Children:
1. Cordella Jennie Whitney⁹, b. New York City, Jan. 12, 1874.
 2. Charles Douglass Whitney⁹, b. New York City, June 8, 1875, d. March 15, 1876, at Ridgewood, N. Y.
 3. Lillian May Whitney⁹, b. Jan. 5, 1877, New York City.

Mr. Whitney res. 100 East 80th street, New York City.

1350. Henrietta Marie (called May) Whitney⁹, b. Eagle Harbor, Orleans co., Y. N. The subject of this sketch showed unusual mental gifts at an early age. When three years old she could read and write, and in her ninth year wrote her first poem, "The Outcast," published in the *Orleans Republican* of Albion, N. Y. It attracted the attention of the editor, Mr. Calvin G. Beach, a writer of rare merit, who with his wife became greatly interested in the young aspirant, and much of her immediate success was due to the kindness of her friends, who loaned books otherwise inaccessible to her. In her tenth year she wrote "Thistledown, An Autobiography," a novel of marked dramatic power and artistic unity in construction and technique incredibly beyond a child of her age. The publication of the book was delayed by lack of money and she meanwhile began to publish in the popular newspapers and magazines, poems, stories, sermons, essays, and humorous sketches which would have been considered marvels had the age of the author been known. All were signed "Egypt," a nom de plume chosen because of the child's extreme admiration for all things Oriental or Egyptian. The *New York Independent*, *The Chicago Advance*, *The Northern Christian Advocate*, *The Christian Leader*, *The Home Journal*, *The Rural New Yorker*, *The Watervly Magazine*, *The New York Mercury*, *The Ladies' Repository*, of Boston, were all publishing contributions from her versatile pen before her fourteenth year ended. During this period the artistic gift began to furnish evidence, and she was soon ardently drawing and painting, at first with common house paint, as more refined pigments were beyond her reach, and the walls of her old home and birthplace are still adorned with the work of those first years of promise. Landscapes, old castles, flower pieces, portraits, and an imaginative religious work, embodying the sentiment of the hymn "Nearer My God to Thee," are among the productions shown as the work of her hands between the ages of ten and sixteen. To increase her funds and facilities for study, she taught a private school in her own village, in her thirteenth summer, and at the summer's close received a 1st grade certificate from the school commissioner, who did not know her age. The following winter she taught a country school and "boarded round" near the shore of Lake Ontario, wading through snow drifts knee high, sometimes a distance of a mile and a half to her post. So great was her success as a disciplinarian in this school that three neighboring districts

offered their schools to her before the winter term ended. The big fellows whom she had conquered (as only a woman can), never dreaming that their "Little School-ma'am" was only fourteen years old. A summer of teaching followed, after which, fearing that a teacher's life was too arduous for so sensitive and delicate an organization, her friends induced her to remain at home with books, and brush, and pen. At this time through the influence of friends, Miss Willard offered the gifted girl a half free tuition in the college at Evanstown, Ill., but paternal opposition prevented her acceptance. In the same year the Le Roy Female seminary made a most generous offer of entire tuition free to the brilliant young author and artist who was already becoming known to the literary world as possessing rare gifts if not actual genius. Again parental opposition prevented acceptance. Toward the end of this year a gentleman of much culture and an agent of D. Appleton & Co., became interested in her work and offered to educate her, but the offer was refused, as was a similar one made the same year by a well-known physician of much literary ability, who included in his offer a four years' course in art study in Europe. But this proud, ambitious, self-reliant descendant of semi-royal Scandinavian and Norman ancestors, nothing daunted by poverty and obstacles, full of impassioned ardor and faith in the work she wished to do, could not brook the galling sense of obligation which such gifts entail. In her sixteenth year, with the assistance of her pen and brush, she went to Ithaca, N. Y., and became a special student there, with the best instructors and libraries at hand. The same year saw a completion of her second novel, "The Battle of Life," concerning which a well-known Washington divine said: "*It has genius and power enough for twelve healthy human books.*" When not yet eighteen she entered the Academy of Design in New York, where she won every prize then in the hands of the society to give to a woman. With four or five companion students she helped to originate and organize the school known as the Art Students' League of New York, the most advanced art school in America, or perhaps in the world, where women may enjoy absolutely equal opportunities for study with men. She was one of this school's incorporators, and for three years one of its managers. Her health suddenly failing, she was compelled to abandon all mental pursuits and spent a year in the West, resting and regaining health. She then returned to New York to renew her art and literary work, and continued there until October, 1882, when she contracted a marriage with Nathaniel Waldo Emerson, M. D., of Boston, Mass., to which city she removed. 1887 and '88 were spent with her husband and infant son in Germany, where she again took up her literary and artistic work wholly laid aside since marriage. Some of her most valuable work was done during this period, but the limits of this sketch will not permit an extended notice of it. Returning to America in 1889, she found that her matrimonial venture had met with shipwreck, and she was compelled to secure legal freedom from an unfaithful husband. She immediately plunged into historical and genealogical research; organized and brought into working order the "Society of Sancto Claro" numbering many hundred members, of which she is secretary; entered the lecture field with two papers which have proved eminently successful on "Our Norse Discoverers," and "The Origin and History of the Norse Arvel Cup, or Holy Grail." At her instigation the St. Clair clan met in Chicago, July 17, 1893, where they commemorated the discovery of America in 893 by the kinsfolk and ancestors of the family, holding a ten-days' meeting of rare

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interest, with representatives from nearly every state in the Union, and from Canada, Ireland, Norway, Iceland, Denmark, Scotland, and England. Mrs. Emerson's present home is in Washington, D. C., where her time is wholly occupied with authorship. Unlike many literary women she is an adorer of woman, and is never without close intimacies with some of her sex. She is a member of nearly all the leading associations of women, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the Woman's National Press Association of Washington, the Pacific Coast Woman's Press Club of San Francisco, the Arian Art Club of Chicago, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Short Stories Club, and many others. In character she is singularly self-reliant and self-centered, yet eminently self-sacrificing; ambitious to a degree impossible to most women, yet caring little for the personal gain and notoriety usually sought for, the universal good attained by ambitious effort being her first consideration. From this quality arose the fact that she for more than twenty years wrote under no signature, and mainly without remuneration, choosing subjects which were in line with what she deemed the trend of moral progress. To abolish capital punishment; to diminish the frightful and far-reaching cruelty of the human to other animals; to place woman in a position of independence so that she need never sell herself in marriage or out of it; to give women the right to be legal guardians of their own offspring; to stimulate universal love, charity, pity, kindness, tenderness, between all animated existences; these have ever been the flaming torches of her inspiration. She is intensely proud of her ancestry, is impassioned and ardent, yet reserved in manner, except to intimates, quick to resent intended affront, quick to punish offence, unflinching and unforgiving, as a Norman's descendant might well be, yet never revengeful. An adorer of truth, she abhors hypocrisy as the chief sin of the age, and cruelty as its twin and complementary crime. Neither Orthodox nor Transcendentalist, Athelst or Spiritualist, she holds with Shelley that it is still possible to produce a millenium on earth if only one could inaugurate a reign of charity rather than of faith. She is a passionate lover of children and animals, and a firm believer in the reign of absolute law, accepting even misfortune as a part of the infinite and unerring justice of God, which should be met with courage, and endured in silence, with perfect faith in future compensation.

1351. Charles Northrop St. Clair⁷ [547] (James, Jr.⁶, James⁶, Thomas⁶, Joseph⁶, James⁶, John⁶). He was born in Russelltown, Quebec, June 9, 1812. When an infant of five months he was taken from that place by his parents, who soon settled in Barre, N. Y., which was ever after his home. The St. Clair homestead is in that portion of Barre which on the division of that town became and is now Albion. He was educated in that place, and there he grew to stalwart manhood. He aided his father in clearing the lands and with his unerring rifle secured much game which abounded in the surrounding forests. His personal appearance indicated strength and stalwartness possessed by few. Standing five feet and ten inches, broad shouldered and deep chested, with clear blue eyes and light complexion, with brown hair and beard, he often excited the envy of many by his prowess and suppleness in athletic games. At the age of twenty he was a good musician, for he had much musical

talent, and became an excellent performer on several instruments, and was a composer and writer of music. His mechanical skill was exhibited in the manufacture with his own hands, of violins, guitars, and violoncellos of a high order. At twenty he was captain of the Orleans Grays, one of the finest military companies in that section of country. By that title he has ever since been known. At one period of his life he owned and commanded boats on the Erie canal and running from Buffalo to New York City. He chose farming for his business and to that he devoted his life.

He married June 10, 1833, Elmina Baldwin, daughter of Joel and Elizabeth (Wood) Turrell of Pleasant Valley, Dutchess co., N. Y. The young couple built for themselves a home upon a portion of the St. Clair estate, and with bright hopes, true love, and vigorous health they entered upon their new life. At different times he left the farm and engaged in business, sometimes with success, at others with loss. Finally he settled upon the farm, and entered zealously upon the task of beautifying his home for the coming years. The observing stranger who passes along the state road one mile west of Albion, N. Y., will see a six gabled Gothic building whose sharp roof and dormer windows show most attractively above the dark green of the fir trees and the Norway pines in which it is embowered and surrounded. This is the home he built, and which he occupied. It is where his children grew to manhood, and to which they turn with loving eyes, for every tree, bush, flower, and whatever else adds a charm, was planted and tended by their parents or themselves. Within the house in later days one would hardly have recognized in the gray haired old man the once dashing athlete and captain of the Orleans Grays, nor in the smiling matron the early belle of Pleasant Valley, yet they were the same. Their faith changed not and their hearts did not grow old. The home life of Mr. St. Clair and his family was particularly pleasant and inspiring. Being passionately fond of music, he played the clarionette, each of his sons played upon some instrument, and as they played together the influence of home grew stronger. All were fond of books and the habit of reading aloud by turns each evening gave pleasure to all and made home very attractive. All of their sons were baptized in the Episcopal church and their religious training was strict, but softened and endeared by precept and example. Mr. St. Clair and his wife were members and attendants of the Episcopal church. They celebrated their golden wedding in 1883. Mr. St. Clair died in Albion of paralysis Oct. 29, and was buried in Mount Albion cemetery Nov. 1, 1893. She resides at Albion, N. Y.

CHILDREN.

- 1352. Alphonzo Turrell St. Clair^s (1892), b. Gaines, Orleans co., N. Y., Jan. 2, 1835; d. Feb. 22, 1865.
- 1353. Charles Henry St. Clair^s (1894), b. Barre, N. Y., Aug. 8, 1836; res. Morgan City, La.
- 1354. Arthur Knowles St. Clair^s (1896), b. Barre, N. Y., June 27, 1838;

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- physician; d. Clarksburg, Marquette co., Mich., April 20, 1868.
1355. Francis Osmond St. Clair² (1807), b. Barre, N. Y., Dec. 10, 1830; late chief of Consular Bureau, State Dept., Washington, D. C.
1356. Joel Fuller Turrell St. Clair² (1808), b. Barre, N. Y., Sept. 14, 1841; res. Gold Hill, Boulder co., Col.
1357. James Julius St. Clair², b. Barre, N. Y., Sept. 20, 1846; res. at home in Albion, N. Y. His life is devoted to his parents and friends. Is doing his work faithfully and well; single.
- 1357a. Helen Louisa St. Clair; an adopted daughter, b. July 23, 1849; adopted December, 1849. The name of her parents was Wiggins, who d. when she was young. She lives in Savannah, Ga., and m. Moses Charles Weaver. Children:
1. Elmina St. Clair Weaver, b. April, 1875; d. June 22, 1875.
 2. Bessie Louise Weaver, b. Nov. 9, 1877; d. May 27, 1878.
 3. Eugenia Weaver, b. Jan. 26, 1884.

1358. Caleb Northrop St. Clair⁷ [549] (James, Jr.⁶, James⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁴, James³, John³). He was born in Barre (in the portion which is now Albion), N. Y., March 23, 1818. There he received his education and grew to manhood. He was tall, handsome, straight as a southern pine, with blue eyes, light curly hair, and fair complexion. Graceful and easy in his manners, he was an entertaining companion, and fond of society; music was his delight, and often would his father find him seated beneath some shadowing tree deeply absorbed in some book of adventure or travel, and the result was that he failed to heed the strongly expressed desires of his friends to remain near them. Early in life the home fireside was forsaken by him to mingle with the jostling world, and as he said, "to have a little adventure myself." For several years there is no record of his wanderings and adventures, but later he engaged in steamboating on the Mississippi and its tributaries, with headquarters at St. Louis or New Orleans. When the war with Mexico broke out the old warlike spirit of his ancestors was aroused in him and he volunteered from New Orleans and went to Mexico and served under Gen. Zachary Taylor, and other commanders. On April 18, 1847, he was in the successful battle of Cerro Gordo, on Aug. 20, in the battles of Contreras and Cherubusco, on Sept. 8, in the action of El Molinos del Rey, on Sept. 13, he was in the successful battle at Chapultepec, which opened the gates of the Mexican capital to the American forces. He was desperately wounded in the storming of Chapultepec, and for a long time was in the city of Mexico before he fully recovered. During hard campaigns he had shared with the victorious forces their battles, sieges, and fortunes.

While in the city of Mexico, he met, loved, and married a beautiful and wealthy lady of Spanish blood, Marie Lucie Avilla. She died at the close of the first year of their married life. After her death Mr. St. Clair returned to New Orleans and resumed his former business, with an occasional visit to Cuba. On March 25, 1850, he married Anna Maria Morris of New Orleans, daughter of Robert Morris. She died of cholera or yellow fever at Natchez, Miss., Sept. 7, 1853. She was born Dec. 13, 1825. He married April 5,

1861, Mrs. Isabel (Bickerton) Murray, who was born in 1835, at Milnathort, Kinross co., Scotland. Her husband had previously died in New Orleans, of yellow fever. Capt. St. Clair was an active supporter of the Confederate cause during the Rebellion, and died at his post of paralysis, upon the Confederate transport steamer *Frolic*, in the Red river at Alexandria, Jan. 10, 1863. He was first officer and had been employed in carrying Confederate soldiers and supplies from the east to the west of the Mississippi river. He was buried in the cemetery at Pineville, opposite to Alexandria, and a monument has been erected to his memory by his nephew, Hon. C. H. St. Clair. He combined most manly traits with a generosity and goodness of heart seldom found in those who have experienced such rough friction with the world.

During the war, in battle, and at the exchange of prisoners, he and his nephew, Charles H. St. Clair, met, though they were upon opposing sides, and had faced each other when the leaden hail was falling. Though each believed his cause just and each would have died in defense of his cause and convictions if necessary, yet they never wavered in their friendship for each other. The nephew loved and admired the uncle who had named him, who had watched over him in yellow fever, and whose heart and purse were always open to him; while the uncle took pride in the skill and daring of his pilot nephew, which led him to take the U. S. ship *Westfield* to attack the famous rebel ram, *W. H. Webb*, while convoying the *Frolic*, and to put them both to flight. When they met they laughed over the matter, and the uncle said, "Never mind boy, he who fights and runs away, will capture you some other day." Mr. St. Clair had collected much memoranda relating to a history of his family which was lost by his absence from home and sudden death. After that event Mrs. St. Clair married Mr. Robert Hay, who soon died. She is now a widow, and resides in New Orleans, La. No children.

1859. James Julius St. Clair¹ [551] (James, Jr.², James³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John¹). Doctor St. Clair was born in Barre (now Albion), N. Y., Oct. 5, 1821. Was educated at Albion academy, and graduated at the college at Oberlin, Ohio, and practiced his profession at Royalton. In 1851 he became agent of the Cleveland Iron Mining Co., at Marquette, Marquette co., Mich. Hardly had he been in that bracing climate for a year before he had almost entirely recovered from his consumptive tendencies, which had caused his removal from Cleveland, where he had been in business with his uncle, Judge Benjamin Northrop. He resumed the practice of his profession. In 1855-56 he purchased mining property which proved very valuable. Being free in his manners, social by nature, and having a fine education, public positions soon became his. Was supervisor of the county for four years, registrar of the U. S. Land office in 1859, '61, '62, and editor and proprietor of the *Marquette Mining Journal*. He died in Marquette, of pneumonia, May 16, 1862. He married June 17, 1846, Rachel Ann, daughter of Joseph and Eliza-

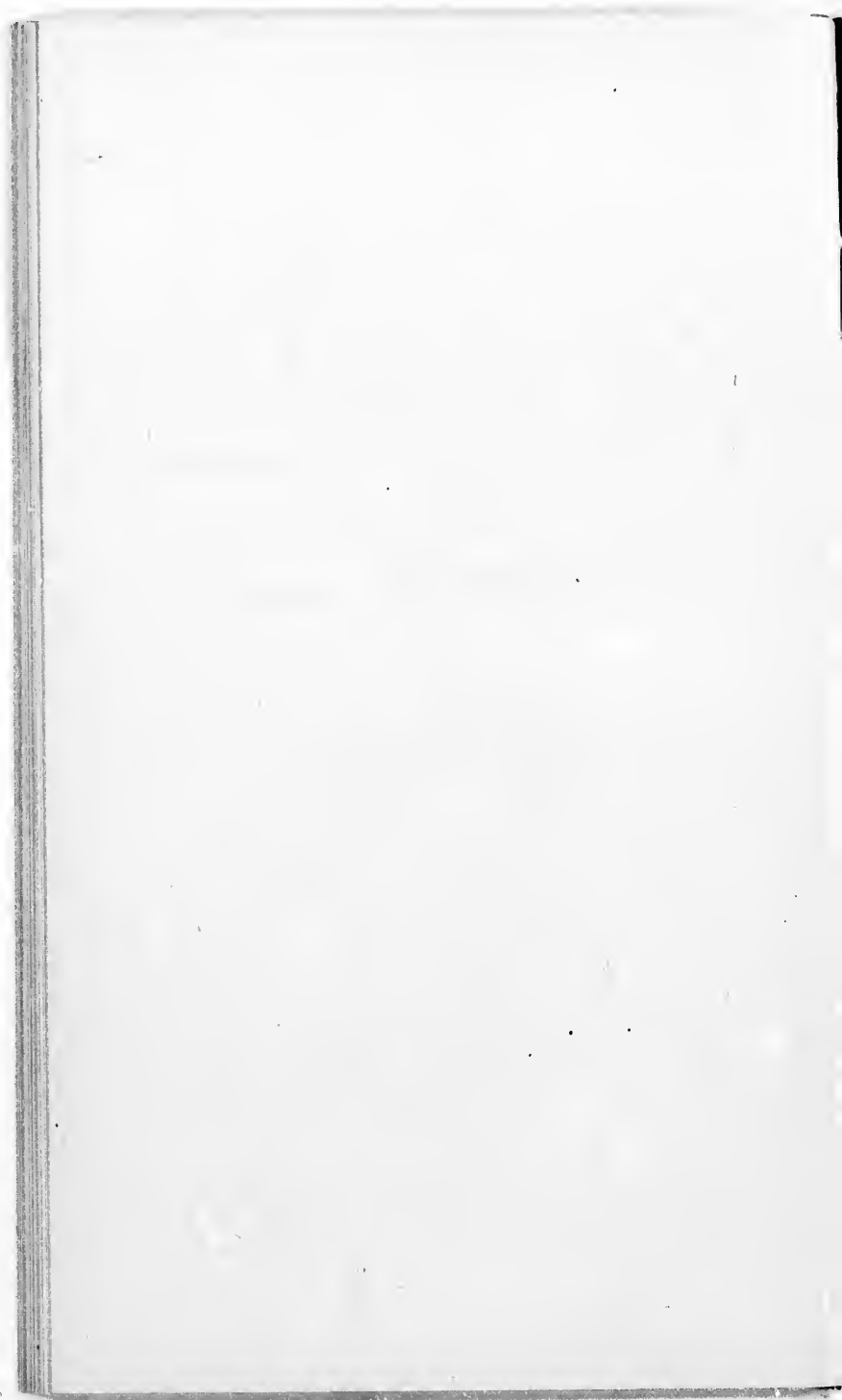
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CHILDREN.

1360. Eugene Griffith St. Clair^s (1903), b. April 5, 1847, in Strongsville, Cuyahoga co., Ohio; res. Ishpeming, Marquette co., Mich.
 1361. George Arthur St. Clair^s (1909), b. Strongsville, Cuyahoga co., Ohio, Sept. 9, 1848; res. Ishpeming, Marquette co., Mich.
 1362. James Oscar St. Clair^s (1910), b. Oct. 19, 1851, in Albion, Ohio; res. Republic, Marquette co., Ohio.
 1363. Julius Northrop St. Clair^s (1918), b. Dec. 23, 1853, in Marquette, Marquette co., Ohio; res. Ishpeming, Marquette co., Mich.

1363a. Angeline Sophia St. Clair^s [552] (James, Jr.^s, James^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). She was born in Barre (in the portion now Albion), N. Y., Dec. 21, 1823. She was educated at the Phipps Union seminary, at Albion, N. Y. She loved her books, and was a successful scholar. When her school days closed she devoted her life to the care of her invalid mother, to her music her books, and doing good whenever an opportunity offered. For fifteen years she was the constant, gentle, loving nurse and comforter of her mother. She was an interesting writer, and her articles appeared in the papers and magazines of that time. One of her books, "Senora Ines, or the American Volunteers," is replete with interest. Since the death of her parents, her home has been with her brother, Capt. Charles Northrop St. Clair, with whom she still lives in Albion, N. Y. His children, and others of the St. Clair family, remember her with deepest affection and gratitude for her loving kindness and tender care. She was an accomplished scholar, and in early life had excellent offers of positions as teacher, one being that of principal of a seminary in Milwaukee, Wis., which were from necessity declined. In personal appearance she is tall, with fair complexion, blue eyes, and brown hair. Through her thoughtfulness, love of kindred, great care, and painstaking much of the valuable information and many of the records of this branch of the St. Clair family have been preserved. To her they, as well as the author of this history, are greatly indebted. She is calmly gliding down life's stream, happy in her home, with her books, and secure in the love of her kindred.

1364. Hannibal Cicero St. Clair^s [594] (Levi Hunt^s, James^s, Thomas^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Essex, Essex co., N. Y., July 18, 1825. Went to East Cleveland, Ohio, with his parents, and in 1832, to Rochester, Ill. Was educated in the common schools: was brought up upon a farm, but became acquainted with mill or factory work. In 1846 he went to Mt. Pulaski, Logan co., Ill., as an apprentice to a merchant. In 1849 he crossed the plains to California with an ox team. While there he was a merchant in Sacramento; was engaged in boating on the Sacramento river, mining, and a contract builder in Nevada city, where he made

and lost a fortune. In 1851 he returned to Illinois via Mexico, Central America, Cuba, and New Orleans. He located in Mt. Pulaski, and became a merchant. He there married Nov. 6, 1851, Eliza Ellen, daughter of James H. and Mary Ann (Casady) Neal of Rochester, Ill. She was born in Bourbon county, Va., in 1830, and died at Rochester, Ill., Sept. 27, 1854, leaving one child. He married in Lancaster, Ohio, Oct. 7, 1858, Catherine Ring. She was born in Lancaster, Sept. 7, 1833, is the granddaughter of Joseph and daughter of George and Susanna (Ludwig) Ring. Her father was born in Essex, Mass., Jan. 2, 1787; died in Lancaster, Ohio, April 6, 1862. Mr. St. Clair rendered valuable services in the cause of the Union during the war. He enlisted in company G, 35th regiment, Illinois infantry, March 1, 1862; was promoted to a 1st lieutenant and detailed as brigade quartermaster; subsequently was appointed "A. A. Division Quartermaster, 3d Division, 4th Army Corps, Army of the Cumberland" and held that position till the close of his term of service. He participated in several battles, at Corinth, May 28 and 29, 1862.

He was highly complimented by his superior officers for his efficiency in building breastworks and fortifications, for his discipline, and commendable care for the health and comfort of his men. While acting as division quartermaster, he was continually in the field transporting supplies, and had many thrilling adventures and narrow escapes from being captured by the enemy, but he never lost a train, often assisted in laying pontoon bridges and crossing his trains under the fire of the enemy's guns. Was at one period in command of Georgetown, Ky. He was skirmishing continually during that memorable march to Atlanta, Ga.; was frequently detailed by General Thomas and by General Sherman to execute hazardous marches for forage and supplies, sometimes into and through the enemy's lines. His train was held as near the front as possible, with rations, ammunition, and sanitary stores, and he was one of the first to enter Atlanta. On the evacuation of that place, he returned to Nashville, in General Thomas' command. During the last battle at Nashville, Tenn., he was on Gen. T. J. Wood's staff, and was one of the first to scale the intrenchments, and during this battle the explosion of a caisson caused him the loss of the use of one ear. He participated in the battle of Franklin, and was soon after discharged. After "the cruel war was o'er" he resided at Mt. Pulaski, Ill., then at Decatur, and in 1871 removed to Belle Plaine, Sumner co., Kansas, and pre-empted 160 acres of land, and fenced it with hedge fences, had valuable orchards, and a fine park. His farm was a model and his time was devoted to raising fine stock, fruit, and vegetables.

His public record has been one of honor, and of which any man might be proud. He was once coroner of Logan co., Ill., and in 1875 was elected to the state senate of Kansas, from the 25th district, comprising 13 counties, by a majority of over 6000. For eleven years he was a member of the State Board of Agriculture, and vice-president of the board in 1880, '82, and '83. For several years was

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b. For several years was

a member of the State Horticultural society, and took a decided
and intelligent interest in the development of all those special indus-
tries and fruits beneficial to agriculturalists. For twelve years was
statistical and crop reporter for the national and state governments;
was appointed by the governor as agent to the Philadelphia and New
Orleans expositions, and twice appointed as a member of the Farm-
ers' congress. Is a republican in politics and as a delegate has
attended the National Republican convention at Chicago, Ill. Has
also been a delegate to the National Encampment of the Grand
Army of the Republic at San Francisco, Cal., St. Louis, Mo., and
Columbus, Ohio. He has aided materially in the development of
public enterprises, not only those of a local nature, but those having
a wider influence for good upon the body politic, and those which are
enduring in their nature. Has been active in Illinois and in Kansas
in the locating and building of railroads, and for years was a direct-
or in some important ones. As an active advocate and helper in the
building of school houses, churches, and the founding of colleges, he
has benefited the public. He has for many years been identified with
the Masonic fraternity, and with the Methodist Episcopal church. Mr.
St. Clair's life has been one of great activity. He is strong and vigor-
ous. Is now in his 70th year and his usefulness is not yet at an end,
and to use his own words, he stands ready "to assist in developing
another state, to wit, Oklahoma." In the summer of 1889 he struck
again for the frontier and located at King Fisher, Oklahoma, where
he now resides.

CHILD.

1365. Mary Ann St. Clair^a, b. Mt. Pulaski, Ill., Nov. 3, 1853; res. Roches-
ter, Ill.

1366. Levi Mortimer St. Clair^a [600] (Levi Hunt^a, James^a,
Thomas^a. Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Rochester,
Sangamon co., Ill., Oct. 17, 1840. He married April 2, 1865,
Elizabeth Louise Kimball, who was born Warren, Vt., Feb. 22, 1843;
resided Rochester, Ill. She was daughter of Henry and Zilpha
Putnam Kimball of Charlestown, N. H., and died at Rochester, Ill.,
July 20, 1869. Mrs. Kimball married 2d Mr. West; resides O'Neil,
Neb. He married 2d, Sept. 2, 1880, Mary Virginia Stettler, born
New York City, March 20, 1857. She was daughter of John and
Anna Elizabeth (Donovan) Stettler of Wellington, Sumner co.,
Kansas, and granddaughter of Henry Stettler of Mt. Joy, Lancaster
co., Penn. Mr. St. Clair resided at Rochester, his native town, until
1871, removed to Belle Plaine, Sumner co., Kan., which has since
been his home; farmer, once a merchant.

CHILDREN.

1367. Marguerite Louise St. Clair^a, b. Rochester, Ill., June 20, 1866. She
is a teacher; res. Stuart, Holt co., Neb.

1368. Levi Kimball St. Clair^a, b. Rochester, Ill., Oct. 4, 1868; m. April 18,

1888, Levina M. Courtney; farmer; res. Norfolk, Madison co., Neb. Children:

1. Joseph Collins St. Clair², b. January, 1889.

2. Zilpha Louise St. Clair², b. January, 1889.

1369. Lyman Joseph St. Clair², b. Belle Plaine, Kan., July 27, 1881.

1370. John Stettler St. Clair², b. Belle Plaine, Kan., Feb. 18, 1883.

1371. Helen Agnes St. Clair², b. Belle Plaine, Kan., July 7, 1884.

1372. Lydia Frances Sinclair⁷ [611] (Noah², Jeremiah², John², Joseph², James², John¹). She was born in Bartlett, N. H., Nov. 8, 1820; married Dec. 22, 1842, Joshua Larkin Wentworth of the city of New York. He was born in Portsmouth, N. H., in 1810; died Feb. 11, 1846, in Port Jarvis, Orange co., N. Y.; merchant. No children. She married 2d Oliver Young of Port Jarvis, who was born in Orange co., N. Y., Oct. 7, 1811. They were married Jan. 19, 1848. He was an attorney at law, and practiced till his death Oct. 3, 1871.

CHILDREN. 5

1373. Frank Sinclair Young², b. Oct. 6, 1863; d. May 5, 1887.

1374. Charles Oliver Young², b. March 1, 1855. Graduated at Princeton college, N. J., in 1878, and at the law school at Albany, N. Y. He is an attorney at law, and resides at Port Jarvis, N. Y. He m. October, 1880, ~~Mattie M. Woodstock~~ of Albany, N. Y. Children:

1. Charles O. Young², b. Sept. 16, 1881.

2. Mollie Young², b. Dec. 16, 1883.

1375. Henry White Sinclair⁷ [612] (Noah², Jeremiah², John², Joseph², James², John¹). He was born in Bartlett, N. H., Nov. 24, 1824; resides in Hingham, Mass., and has lived in that town and vicinity for more than forty years; farmer. He married Cordelia Morse of Hingham, who died leaving four children. He married 2d Charlotte Philips of Hingham.

CHILDREN BORN HINGHAM, MASS.

1376. Amanda Sinclair²; m. Orin Poole; res. Weymouth, Mass. Children:

1. Freeman Russell Poole².

2. Della Poole².

1377. Edward Fisher Sinclair²; farmer; res. in his native town; single.

1378. Franklin Sinclair²; res. Hingham, Mass.; farmer; single.

1379. Della Sinclair²; m. Clarence Nute of Abington, Mass., and has seven children.

1380. Edward Carleton Sinclair⁷ [613] (Noah², Jeremiah², John², Joseph², James², John¹). He was born in Bartlett, N. H., Sept. 10, 1826. When 21 years of age he went to Weymouth, Mass., where he was a farmer and lived for 23 years; then resided two years in Boston, when he returned to his native town and located on a farm. In politics he is a Democrat. Has been collector of taxes for several years. He married Sept. 3, 1858, Frances Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph and Joan (Meserve) Pitman, who was born in Bartlett, Feb. 6, 1826.

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1381. Ella Frances Sinclair⁴, b. Weymouth, Mass., June 14, 1859; m. Sep-
tember, 1880, George E. Gale of Jackson, N. H. He is a farmer,
and res. in Bartlett. Children:

1. Joan P. Gale⁵
2. Lella C. Gale⁵

1382. Evon Ernest Sinclair⁴, b. Bartlett, N. H., Oct. 3, 1865; m. Cora,
dau. of John Harden of Bartlett, N. H. Child:

1. John Andrew Sinclair⁵, b. April 24, 1887.

1383. Powell Austin Sinclair⁷ [619] (Thomas⁴, Jeremiah⁴, John⁴,
Joseph⁴, James⁴, John¹). He was born in Berkshire, Vt., July 29,
1814, where he lived till he approached his majority, when he settled
in Bartlett, N. H., where he has ever since resided; farmer. He
was married by Rev. James McMellen of that town, to Eliza, daugh-
ter of Humphrey and Susan (Harris) Emery of Bartlett. She was
born there Oct. 15, 1816, and they were married Nov. 29, 1837, and
she died in that town Feb. 12, 1873, aged 56 yrs. 4 mos. He mar-
ried 2d, Dec. 25, 1880, Mrs. Sarah W. (Burbank) Chandler, daugh-
ter of Stephen Burbank, who was born in Conway, N. H.

CHILDREN BORN BARTLETT, N. H.

1384. George Harris Sinclair⁴, b. Aug. 6, 1838; res. Bartlett, N. H.; farm-
er. He m. Abigail D., dau. of John B. Deering of Bartlett, N.
H. He m. 2d Addie F. Billings of North Berwick, Me. Chil-
dren b. Bartlett, N. H., except Lilla, b. Great Falls, N. H.:

1. Salma A. Sinclair Deering⁵; is adopted by her grandfather,
John B. Deering, and assumes his name; res. Bartlett,
N. H.
2. Whitten T. Sinclair⁵; carpenter.
3. Charles F. Sinclair⁵; carpenter; res. Jackson, N. H.
4. George Harris Sinclair⁵; d. aged 14 days.
5. Clara Sinclair⁵; d. aged 6 years.
6. Lilla Sinclair⁵; lives in Bartlett, N. H.

1385. Lucina Gaines Sinclair⁴, b. May 22, 1840; m. David Clough of Man-
chester, N. H. They res. in Greenville, Montcalm co., Mich.;
she d. there August, 1875. He still lives in that town. Children:

1. Willie S. Clough⁵.
2. Eddie Clough⁵.

1386. Lucy Ann Sinclair⁴, b. April 9, 1842; m. Jan. 2, 1862, Mark W.
Pierce. She m. 2d George Lane of New Gloucester, Me., and
res. at Carroll, N. H., and d. Nov. 19, 1880. No children.

1387. Jeremiah Powell Sinclair⁴, b. July 10, 1844; farmer and mechanic;
res. in Bartlett, N. H. Is a strong worker in the temperance
cause in his locality. He m. Nov. 9, 1862, Abbie Caroline, dau.
of Albion Sanborn of Baldwin, Me. One child. He m. 2d, Oct.
19, 1870, Harriet D., dau. of Jacob Hill of Bartlett, N. H.,
where she was b. in 1840, and d. June 15, 1873, aged 33 yrs. He
m. 3d Mary Susan, dau. of Uriah Burbank of Bartlett, N. H.,
where she was b. Feb. 2, 1862. Children:

1. Willie Sinclair⁵.
2. Lucina Sinclair⁵.
3. Freddie L. Sinclair⁵.

1388. Eliza Jane Sinclair⁴, b. June 21, 1846; m. Edward J. Downing of
Lowell, Mass., and res. in Peterborough, N. H.; formerly lived
in Greenfield, N. H.; farmer and painter. No children.

1389. Susan Maria Sinclair⁴, b. Nov. 28, 1848; single; d. Conway, N. H.

1390. Gratia Wells Sinclair^a, b. Nov. 19, 1853; m. Nov. 10, 1877. Burleigh B., son of Albert T. Hackett of Sandwich, N. H., w. he was b. Oct. 22, 1852; res. Bartlett, N. H.; carpenter. Children:
1. Harry Adelbert Hackett^a, b. Bartlett, Oct. 23, 1879.
1391. Laomi B. D. Sinclair^a, b. April 12, 1864; farmer; res. Bartlett, N. H. He m. Nov. 1, 1885, Emma A., dau. of Samuel and Mary A. (Cook) Drown of Bartlett, where she was b. July 27, 1867. Children b. Bartlett, N. H.:
1. Archie B. Sinclair^a, b. Aug. 6, 1886.
2. Lizzie A. Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 11, 1887.

1392. George Howe Sinclair^a [620] (Thomas^a, Jeremiah^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Berkshire, Vt., Oct. 19, 1817; removed to Toronto, Canada. In Berkshire, on Sept. 1, 1839, he married Matilda, daughter of John and Ruth Hazeltine, who was born Jan. 20, 1819, and d. in Berkshire July 26, 1879.

CHILDREN.

1393. William Sinclair^a, b. Oct. 10, 1841; m. March 1, 1870, Jane Berdick, who d. Dec. 24, 1887, and res. in South Troy, Vt. He is a tanner. Children:
1. Eda Bell Sinclair^a, b. Nov. 29, 1870.
2. Bernie Sinclair^a, b. March 19, 1877.
3. Harvey D. Sinclair^a, b. Aug. 26, 1881.
1394. Wolford Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 6, 1843; d. Sept., 1846.
1395. John Sinclair^a, b. March 1, 1846; m. July 26, 1866, Mary Jewett; farmer; res. Montgomery, Vt. Children:
1. Loren Sinclair^a, b. May 11, 1867.
2. Charles L. Sinclair^a, b. Feb. 4, 1874.
3. Ida May Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 29, 1877.
4. Addie E. Sinclair^a, b. Oct. 21, 1878.
1396. George Howe Sinclair^a, b. March 26, 1848; m. Aug. 31, 1876, Sarah Ann Lovering; farmer; res. Berkshire, Vt. Children:
1. Carlos A. Sinclair^a, b. Jan. 4, 1880.
2. Ruth J. Sinclair^a, b. Dec. 3, 1883.
3. Annie A. Sinclair^a, b. Dec. 11, 1886.
1397. Edwin Sinclair^a, b. June 18, 1850; m. Nov. 29, 1884, Carrie E. Gross. He is a farmer and res. in Berkshire, Vt. Children:
1. Lee Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 11, 1885.
2. Belvah G. Sinclair^a, b. April 19, 1888.
1398. Leander D. Sinclair^a, b. Feb. 17, 1852; m. Nov. 28, 1884, Jane Ingalls; farmer and res. in Berkshire, Vt. No children.
1399. Ella F. Sinclair^a, b. July 17, 1853; m. Eugene Miller, farmer; res. East Berkshire, Vt. Children:
1. Matilda Miller^a, b. Jan. 28, 1884.
2. Berton Henry Miller^a, b. Dec. 11, 1887.

1400. Rev. Orison Thayer Sinclair^a [622] (Thomas^a, Jeremiah^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Berkshire, Vt., June 7, 1820; was a self-made man. Educated himself, and entered the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church, and preached in Salisbury, N. H., and Hooksett, N. H. Withdrew finally from the conference, and purchased a farm in Bartlett, N. H., upon which he spent the remainder of his life. Was a man of fair abilities. In politics, a Republican. He m. July 8, 1842, Mrs. Fannie F. (Carlton) Goodhall, who was born March 22, 1816, and died March 3,

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879. He died June 11, 1878, aged 58 years. They are buried in the cemetery at Lower Bartlett, N. H., and the following inscription is above them:

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

CHILD (adopted).

1401. Susan A. Sinclair, b. June 23, 1835; d. Jan. 23, 1848.

1402. Curtis Sinclair⁷ [623] (Thomas⁶, Jeremiah⁵, John⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born Berkshire, Vt., July 25, 1831; came to Bartlett, N. H., when young, with his parents. Has resided in the following towns in Maine: Hiram, Brownfield, and Fryeburg, and for the last twenty-two years has lived in Conway, N. H.; carpenter and farmer. Democrat in politics, and member of the Methodist Episcopal church. He married Dec. 3, 1848, Melitable, daughter of Ozam and Hannah (Bean) Davis of Bartlett, N. H., who was born in Albany, N. H., Aug. 29, 1837.

CHILDREN.

1403. George Henry Sinclair⁸, b. Conway Centre, N. H., May 24, 1851; farmer; lived in Conway and Stowe, Me. He died of pneumonia in Fryeburg, Me., Dec. 11, 1884. He m. Susie, daughter of Leighton and Sarah (Gray) Johnson of Stowe, Me., Sept. 5, 1874, who was b. there Oct. 28, 1847. In 1888 resided in Dover, N. H., and was a member of the Advent church. Children b. Stowe, Me.:

1. Colon Curtis Sinclair⁹, b. Oct. 20, 1875.

2. Mylo Martin Sinclair⁹, b. July 13, 1879.

1404. Mary Abbie Sinclair⁸, b. July 18, 1857; m. Jan., 1879, Otis B. Merrill; manufacturer of lumber; Democrat. She is a member of the Methodist Episcopal church; res. Conway, N. H. Children b. Conway, N. H.

1. Mary Merrill⁹, b. May 8, 1880.

2. Bessie Merrill⁹, b. May 1, 1884.

3. Earl Merrill⁹, b. Aug. 28, 1885.

1405. Nellie Howell Sinclair⁸, b. Bartlett, N. H., Dec. 7, 1859; m. Sept., 1887, Franklin P. Davis of North Conway, N. H. Farmer and lumberman; res. North Conway. 1 child:

1. Curtis Davis⁹, b. Conway, N. H., April 8, 1889.

1406. Fannie Nettle Sinclair⁸, b. Conway, N. H., Feb. 27, 1862; lives there.

1407. Emma Clara Sinclair⁸, b. Conway, N. H., Feb. 7, 1864; at home.

1408. Orion Willmont Sinclair⁸, b. Conway, N. H., March 18, 1866; at home.

1409. Orison Thayer Sinclair⁸, b. Conway, N. H., March 20, 1870; at home.

1410. Lucetta Sinclair⁷ [624] (Thomas⁶, Jeremiah⁵, John⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born May 27, 1832, in Berkshire, Vt.; m. Dec. 11, 1851, John Hoyt of Jackson, N. H.; farmer. He d. April 3, 1853; one child. She m. 2d, Jan. 6, 1856, Timothy Perkins, who was born Aug. 2, 1815; farmer, and resides in Bartlett, N. H.

CHILDREN BY FIRST MARRIAGE.

1411. Mary Susan Hoyt⁸, b. July 20, 1852; m. Joel Perkins of Jackson, N. H. She d. Dec. 31, 1872. Children:

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1. Melvina C. Perkins^a, b. March 18, 1860; d. Dec. 11, 1886.
2. Mary Ella Perkins^a, b. Jan. 6, 1870; lives in Bartlett, N. H.
3. John H. Perkins^a, b. March 18, 1872.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

- 1412 Daniel Woodbury Perkins^a, b. Feb. 9, 1861; blacksmith; lived at Centre Bartlett; m. Cermenla Whitney, and d. Dec., 1886; 4 children.
1413. Annette Perkins^a, b. April 18, 1862; m. Charles Eastman; lives in Bartlett; 2 children.
1414. Isette Perkins^a, b. April 18, 1862; m. Harrison Dearborn of Jackson, N. H. 2 children.
1415. Edna Perkins^a, b. Aug. 11, 1863; m. May 20, 1888, Enoch Abbott of Bartlett, N. H.

1416. Sarah E. Sinclair^r [626] (Thomas^a, Jeremiah^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). She was born in Berkshire, Vt., May 17, 1835; married Warren Chandler, son of Spencer and Nancy (Gannett) Wentworth of Jackson, N. H., Oct. 8, 1854. He was born Oct. 8, 1833. Mrs. Wentworth died 1877, and he married the 2d time.

CHILDREN.

1417. Luella E. Wentworth^a, b. July 8, 1855; m. March 6, 1873, Albert C. Elkins of Jackson, N. H.; farmer.
1418. Charles E. Wentworth^a, b. Oct. 19, 1858; m. Aug. 30, 1879, Lydia M. Fernald of Jackson, N. H.
1419. Emma M. Wentworth^a, b. Feb. 13, 1861; m. April 30, 1882, Charles B. Thomas of Denmark, Me.; farmer.
1420. Marcia A. Wentworth^a, b. Dec. 19, 1863; m. Jan. 23, 1883, George E. Dresser of Standish, Me.
1421. Etta M. Wentworth^a, b. Jan. 25, 1867.
1422. Ida Adelle Wentworth^a, b. Feb. 24, 1869; m. Oct. 23, 1886, Byron W. Fernald of Jackson, N. H.
1423. { Willie O. Wentworth^a, b. Sept. 19, 1871; d. Aug. 13, 1872.
1424. { Walter I. Wentworth^a, b. Sept. 19, 1871; d. Aug. 13, 1872.
1425. { Warren C. Wentworth^a, b. Sept. 19, 1871; d. Sept. 19, 1871.
1426. Sarah E. Wentworth^a, b. July 29, 1875; d. of scarlet fever, Nov. 14, 1878.

1427. John Elbridge Sinclair^r [629] (John^a, Jeremiah^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He is a farmer, and resides in North Grafton, Mass. The name of his wife before marriage was Fannie Janet Plimpton of Wadsworth, Vt. They were married May 1, 1858. He was born Feb. 2, 1824.

CHILDREN.

1428. Elbridge Herbert Sinclair^a, b. Oct. 9, 1859; m. Nov. 26, 1885, Eva Lillian Pratt of Grafton, Mass., where they res. He is a farmer. 1 child:
 1. Elbridge Norman Sinclair^a, b. Aug. 3, 1891.
1429. Jennie Maria Sinclair^a, b. Nov. 14, 1862; d. March 16, 1864.
1430. Nellie Janet Sinclair^a, b. May 8, 1866; res. North Grafton, Mass.

1431. Franklin J. Sinclair^r [630] (John^a, Jeremiah^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). The date of his birth was April 28, 1825,

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MARY E. (CROWELL) SINCLAIR.

and his occupation is that of a carpenter and farmer, and his home is in Johnson, Vt. In politics a Republican. He married Dec. 22, 1846, Adelia E. Knowles of Essex, Vt., who was born Nov. 19, 1826.

CHILDREN.

1432. Abbie E. Sinclair⁴, b. Feb. 18, 1850; m. May 1, 1871, George Smith of Johnson, Vt. She is a member of the Baptist church. Children:
 1. Florence Smith⁵, b. February, 1878.
 2. Ned Smith⁵, b. November, 1881.
1433. Florence A. Sinclair⁴, b. April 11, 1852; m. October, 1872, Hollis A. Mudgett; res. Johnson, Vt., where they are members of the First Baptist church. He is a farmer, and a Republican in politics. Children:
 1. Julius Mudgett⁵, b. 1882.
 2. Lottie Valentine Mudgett⁵, b. Feb. 14, 1883.
1434. Julius F. Sinclair⁴, b. May 15, 1855; m. 2d, January, 1886, Carrie E. Scribner of Johnson, Vt.; farmer; Democrat in politics. Child:
 1. Clarence Scribner⁵.
1435. John Harmon Sinclair⁴ (1924), b. Nov. 11, 1856; res. Johnson, Vt.
1436. Minnie L. Sinclair⁴, b. April 25, 1858; m. November, 1885, Leroy G. Scribner of Johnson, Vt. She is a member of the Baptist church, and they res. in that town.
1437. Jessie P. Sinclair⁴, b. March 24, 1862; res. Johnson, Vt.

1438. Jeremiah Sinclair⁴ [646] (Leander Dudley⁴, Jeremiah⁴, John⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). He was born in Conway, N. H., April 13, 1834. He was connected with the railway mail service for nearly a score of years, and the latter part of his life was mail agent, running from Boston, Mass., to Bangor, Me. He was murdered in the mail car in June, 1888. He married Susie E. Gilman of Wakefield, N. H., who died in her native town, and is buried in Ossipee.

CHILDREN BORN OSSIPEE, N. H.

1439. Harry H. Sinclair⁴, b. August, 1869; home in Ossipee.
1440. Emily Wingate Sinclair⁴, b. November, 1870.

1441. Orville Sinclair⁴ [659] (Michael⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, Joseph⁴, James⁴, John⁴). He was born in Essex, Vt., Feb. 13, 1816; resides in Burlington, Vt.; was a carpenter, and lumber manufacturer, owning and operating a mill upon the Onion river. Late in life he was a farmer in Colchester, Vt. Was an attendant of the Methodist church; a Democrat in politics, and was an alderman for several years, while living in Burlington, Vt. Was of medium height, with light brown hair, and light complexion. He died April 14, 1878, and is buried in Burlington, Vt. He married Feb. 10, 1852, Amantha Augusta, daughter of Oscar and Martha (Hawkins) Brown of Burlington, Vt., born at Springfield, Vt., Oct. 7, 1832. She is active, intelligent, and efficient; resides Burlington, Vt.



JULIUS F. SINCLAIR



CARRIE E. (SCRIBNER) SINCLAIR



MARY E. (CROWELL) SINCLAIR

CHILDREN BORN BURLINGTON, VT.

1442. Orville Gates Sinclair^s, b. Nov. 1, 1852; d. February, 1861.
 1443. Henry Timans Sinclair^s, b. Aug. 27, 1854. Is a ranch owner and cattle raiser in Wagon Mound, New Mexico, and is successful. He m. March 3, 1886, Eva Eastman of Eastman, Ontario. No children.
 1444. Horatio Hawkins Sinclair^s, b. July 25, 1856; d. Sept. 25, 1857.
 1445. Susie Augusta Sinclair^s, b. Feb. 5, 1858; d. Feb. 5, 1858.
 1446. Michael Sinclair^s, b. Jan. 14, 1859; d. July 28, 1859.
 1447. Frank Oscar Sinclair^s, b. Sept. 7, 1860. Graduated at the University of Vermont, in Burlington, in 1882. Is a civil engineer on railroads. He m. Aug. 15, 1882, Kate Anna, dau. of Rev. Joseph and Catherine (Weir) Enright, of Weston, Vt. She was b. Holland, Vt., April 7, 1862; res. Ducktown, Tenn. Children:
 1. Orville Enright Sinclair^s, b. Leavenworth, Kansas, June 15, 1883; d. Aug. 26, 1883.
 2. Jessie Hawkins Sinclair^s, b. Burlington, Vt., July 10, 1887.
 1448. Fred Brown Sinclair^s, b. July 10, 1862; d. Aug. 10, 1863.
 1449. Samuel Thayer Sinclair^s, b. March 28, 1865. Graduated at the business college at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in 1884. Is a civil engineer; res. Marietta, Ga.
 1450. George Swift Sinclair^s, b. Oct. 22, 1871; res. Burlington, Vt.

1451. Heman Barney Sinclair^r [666] (Samuel Connor^s, Samuel^s, John^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Essex, Vt., Aug. 22, 1816. He moved to Lyndonville, N. Y., in 1833, and was married to Tabitha Mudgett of that place Sept. 19, 1844. She was born there May 28, 1824. He was a mechanic. His powers as an inventor were of a high order, and he was the inventor of several machines of great utility. The last one was a laundry machine of much merit, and extensively used. He was a Democrat in politics, as were his sons. He died in Chicago, Ill., Nov. 8, 1888. She resided at 342 East Ohio street, Chicago, Ill., and died April, 1889.

CHILDREN.

1452. Scott H. Sinclair^s, b. May, 1847. He d. December, 1890.
 1453. Charles M. Sinclair^s, b. Nov. 3, 1855. He d. at Chicago, Ill.

1454. Henry Malcom Sinclair^r [667] (Samuel Connor^s, Samuel^s, John^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born in Essex, Vt., July 3, 1819; married April 2, 1843, Hannah Maria, daughter of Allen and Hannah (Perkins) Denning of Pownell, Vt., and granddaughter of Josiah Denning of that place. She was born at Ticonderoga, N. Y., April 13, 1812. He resided for some years at Lyndonville, Orleans co., N. Y.; merchant in 1889; res. Cleveland, Ohio.

CHILDREN.

1455. Cornelia Sinclair^s, b. Lyndonville, N. Y., Feb. 22, 1847; m. March 20, 1867, Henry Moore. He was a miller, and res. at Bellevue, Ohio, where he d. July 1, 1872.
 1456. Jessie H. Sinclair^s, b. Murray, Orleans co., N. Y., Oct. 5, 1850; m. July 12, 1868, Alfred Williams. She d. Aug. 12, 1873; res. Bellevue, Ohio.

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TABITHA (MUGGETT) SINCLAIR



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HELEN MALONE (SINCLAIR)
HUTCHINSON.



ELIZA GOODWIN (SINCLAIR)
SAWYER.

1457. Eliza Goodwin Sinclair' [668] (Samuel Connor^a, Samuel^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). She was born Essex, Vt., Oct. 22, 1822; resided in Lyndonville, Orleans co., N. Y., to which place her parents removed in 1835. She married Oct. 6, 1844, Warren Elisha Sawyer. He is a farmer, and a Democrat in politics. He was born Dec. 22, 1819.

CHILDREN BORN LYNDONVILLE, N. Y.

1458. Merritt Elisha Sawyer^a, b. July 13, 1845; m. Aug. 2, 1870, Hannah J. Logan; res. Nyack, N. Y.; lawyer, and Democrat. Children:
 1. Warren L. Sawyer^a, b. Sept. 12, 1871.
 2. Anna L. Sawyer^a, b. Dec. 25, 1873.
 3. Elsie Sinclair Sawyer^a, b. Oct. 26, 1878; d. Feb. 6, 1879.
 1459. Wilbur Connor Sawyer^a, b. Sept. 23, 1847; carpenter, and Democrat; res. Lyndonville, N. Y.; single. Was a private in Battery K, 1st New York light artillery.
 1460. Will Warren Sawyer^a, b. May 19, 1859; m. Oct. 24, 1888, Levina Burroughs; druggist, and Democrat; res. Rockford, Ill.

1461. Samuel Connor Sinclair' [669] (Samuel Connor^a, Samuel^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Essex, Vt., Sept. 19, 1825. Was a mechanic, and landlord; resided in Lyndonville, N. Y., where he died Sept. 23, 1872. His wife was Anna Manahan, born Aug. 5, 1834. They were married Nov. 15, 1851. Mrs. Sinclair married 2d Albert Ayer, and resides in Lyndonville, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN LYNDONVILLE, N. Y.

1462. Eliza Sinclair^a, b. Aug. 1, 1853; d. March 14, 1856.
 1463. Clara Sinclair^a, b. March 16, 1857; d. Dec. 6, 1863.
 1464. Wilbur Connor Sinclair^a, b. Jan. 8, 1866; d. April 4, 1871.

1465. Helen Malone Sinclair' [670] (Samuel Connor^a, Samuel^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). She was born in Essex, Vt., June 28, 1827; married Dec. 27, 1848, William Hutchinson, and resided in Lyndonville, N. Y., where she died Jan. 5, 1874. He was a merchant, and in politics a Republican. Was born May 24, 1826, and died May 3, 1888.

CHILDREN.

1466. Infant son^a, b. and d. Nov. 5, 1849.
 1467. Henry W. Hutchinson^a, b. Sept. 26, 1852; d. Sept. 17, 1854.
 1468. Merritt L. Hutchinson^a, b. Nov. 15, 1855. For several years was postal clerk in the railway mail service. Is a Republican in politics; m. Nov. 26, 1876, Lizzie E. Daniels, at Lyndonville, N. Y. He res. at Medina, Orleans co., N. Y. Child:
 1. Roy Hutchinson^a.
 1469. John R. B. Hutchinson^a, b. Dec. 3, 1859; express agent; res. Medina, Orleans co., N. Y.

1470. Lucius Augustus Sinclair' [671] (Samuel Connor, Jr.^a, Samuel Connor^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Essex, Vt., Nov. 7, 1829; m. Frances Van Brocklin of Lyndonville,



SCOTT H. SINCLAIR.

ELIZA GOODWIN (SINCLAIR)
SAWYER.

N. Y. She died and he married 2d, Nov. 16, 1859, Clara M. Heath, daughter of Zebediah and granddaughter of S. mon Heath of Burlington, Vt., who resided in Yates, Orleans co., N. Y. She was born Barre, Orleans co., N. Y., Nov. 2, 1835. Mr. Sinclair left Essex, Vt., when three years of age; lived in Lyndonville, N. Y., for thirty years, when he removed to Bellevue, Ohio, where, after a residence of twenty-four years, he died Jan. 18, 1886. He successfully prosecuted the business of miller and wheelwright. His wife lived there in 1889.

CHILDREN.

1471. Henry L. Sinclair^s, b. Lyndonville, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1860; d. Bellevue, Ohio, March 11, 1862.
 1472. Alice D. Sinclair^s, b. Bellevue, Ohio, April 8, 1863; m. May 20, 1884, Charles McKeloe^y. He is a telegraph operator. They res. Paxton, Ill. Children:
 1. Kina McKeloe^y, b. Paxton, Ill., Feb. 23, 1885.
 2. Lucius Sinclair McKeloe^y, b. Echo, Oregon, Nov. 15, 1886.
 3. Clara McKeloe^y, b. Cornwallis, Oregon, April 23, 1888.
 1473. Ernest H. Sinclair^s, b. Bellevue, Ohio, July 31, 1864; railway clerk; res. Bellevue, Ohio.
 1474. Warren B. Sinclair^s, b. Bellevue, Ohio, Jan. 20, 1868; engineer; res. Bellevue, Ohio.
 1475. Katie B. Sinclair^s, b. Bellevue, Ohio, Jan. 26, 1870; d. there March 11, 1870.
 1476. Mary C. Sinclair^s, b. Bellevue, Ohio, July 23, 1875; res. Bellevue, Ohio.

1477. Sidney Franklin Sinclair^r [672] (Samuel Connor^s, Samuel^s, John^s, Joseph^s, James^s, John^s). He was born Essex, Vt., June 28, 1831; lived at Lyndonville, N. Y., with his parents; subsequently located at Bellevue, Ohio. He was a lieutenant in the Union army and served during the war. His death occurred at Murfreesborough, Tenn., April 2, 1865. He married at Bellevue, Ohio, April 6, 1854, Maria Catherine Grover, born at Bellevue, Sandusky co., Ohio. She resides in Bellevue, Ohio.

CHILDREN BORN BELLEVUE, OHIO.

1478. Frances Mary Sinclair^s, b. Jan. 16, 1855; m. April 21, 1874, James Herbert Klein. He was b. at Springfield, Ill., June 15, 1852. Children:
 1. Hermon John Klein^s, b. Bellevue, Ohio, April 13, 1875.
 2. Lou Sidney Klein^s, b. Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 27, 1876.
 3. Bessie Flora Klein^s, b. Sandusky, Ohio, Dec. 8, 1881.
 1479. Charles Sinclair^s, b. Aug. 25, 1856; d. Jan. 8, 1857.
 1480. Helen Sinclair^s, b. Feb. 22, 1858; d. June 15, 1858.
 1481. Ervin Sinclair^s, b. Feb. 16, 1859; d. June 27, 1859.
 1482. Henry Sinclair^s, b. Dec. 28, 1859; d. Feb. 25, 1860.
 1483. Eva Bell Sinclair^s, b. Dec. 23, 1861; m. at Monroeville, Huron co., Ohio, 1880, to Orrin William Crooks, b. Tiffin, Ohio, Jan 1, 1858. Child:
 1. Edna Bell Crooks^s, b. Fremont, Ohio, March 26, 1881; d. May 4, 1881.
 1484. Agnes Agonatha Sinclair^s, b. Bellevue, Ohio, June 9, 1863.

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1485. Maud Florence Sinclair^a, b. Nov. 15, 1864; m. at Green Springs,
 Ohio, Nov. 15, 1881, Fred Sultzbaugh, b. Fremont, Ohio, Feb.
 25, 1862. Children b. Fremont, Ohio:
 1. Helen Lydia Sultzbaugh^a, b. July 27, 1884.
 2. Sydney Isaac Sultzbaugh^a, b. Dec. 24, 1888.

1486. Mary Samantha Sinclair^a [673] (Samuel Connor^a, Samuel^a,
 John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). Her birthplace was Essex, Vt.,
 and her date of birth was Jan. 16, 1835. She married Jan. 15,
 1873, William Gray, and resides in Lyndonville, N. Y. He is an
 extensive lumber dealer, and a manufacturer and dealer in agricul-
 tural implements.

CHILDREN.

1487. Clara Allen Gray^a, b. Jan. 22, 1880.

1488. John Charlton Gray^a, b. Aug. 10, 1881.

1489. John Mooney St. Clair^a [711] (Benjamin^a, Jacob^a, James^a,
 Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in New Hampton, N. H.,
 Feb. 20, 1806. On Nov. 20, 1826, he removed to Cambridgeport,
 Mass., where he carried on a large and lucrative business. Was the
 owner of a considerable amount of real estate. On Jan. 1, 1832,
 he was married to Eliza Newton, born Dorchester, Mass., June 1,
 1812, and died April 3, 1883. He died May 30, 1884.

CHILDREN.

1490. { Charles Francis St. Clair^a, b. Nov. 23, 1835; d. Nov. 20, 1839.

1491. { Nancy Elizabeth St. Clair^a, b. Nov. 23, 1835; m. Jan. 4, 1855, Jo-
 seph Whittemore, a son of Rev. Thomas Whittemore, a noted
 Universalist clergyman. He is a business man in Cambridge-
 port, Mass., with children.

1492. Elizabeth Martin St. Clair^a [712] (Benjamin^a, Jacob^a,
 James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). New Hampton, N. H., was the
 place of her birth, and its date was May 11, 1811; the date of her
 death was June 26, 1866, and her age was 55 yrs. 1 mo. 15 days.
 On Feb. 25, 1844, she married Thomas Jefferson Hilton of New-
 market, N. H., and she left the parental home on the 29th of the
 same month. They resided in Lynn, Mass., and Mr. Hilton was in
 the express business between his own city and Boston. He died
 in April, 1885.

CHILDREN.

1493. Arthur St. Clair Hilton^a, b. March 8, 1845; res. in Boston, Mass.,
 and is in the mercantile business.

1494. Elizabeth Ann Hilton^a, b. June 12, 1848; d. young.

1495. Benjamin Franklin St. Clair^a [713] (Benjamin^a, Jacob^a,
 James^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). The date of his birth was Aug.
 14, 1813, in New Hampton, N. H. He left his parental home Feb.

22, 1831, and located in Deerfield, N. H., and was employed in a store some four years, and in September, 1835, removed to Bangor, Me., and engaged in a prosperous mercantile business. On Feb. 5, 1839, he was married to Nancy, daughter of Joseph and Sarah (Batchelder) True of Deerfield, where she was born Dec. 21, 1809. His death occurred in Bangor, June 11, 1856, aged 42 yrs. 9 mos. 27 days. She resides in Bangor with her son.

CHILDREN BORN BANGOR, ME.

1496. Joseph Franklin St. Clair^d, b. Oct. 31, 1840. Is in business, and res. in his native city. He m. Emma L. Hallowell July 21, 1867. He m. 2d Mary A., dau. of Watson D. Bean of Passadumkeag, Me. She was b. Feb. 11, 1851.
 1497. Elizabeth Ann St. Clair^d, b. July 15, 1844; d. Sept. 4, 1849.
 1498. Mary Caroline St. Clair^d, b. Dec. 2, 1847; d. Aug. 3, 1850.

1499. Charles Pinckney St. Clair⁷ [714] (Benjamin^d, Jacob^d, James^d, Joseph^d, James^d, John¹). He was born in New Hampton, N. H., Nov. 8, 1823, and lived on the original St. Clair homestead in his native town. This he greatly enlarged and had some 500 acres of land. In politics he was a Republican. He was quiet but firm in the expression of his convictions. He was six feet in height, with brown hair and sandy complexion, and weighed 160 pounds. He married Julia Ann, daughter of Samuel and Ruth Huckins (Harper) Woodman of New Hampton. She was born April 22, 1836. She has dark hair, is medium in height, is energetic in business, and positive in her traits of character. He died Jan. 25, 1890.

CHILDREN BORN NEW HAMPTON, N. H.

1500. Benjamin Franklin St. Clair^d, b. Oct. 20, 1855; m. Nov. 24, 1877, Kate E. Elliot of Campton, N. H. Is a merchant, and res. in Plymouth, N. H. Children b. Plymouth, N. H.:
 1. Annie Eliza St. Clair^d, b. May 25, 1879.
 2. Earle Jason St. Clair^d, b. Feb. 24, 1884.
 1501. Lizzie Lincoln St. Clair^d, b. Aug. 30, 1859; m. Jan. 1, 1879, Lester Plaisted of Centre Harbor, N. H., and res. there. He is a farmer. No children.
 1502. Nancy Julia St. Clair^d, b. Oct. 10, 1861; m. Nov. 6, 1878, Victor R. Bixby of Meredith, N. H. She is divorced and has assumed her maiden name.
 1503. Infant son^d, b. Aug. 23, 1863; d. Sept. 16, 1863.
 1504. Sarah Addie St. Clair^d, b. Feb. 15, 1865; m. Sept. 16, 1887, Benjamin F. Robertson of Meredith Village, N. H.
 1505. Charles Grant St. Clair^d, b. Nov. 24, 1866; res. Meredith, N. H.
 1506. Ira Martin St. Clair^d, b. April 25, 1871.
 1507. Infant daughter^d, b. Aug. 9, 1872; d. Oct. 12, 1872.
 1508. John Everett St. Clair^d, b. June 2, 1874.

1509. Mary Eliza Sinclair⁷ [740] (Samuel L.^d, Benjamin Folsom^d, Capt. James^d, Ebenezer^d, James^d, John¹). She was born at Portland, Me., Aug. 26, 1814; married April 18, 1839, Shirley Libbey of Limington, Me., a farmer, who died Jan. 28, 1881. She died Oct. 17, 1869.

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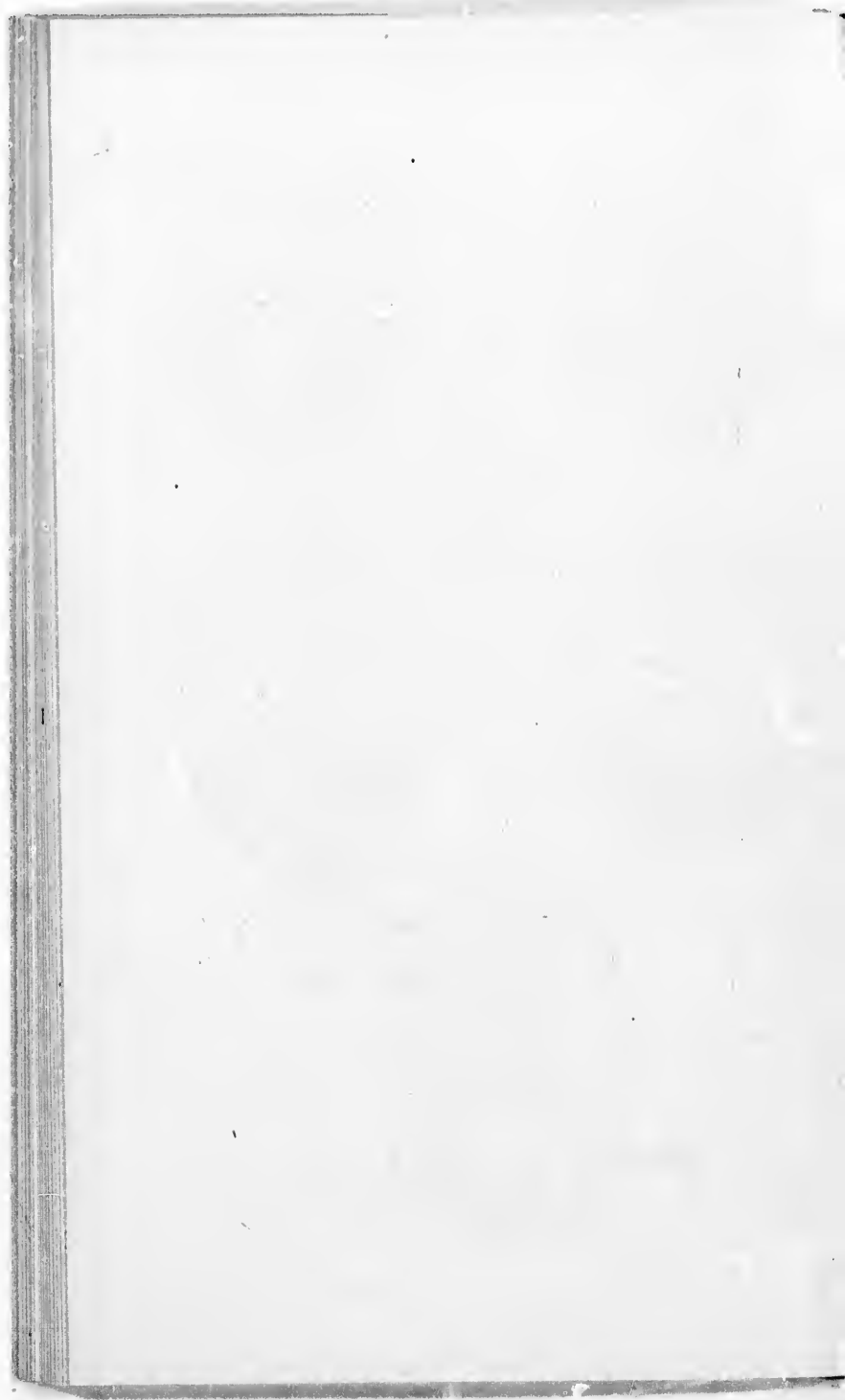
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CHILDREN.

1510. Lucy E. Libbey^a, b. Jan. 19, 1840; m: May 18, 1865, James F. Small, and d. in Limington, Me., Nov. 22, 1860. He res. in Scarborough, Me. Children:
1. Hattie M. Small^a, b. April, 1866.
 2. James Small^a, b. Aug. 2, 1867.
1511. Mary S. Libbey^a, b. Dec. 25, 1841; m. Aug. 1, 1860, Silas Hubbard; res. Limington, Me. Children:
1. Hannah M. Hubbard^a, b. Jan. 1, 1871.
 2. Lewis A. Hubbard^a, b. June 18, 1872.
 3. John A. Hubbard^a, b. March 14, 1874; d. Sept. 24, 1875.
 4. Emily J. Hubbard^a, b. July 24, 1875.
 5. Lucy S. Hubbard^a, b. Aug. 8, 1879.
 6. Wellington Hubbard^a, b. Aug. 17, 1881.
1512. Lewis S. Libbey^a, b. April 19, 1848. Was a member of the 30th regiment, Maine Volunteers, and was lost at sea in ship *Pocahontas*.
1513. George F. Libbey^a, b. Dec. 5, 1848; farmer; res. Limington, Me. He m. May 17, 1876, Clara E. Marston of Falmouth, Me., b. Dec. 11, 1851. Children:
1. Mabel L. Libbey^a, b. May 30, 1877.
 2. Bertha M. Libbey^a, b. Nov. 11, 1879.
 3. Charles A. Libbey^a, b. April 27, 1886.
 4. Lewis M. Libbey^a, b. Aug. 25, 1888.
1514. Charles A. Libbey^a, b. Aug. 14, 1851; physician; res. Malden, Mass. He m. November, 1873, Maria Small of Limington, Me.
1515. Eunice M. Libbey^a, b. April 20, 1856; m. March, 1884, Edward Cooper; res. Carson City, Nev. Children:
1. Florence Cooper^a, b. 1885.
 2. Eunice Cooper^a, b. 1887.
1516. Lizzie Libbey^a, b. Jan. 17, 1860.

1517. Hannah Sinclair^r [744] (John^a, Benjamin Folsom^a, Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John¹). She was born in Waterborough, Me., July 20, 1820, and married Joseph C. Roberts, who was born in Lyman, Me., Nov. 6, 1820, and they live in East Waterborough, where he has been for 63 years. He is a farmer.

CHILDREN BORN WATERBOROUGH, ME.

1518. Mary F. Roberts^a, b. Aug. 18, 1845; d. Feb. 2, 1846.
1519. John H. Roberts^a, b. Feb. 11, 1847; d. June 3, 1862.
1520. Mary E. Roberts^a, b. Feb. 6, 1849; d. Oct. 11, 1861.
1521. Frank J. Roberts^a, b. July 4, 1851; m. May 1, 1876, Melissa H. Smith; farmer; res. Waterborough, Me.
1522. Ella J. Roberts^a, b. Dec. 13, 1853; m. July 31, 1873, Charles Webber; farmer; res. Anoka, Minn.
1523. Clara E. Roberts^a, b. July 27, 1856; m. Jan. 26, 1879, Charles W. Patterson; farmer; res. Waterborough, Me.
1524. John H. Roberts^a, b. July 29, 1861; d. Sept. 6, 1862.
1525. Willie E. Roberts^a, b. Oct. 6, 1863; m. Dec. 31, 1882, Cora B. Carll; farmer; res. Waterborough, Me.

1526. Nathaniel G. Sinclair^r [745] (John^a, Benjamin Folsom^a, Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John¹). His birthplace was in Waterborough, Me., born Aug. 12, 1822; farmer. Was repeatedly elected to offices in his native town, and was a member of the Maine

House of Representatives one or more times. He died in Waterborough Dec. 31, 1870. He married Aug. 30, 1859, Roxy G. Gup-till, born at Limerick, Me., Oct. 28, 1839.

CHILDREN BORN WATERBOROUGH, ME.

1527. John Henry Sinclair^a, b. June 23, 1860. Received a common school education. Went to Boston, Mass., March, 1882, and is located in business on Hanover street. He m. Jan. 1, 1885, Annie E. Chadbourne, b. Oct. 16, 1858, at Waterborough, Me., dau. of James A. and Mary A. Chadbourne; res. Boston, Mass. Children:
1. Ethel May Sinclair^a, b. Feb. 12, 1887.
1528. Charles M. Sinclair^a, b. March 8, 1862. Located in Boston, Mass., in 1880, and is in business with his brother on Hanover street. He m. Aug. 20, 1881, Bella Smith; res. Boston, Mass. Children:
1. Walter S. Sinclair^a, b. April 16, 1882.
2. Josie R. Sinclair^a, b. Nov. 10, 1883.

1529. John Russell Shaw^a [778] (Rachel Sinclair^a, James, Jr.^a, Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Winthrop, Me., Jan. 16, 1807; m. Nov. 30, 1830, Sarah Maria, daughter of Moses and Philomela (Jewett) Johnson of Byfield, Mass. She died in Winthrop, Me., July 2, 1847, and is buried in Byfield. He resided in Turner, and Camden, Me., until 1852, then in Geyserville, Cal., where he died Jan. 1, 1875. He was loved for his simplicity of manners, uprightness of his character, and purity of his life.

CHILDREN.

1530. Sarah Russell Shaw^a, b. Turner, Me., Oct. 23, 1832. She was educated at the academy at Gorham, Me., and was a teacher in academies for some years. She m. Aug. 20, 1857, Charles Baker, son of Isaac of Litchfield, Conn., and grandson of Samuel Baker of Fairfield, Conn. He was b. in Washington county, Ohio, Dec. 17, 1817; merchant; res. Bloomington, Ill., forty-four years; in Courtland, Ill., one year, where he d. June 30, 1862. She m. 2d, April 21, 1864, Niel Clarence Pierce, and res. at River Falls, Wis.

CHILDREN BY FIRST MARRIAGE.

1. Anna Davis Baker^a, b. Bloomington, Ill., Aug. 24, 1858; artist; res. River Falls, Wis.
 2. Susanna Lillian Baker^a, b. Bloomington, Ill., Aug. 4, 1860; music teacher; res. River Falls, Wis.
 3. Sarah Lincoln Jewett Baker^a, b. Courtland, Ill., May 11, 1862; d. Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 28, 1862.
1531. Moses Johnson Shaw^a, b. Turner, Me., Sept. 14, 1834. Went to California in 1853. He res. in San Francisco thirteen years, in San Jose two years, in Stockton for the remainder of the time till the present. Is a merchant. Has light complexion, auburn hair, hazel eyes, is five feet seven inches in height, and weighs 140 pounds. He married Jan. 5, 1858, Lavinia, dau. of John and Maria (Bruzio) Welch, b. Tloga, Penn., Oct. 4, 1841; d. Santa Clara, Cal., Aug. 1, 1865. He m. 2d Vilette Foster Boswell, b. Lester, Eng., Feb. 24, 1845; d. Stockton, Cal., Jan. 29, 1882. He m. 3d Elvina Muranda, dau. and granddaughter of Samuel Clark of Clarksburg, Mass., where she was b. Oct. 17, 1838. Children:

s. He died in Water-
bury, 1859, Roxey G. Gup-

ON, ME.

received a common school
education, 1882, and is located
in Jan. 1, 1885, Annie E.
Winthrop, Me., dau. of
Mrs. Boston, Mass. Child:

located in Boston, Mass.,
other on Hanover street.
Boston, Mass. Children:

Sinclair⁹, James, Jr.⁸,
He was born in Win-
throp, 1830, Sarah Maria,
daughter of Johnson of Hyfield,
1847, and is buried in
Winthrop, Me., until 1852, then
1875. He was loved for
his character, and purity

23, 1832. She was edu-
cated and was a teacher in acad-
emy, 1857, Charles Baker, son
of Samuel Baker of
Winthrop county, Ohio, Dec.
11, forty-four years; in
June 30, 1862. She m. 2d,
and res. at River Falls, Wis.

AGE.

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Barbara, Cal., Jan. 29, 1882.
granddaughter of Samuel
she was b. Oct. 17, 1838.

1. Eva Maria Shaw⁹, b. San Francisco, Cal., July 16, 1860; d.
Sept. 14, 1860.
2. John Russell Shaw⁹, b. San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 15, 1861;
m. Nov. 20, 1888, Lillie May Gunn; res. Fresno, Cal.;
tinamith.
3. Robert Johnson Shaw⁹, b. Santa Clara, Cal., Jan. 27, 1865;
lumberman; res. Ashland, Oregon.
4. Jennette Villette Shaw⁹, b. Sept. 5, 1872.
5. May Elaine Shaw⁹, b. Stockton, Cal., April 16, 1875.
6. Ella Maria Shaw⁹, b. Stockton, Cal., May 8, 1874.
1532. Mary Philomela Shaw⁹, b. Winthrop, Me., Jan. 26, 1836; m. Robert
S. Johnson, and d. in Stockton, Cal., October, 1868. Her nature
was guileless, and she was greatly admired and beloved. They
went to California in 1859, and Mr. Johnson was a captain in a
California regiment during the war.
1533. Evaline Maria Shaw⁹, b. Camden, Me., May 4, 1838; m. Feb. 21,
1861, William Irving, son of Eleazer Carpenter of Tolland,
Conn. They res. in Mexico, N. Y., then in Courtland, Ill., and
finally in Racine, Wis. She d. there May 2, 1887. She was an
earnest and faithful member of the Congregational church.
Children:
1. May Eva Carpenter⁹, b. Courtland, Ill., Feb. 13, 1862; m.
Feb. 21, 1882, William B. Baker. He is cashier of a bank;
res. Waupaca, Wis. Child:
1. William B. Baker, Jr.¹⁰, b. Marshfield, Wis., Jan. 19,
1883.
2. Ella Jewett Carpenter⁹, b. Courtland, Ill., Nov. 19, 1863; m.
March 11, 1886, Walter H. Stearns; bookkeeper; res.
Racine, Wis. Children:
1. Eva Jewett Stearns¹⁰, b. St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 8, 1887.
2. Mae Stearns¹⁰, b. Waupaca, Wis., June 23, 1888.
3. Charles Russell Carpenter⁹, b. Courtland, Ill., July 16, 1865.
Is assistant cashier in Union National bank; res. Racine,
Wis.
4. William Henry Carpenter⁹, b. Mantino, Ill., Sept. 10, 1872;
student.

1534. Mary Frances Shaw⁷ [779] (Rachel Sinclair⁸, James, Jr.⁸,
Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James⁸, John⁸). She was born in Winthrop,
Me., Dec. 1, 1808; married Dec. 6, 1832, Alfred, son of Isaac,
grandson of Capt. Samuel and Susanna (Freeman) Smith of Middle-
borough, Mass. Her husband was born in Winthrop, Me., July 18,
1807; resided in that town and in Monmouth, Me., where he died
Feb. 28, 1885; she died there June 25, 1888.

CHILDREN BORN WINTHROP, ME.

1535. Alfred Russell Smith⁹, b. Jan. 19, 1834; m. Jan., 1855, Anna Curtis
of Stoughton, Mass. He d. in Winthrop Feb., 1861. Child:
1. Ellen Flora Smith⁹; was a popular teacher. She m. E.
Emmons Grover, and d. leaving a child:
1. Hattie Beatrice Grover¹⁰.
1536. Henry Sinclair Smith⁹, b. Aug. 15, 1835; m. Nov. 15, 1860, Abbie
Frances Mills, b. Newport, Me., Sept. 14, 1840. She was dau. of
Joseph and Lucinda Wood (Merrill) Mills of Skowhegan, Me.,
and her father was born in Clinton, Mass., April 20, 1802. Mr.
Smith was a farmer until 18 years of age, then a teacher for four
years, an iron moulder for 16 years, and a farmer for the last 16
years. Was in San Francisco, Cal., for 5 yrs. 6 mos.; in Mon-

mouth, Me., for 22 yrs. 6 mos.; and in Winthrop, for 25 years.
Children:

1. Harry Jackson Smith³, d. aged 19 years.
 2. Willie Francis Smith³, d. aged 2 yrs. 6 mos.
 3. Laura Powers Smith³, d. aged 10 years.
1537. George Boardman Smith³, b. Aug. 13, 1838; was a successful teacher of drawing and painting, and is proprietor of a business college at Lewiston, Me.
1538. Edwin Burbank Smith³, b. Nov. 26, 1840; photographer. He m. about 1868, Lucy Stone Smith of Augusta, Me. Had three children; all deceased. He resided in 1889 in Monmouth, Me.
1539. Charles Willard Smith³, b. June 7, 1847; was a Union soldier; res. Waltham, Mass. He m. Lizzie Rollins, b. Rockland, Me. Children:
1. George E. Russell Smith³; deceased.
 2. Walter I. Smith³.
 3. Helen Lenora Smith³.
1540. Samuel Francis Smith³, b. March 3, 1849; m. Clara Kelley of Charlestown, Mass.; res. Atkinson, Kan. Children:
1. Maud E. Smith³; deceased.
 2. Alfred Smith³.
 3. May Smith³.
 4. Nellie Smith³.
 5. Frank Smith³.
 6. Fred Smith³.

1541. James Madison Shaw⁷ [780] (Rachel Sinclair⁶, James, Jr.⁶, Capt. James⁶, Ebenezer⁶, James⁶, John¹). He was born in Winthrop, Me., Aug. 18, 1810; married June 11, 1831, Susan Tyler in Bangor, Me. She was born in Garland, Me., Dec. 20, 1815. He was a farmer; res. at Bangor, Corinth, and in 1889 in Fergus Falls, Minn., but lived for a time in Monmouth, Me., and in Northwood, Iowa.

CHILDREN.

1542. Marietta Shaw⁸, b. Bangor, Me., Aug. 15, 1840; school teacher; d. at Monmouth, Me., Jan. 12, 1865.
1543. Sarah Shaw⁸, b. Bangor, Me., March 7, 1842; m. Feb. 23, 1865, George Boynton; res. Mason City, Iowa. Child:
1. Charles Boynton⁸, b. Feb. 27, 1879.
1544. Susan Maria Shaw⁸, b. Corinth, Me., Jan. 29, 1849; m. Sept. 26, 1882, George S. Hanford, b. May 13, 1854; a hotel proprietor. He was son of George W. Hanford, whose father, Stephen, and grandfather, Samuel Hanford, were of New Canaan, Conn.; res. Charles City, Iowa.
1545. Anna Shaw⁸, b. Corinth, Me., Oct. 24, 1851; m. Oct. 24, 1871, Edwin Barler; lawyer; res. Chicago, Ill.
1546. Nellie Shaw⁸, b. Corinth, Me., Aug. 15, 1854; m. June 24, 1878, Edward Fox; merchant; res. Osage, Iowa. Child:
1. Harold Fox⁸, b. New York City Oct. 13, 1884.
1547. Eva Shaw⁸, b. Corinth, Me., March 30, 1858; m. Dec. 25, 1879, Fred Fenderson; a wagon manufacturer; res. Fergus Falls, Minn. Children:
1. Grace Fenderson⁸, b. Northwood, Iowa, Oct. 13, 1880.
 2. Etta Fenderson⁸, b. Northwood, Iowa, July 15, 1882.
 3. Florence Fenderson⁸, b. Northwood, Iowa, April 18, 1884.
 4. Charles Walter Fenderson⁸, b. Fergus Falls, Minn., May 2, 1888.
1548. Charles H. Shaw⁸, b. Corinth, Me., Oct. 3, 1865; m. Jan. 31, 1883, Nettie Kelley; is a hotel keeper, and resides at Mitchell, Dak.

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15, 1854; m. June 24, 1878,
3, Iowa. Child:

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1858; m. Dec. 25, 1879, Fred
r; res. Fergus Falls, Minn.

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d resides at Mitchell, Dak.

1549. Joanna Shaw⁷ [781] (Rachel Sinclair⁴, James, Jr.⁵, Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer⁴, James³, John¹). She was born Winthrop, Me., May 23, 1812. She married Sept. 29, 1833, Dr. William Martin Palmer. He was son of Nathaniel and Susan (Pendleton) Palmer of Belfast, Me., and grandson of Ephraim Palmer, born Hanover, Mass. Doctor Palmer was born Lincolnville, Me., Jan. 23, 1809; resided in Palmyra, Me., forty-three years, and for the last twenty-three years he and his family have lived in Charles City, Iowa, which was in 1889 their home.

CHILDREN BORN PALMYRA, ME.

1550. James Russell Palmer⁸, b. Sept. 4, 1834; res. Palmyra, Me.; was a Union soldier, member 1st regiment Illinois cavalry, and killed at the Battle of Lexington, Mo., Sept. 20, 1861.

1551. Maria Ann Palmer⁸, b. March 7, 1836; m. Jan. 12, 1868, William D. Balch, son of Rev. William Stevens and Adeline Gale (Capron) Balch of New York, N. Y. He was born Claremont, N. H., Jan. 2, 1834. His home was in New York City for 28 years, and for 23 years in Charles City, Iowa, where he resided in 1889; banker. Children born Charles City, Iowa:

1. Palmer Balch⁹, b. Jan. 10, 1869; d. Sept. 8, 1870.
2. Margaret Capron Balch⁹, b. May 5, 1872.
3. Gale Balch⁹, b. Nov. 9, 1873; d. Sept. 19, 1874.
4. Stevens Delos Balch⁹, b. Feb. 2, 1877.

1552. William Lloyd Garrison Palmer⁸, b. Aug. 18, 1838; m. Maria J. Stewart; farmer; res. Ft. Scott, Kan.; is superintendent of a Sanitarium.

1553. Eveline Alleanda Palmer⁸, b. March 21, 1840. She is deceased.

1554. Mary Ellen Palmer⁸, b. July 27, 1842; m. Dec., 1867, Robert Gustavus Reiniger, son of Gustavus and Rosa (Durr) Reiniger of Stuttgart, Germany, and d. Tiffin, Ohio; res. Charles City, Iowa. Mr. Reiniger was captain company B, 7th Iowa Infantry, in the war; was judge of circuit court 14 years, of 12th Judicial district of Iowa, and member of the state Senate in 1889. Child:

1. Robert Gustavus Reiniger, Jr.⁹, b. Charles City, Iowa, March 19, 1880.

1555. Sarah Melbina Palmer⁸, b. July 5, 1844; m. Alfred Wood, son of Elijah and Esther (Stafford) Wood of Palmyra, Me. They res. in Palmyra, Me., till 1858, then were 5 years in Madison, Wis., and since then in Kansas, Colorado, and Iowa, and in 1889 res. Charles City, Iowa. Children:

1. Neenah Wood⁹, b. Charles City, Iowa, Jan. 23, 1863; m. Dec. 25, 1884, Albert Milner, b. April 27, 1861, in Grant, Grant co., Wis., son of William and Elizabeth (Gathwaite) Milner, and grandson of James Milner of Monmouth county, Eng. Mr. Milner resided in Charles City till 1885, then in Dakota till 1889, and now resides in Duluth, Minn. Children:
 - i. Kate Maria Milner¹⁰, b. Charles City, Iowa, Nov. 19, 1885.
 - ii. William Delos Milner¹⁰, b. Faulkton, Dak., Feb. 5, 1887.
2. Etta Frances Wood⁹, b. Charles City, Iowa, April 11, 1864; d. Chicago, Ill., Aug. 26, 1866.
3. Blanche Wood⁹, b. Chicago, Ill., July 20, 1866; d. Chicago, Ill., Sept. 1, 1866.
4. Lewis Wood⁹, b. Sunset, Sumner co., Kan., Dec. 25, 1869; banker; res. Omaha, Neb.

1556. Leroy Marshuam Palmer², b. Nov. 27, 1847; res. Palmyra, Me.; d. of camp fever in hospital at City Point, Va., June 30, 1864. He enlisted as drummer boy in company G, 31st Maine Volunteers.
1557. Katie Florence Palmer², b. Feb. 8, 1854; m. Dec. 10, 1872, Leonard H. Cheney; res. Milwaukee, Wis. She d. Sept. 6, 1875.

1558. Sally Tucker Sinclair⁷ [783] (Henry⁴, James⁴, Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer⁴, James⁴, John⁴). She was born in Brentwood, N. H., Sept. 18, 1813; m. Dec. 25, 1834, Robert Rowe of Brentwood, N. H., where they lived. He was a carriage manufacturer. Was born Jan. 12, 1810; d. June 23, 1882. She d. Feb. 7, 1885.

CHILDREN BORN BRENTWOOD, N. H.

1559. Harriet Helen Rowe², b. Feb. 23, 1838; m. Andrew Brown of Fremont, N. H. Child:
1. Nellie Sallie Brown², b. Jan. 15, 1860.
1560. Jonathan Sinclair Rowe², b. April 20, 1841; d. in the Union army.
1561. James Henry Rowe², b. Sept. 1, 1843; m. Aug., 1868, Emma P., daughter of David Lytle of Epping, N. H. Children:
1. Annie Isabelle Rowe².
2. Jonathan Melvin Rowe², b. June 22, 1872.
1562. Joseph Robinson Rowe², b. Jan. 1, 1846; m. Abbie, dau. of John R. Robinson. Child:
1. Lillian Sallie Rowe², b. Nov. 17, 1871.
1563. George Robert Rowe², b. Feb. 22, 1849; m. July 3, 1870, Betsey Jane, daughter of Lewis B. Gordon. Children:
1. George Russell Rowe², b. April 17, 1871.
2. Robert Gordon Rowe², b. Sept. 22, 1876.

1564. Mary Fowler Sinclair⁷ [784] (Henry⁴, James⁴, Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer⁴, James⁴, John⁴). Brentwood, N. H., was her birthplace, and her date of birth was Sept. 14, 1815. She was married May 29, 1836, to Eliphalet Burbank Wood, and died in Brentwood Nov. 17, 1880. Mr. Wood was born in that town Oct. 18, 1812; there he always resided, and there he died June 16, 1887. He was a merchant.

CHILDREN BORN BRENTWOOD, N. H.

1565. Charles Edwin Wood², b. March 26, 1841; res. Bradford, Mass.; salesman. He m. in his native town Caroline Elizabeth Jewell, May 16, 1867, who d. in Haverhill, Mass., in 1869 or 1870. He m. 2d Jane Atkinson Ordway of Bradford, Mass., Sept. 11, 1873. Children by 2d marriage:
1. Stuart Sinclair Wood², b. May 18, 1876.
2. Alice Mary Wood², b. May 3, 1879.
1566. George Albert Wood², b. Aug. 25, 1845; artist; single; res. Brentwood, N. H.
1567. Mary Frances Wood², b. Sept. 17, 1850; res. Brentwood, N. H.

RECORD OF THE PEASE FAMILY.

Benjamin Pease of Meredith, N. H., was b. (probably in Newmarket, N. H.) Aug. 2, 1743. He married Rebecca Pike, who was b. Jan. 29, 1752. Their home in Meredith was one and one-half miles southwest of Meredith village, on the farm owned in 1888 by his grandson, Moses Pease. He died

Brentwood, N. H. [1556

47; res. Palmyra, Me.; d.
at, Va., June 30, 1864. He
3, 31st Maine Volunteers.
m. Dec. 10, 1872, Leonard
e d. Sept. 5, 1875.

Henry⁶, James⁶, Capt.
was born in Brentwood,
Robert Rowe of Brent-
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She d. Feb. 7, 1885.

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m. Aug., 1868, Emma P.,
N. H. Children:

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3; m. July 3, 1870, Betsey
Children:
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1568. Jonathan Marston Sinclair⁷ [785] (Henry⁶, James⁶, James⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). He was born in Brentwood, N. H., Jan. 2, 1818. He spent a short period of his life in Exeter, the remainder was passed in Brentwood, where he was engaged in the lumber business and in trade. Mr. Sinclair was more than an ordinary man. He had a strong, active mind, a hopeful temperament, was thorough in business methods, and pursued with unswerving loyalty his convictions of the truth. At the age of 22 he united with the Baptist church, and to the end of his life was an active and consistent member; for 15 years he was its clerk. The various town offices from selectman to representative were filled with acceptance by him. During the war of the Rebellion he was chairman of the board of selectmen and had the charge of raising the town's quota of men. He married Dec. 10, 1839, Hannah, daughter of James and Betsey (Folsom) Robinson, who was born in Epping, N. H., Sept. 12, 1816. She is a person of intellectual strength and culture; resides in Concord, N. H. Mr. Sinclair died at Brentwood, N. H., Jan. 12, 1870.

CHILD.

1569. Mary Elizabeth Sinclair⁸, b. Dec. 16, 1842; m. Dec. 25, 1866, George Wilson Weeks, b. Milford, N. H., Jan. 16, 1843; merchant. They res. Laconia, N. H.

1570. Narcissa Sinclair⁷ [786] (Henry⁶, James⁶, Capt. James⁴, Ebenezer³, James², John¹). She was born in Brentwood, N. H., Nov. 3, 1821; married Stephen Fellows of that town. Her death occurred April 9, 1870. He was born July 21, 1818; resided in Brentwood, N. H.

Feb. 26, 1802. Mrs. Pease died Dec. 9, 1837, aged 85 yrs. 10 mos. It is probable that Rebecca Pike was the 2d wife of Mr. Pease.

CHILDREN BORN IN MEREDITH, N. H.

James Pease, b. Oct. 15, 1764.
Sarah Pease, b. May 2, 1770; m. Nathaniel Sinclair, and settled in Greensborough, Vt. (See No. 415.)
Joseph Pease, b. March 10, 1774; d. Meredith May 4, 1862.
Benjamin Pease, b. Dec. 17, 1775; d. Meredith April 3, 1831.
Simeon Pease, b. Jan. 11, 1878; lived on the homestead in Meredith; d. July 30, 1843, aged 65 yrs. 6 mos. 19 days. He m. — Wedgewood. His son, Moses Pease, still resides on the homestead.
Robert Pease, b. Dec. 24, 1782; d. April 15, 1813, aged 31 years.
Rebecca Pease, b. Nov. 28, 1786; d. Nov. 9, 1842, aged 56 years. She m. Rev. Thomas Perkins of New Hampton, N. H., a prominent Freewill Baptist clergyman, who d. Jan. 18, 1867, aged 83 years.
Nancy Pease, b. Oct. 30, 1788; m. Benjamin St. Clair of New Hampton, N. H. (See No. 710.)
Nathaniel Pease, b. April 9, 1789; removed to Quincy, Ill., and died there July 24, 1836, aged 47 years.
Polly Pease, b. June 6, 1791; m. Thomas Woodman, who d. Dec. 27, 1858. She d. Feb. 18, 1863, aged 71 yrs. 8 mos. 12 days.

CHILDREN.

1571. Russell H. Fellows^a, b. Jan. 16, 1841; m. November, 1866, Susan Sanborn; res. Brentwood, N. H.
1572. Emma S. Fellows^a, b. June 3, 1843; m. April, 1861, W. L. Bartlett; res. Newton, N. H. Children:
1. Frank Wilder Bartlett^a.
 2. Annie B. Bartlett^a.
 3. Willie F. Bartlett^a.
1573. Mary A. Fellows^a, b. Feb. 5, 1845; m. June, 1869, J. C. Tucker. They are deceased. Children:
1. Maud Tucker^a.
 2. Mabel Tucker^a.
 3. Jay W. Tucker^a.
 4. Edith Tucker^a.
 5. James Irwin Tucker^a.
 6. Blanche E. Tucker^a.
1574. Narcissa A. Fellows^a, b. Aug. 20, 1847; m. January, 1868, Levi R. Weeks of Lake Village, and is deceased.
1575. John H. Fellows^a, b. Aug. 20, 1850; m. May, 1871, Sarah Norton Shedd. She d. and he m. 2d, November, 1877, Ella Wilson; res. Brentwood, N. H.

1576. Prof. John Elbridge Sinclair^a [791] (Henry^a, James^a, James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John^a). He was born Brentwood, N. H., March 28, 1838, and when about two years of age his parents removed to Exeter, where his father soon after died. He attended the district school till 15 years of age, then was two years a student in Phillips academy, and increased his scanty income by working during his vacation. He then, at the age of 17, left Exeter, and with financial aid from his brother, Jonathan Marston Sinclair, entered the Chandler department of Dartmouth college, where he graduated in 1858. He then taught for several months in the High school at Adrian, Mich. In the winter of 1859-60 he accepted a position in the preparatory department of Washington university, St. Louis, Mo., where he remained till he accepted an assistant professorship of mathematics in the Chandler department of Dartmouth college in 1865. In 1866 he received the appointment to a full professorship, and remained as professor till 1869. During this period he spent one winter in England and France, but mainly attending lectures in Paris. In the summer of 1869 he was elected to the professorship of mathematics in the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, when he removed to that city, and where he now lives. Washington university conferred the degree of A. M. upon him in 1863. Dartmouth college also conferred this degree upon him, and on the 25th anniversary of his graduation, in 1883, gave him the degree of Ph. D. He married Dec. 24, 1864, Isabella Aiken, daughter of Hon. John Ware and Nancy Aiken Noyes of Chester, N. H., where she was born March 17, 1838. She died at Hanover, N. H., Sept. 11, 1868, leaving two children. He married second, Nov. 21, 1870, Marietta Surivetta, daughter of Joel and Mary Chadwick (Bond) Fletcher of Worcester, Mass., where she was born May 10, 1840. Her father was born in New London, N. H., July 18, 1811; resided Worcester, Mass.

ESTER, MASS. [1571

November, 1866, Susan
April, 1861, W. L. Bartlett;

June, 1869, J. C. Tucker.

January, 1868, Levi R.
May, 1871, Sarah Norton
December, 1877, Ella Willson; res.

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graduated in 1858. He
school at Adrian, Mich.
position in the preparatory
t. Louis, Mo., where he
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college in 1863. In 1866
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was born in New London,
Mass.



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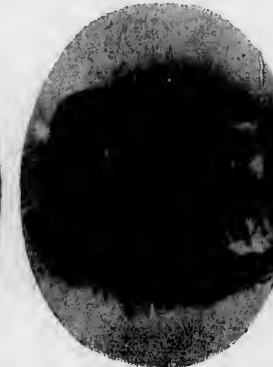
HARRY SINCLAIR.



ANNIE N. SINCLAIR.



ISABELLA A. SINCLAIR.



MARY EMILY SINCLAIR.
HELEN MILORA SINCLAIR.



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ALICE SINCLAIR.



PROF. JOHN E. SINCLAIR.



ANNIE N. SINCLAIR.



LOUISE GRANT SINCLAIR
ALICE SINCLAIR.

1595] MARY E. SINCLAIR, OF BRENTWOOD, N. H.

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CHILDREN.

1577. Annie Noyes Sinclair^a, b. Chester, N. H., July 15, 1866; is a teacher of drawing, and res. Worcester, Mass.
1578. Isabella Aiken Sinclair^a, b. Hanover, N. H., Aug. 30, 1868; was in 1888 a member of Wellesley college.
1579. Harry Sinclair^a, b. Worcester, Mass., Aug. 31, 1872.
1580. Louise Grant Sinclair^a, b. Worcester, Mass., July 3, 1875.
1581. Alice Sinclair^a, b. Worcester, Mass., Dec. 27, 1876.
1582. Mary Emily Sinclair^a, b. Worcester, Mass., Sept. 27, 1878.
1583. Helen Melora Sinclair^a, b. Worcester, Mass., May 7, 1880.

1584. Mary Elizabeth Sinclair^a [793] (Benjamin^a, James^a, Capt. James^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John^a). She was born in Brentwood, N. H., Feb. 2, 1828; married Orrin Swain, born in Brentwood, July 20, 1822. They and their children are attendants, and nearly all are members, of the Baptist church. He is a farmer; resides Brentwood, N. H.

CHILDREN BORN BRENTWOOD, N. H.

1585. Stephen Henry Swain^a, b. June 18, 1852. He was an earnest, upright Christian, and d. Oct. 10, 1876, aged 24 yrs. 3 mos. 22 days.
1586. Frank Benjamin Swain^a, b. Jan 15, 1864. Prepared for college at Phillips academy at Exeter, N. H. A serious bronchial difficulty developed itself, when he relinquished his educational plans, and is a farmer and market gardner; res. South Hampton, N. H. Is a deacon in the Baptist church. Has served as selectman and superintending school committee. He m. Belle Currier of that town. Children:
1. Roscoe Swain^a.
2. Isabella Currier Swain^a.
1587. Nahum Augustus Swain^a, b. Jan. 9, 1855. Was selectman of Brentwood; res. Exeter, N. H. He m. Annie Merrill of Hampton Falls, N. H. Child:
1. Florence Sinclair Swain^a, b. Exeter, N. H., Sept. 20, 1887.
1588. Charles Orrin Swain^a, b. June 18, 1857; market gardner. Is a deacon in the Baptist church; res. Brentwood, N. H.
1589. Daniel William Swain^a, b. Dec. 29, 1858; res. Exeter, N. H.
1590. Lewis Sinclair Swain^a, b. Dec. 14, 1862; res. Exeter, N. H.
1591. George Lincoln Swain^a, b. July 5, 1866; m. May 12, 1887, Ella Philbrick, who d. March, 1888. Child:
1. Stella Philbrick Swain^a, b. Feb. 27, 1888. She res. Exeter, N. H.
1592. Mary Abbie Swain^a, b. Feb. 13, 1868; an artist; res. Brentwood, N. H.
1593. Herbert Alfred Swain^a, b. April 14, 1871; res. Brentwood, N. H.

1594. Sarah Jane Sinclair^a [886] (William M.^a, Ebenezer^a, Richard^a, Ebenezer^a, James^a, John^a). She was born in Keesville, N. Y., Nov. 9, 1834; married Sept. 27, 1855, Elias G. Mosher, a farmer, and resides in Fillmore, Minn.

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1595. Herbert Ellsha Mosher^a, b. Parishville, N. Y., Jan. 14, 1857; m. July 14, 1875, Helen Alice Fenton. He is a miller and lives in Lafayette, Ore.

1596. Helen Frances Mosher^a, b. Fillmore, Minn., Nov. 11, 1858; m. Dec. 30, 1873, Henry Johnson; farmer; res. Winfred, Dak.
 1597. Lucy Estelle Mosher^a, b. Fillmore, Minn., Oct. 14, 1861; m. Dec. 12, 1882, Charles Singer; res. Winfred, Dak.
 1598. Sarah Jane Mosher^a, b. Fillmore, Minn., April 11, 1863; d. May 31, 1871.
 1599. George Harvey Mosher^a, b. Fillmore, Minn., April 5, 1864; m. March 25, 1883, Emma Darrell; res. Fillmore, Minn.
 1600. Eva Gertrude Mosher^a, b. Fillmore, Minn., Sept. 10, 1867; m. March 14, 1885, Sidney Baker; res. Jordan, Minn.
 1601. William Elmer Mosher^a, b. Fillmore, Minn., Nov. 1, 1872.

1602. Hannah Thing Bunker^a [926] (Polly Cilley Sinclair^a, Lieut. Richard^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). She was born in Barnstead, N. H., Feb. 19 (or 14), 1809; married Dec. 25, 1831, Hiram Tibbetts of Northfield, N. H., born April 28, 1806; died Oct. 19, 1863. She died Jan. 15, 1852.

CHILDREN.

1603. Mary A. Tibbetts^a, b. Oct. 16, 1837; d. April 18, 1873.
 1604. Charles A. Tibbetts^a, b. July 22, 1839; carpenter; res. Newport, R. I.
 1605. Harriet D. Tibbetts^a, b. Aug. 22, 1843; m. Oct. 12, 1869, Benjamin F. Tilton; res. Loudon Centre, N. H.
 1606. Albert H. Tibbetts^a, b. Dec. 1, 1844; m. Oct. 28, 1877, Mrs. Susan M. (French) Allen, dau. of Samuel and Elizabeth (McDaniel) French of Canterbury, N. H. He is a farmer; res. Northfield, N. H. Children:
 1. Lizzie F. Tibbetts^a, b. Feb. 28, 1878.
 2. Ethel G. Tibbetts^a, b. Oct. 20, 1881.
 1607. Eliza W. Tibbetts^a, b. Dec. 15, 1847; d. Sept. 6, 1870.

1608. Mary Ann Bunker^a [930] (Polly Cilley Sinclair^a, Lieut. Richard^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). She was born in Barnstead, N. H., April 2, 1817; married May 19, 1842, George Stevens, who died July 4, 1843, aged 28 years. She m. 2d, Aug. 3, 1846, Jeremiah Elkins, who was b. Aug. 31, 1795; attorney-at-law. Graduated at Dartmouth college 1817. admitted to the bar 1821; practiced law in Barnstead and Laconia, N. H.; was register of Probate for Belknap county for eight years. He died Feb. 24, 1854. She married 3d, March 29, 1860, Rev. Jeremiah Blake, m. d., b. Pittsfield, N. H., April 17, 1800, and son of Enoch Blake, a soldier of the Revolution. He graduated at medical college, Hanover, N. H., in 1826. Practiced medicine in Pittsfield, N. H., for 10 years; entered the Theological seminary at Gilmanton, N. H., May, 1836, and was licensed to preach the Gospel Jan., 1838. He was ordained and installed over the Congregational church in Wolfborough, N. H., Nov., 1838. In July, 1843, he was installed over the Congregational church in Tamworth, N. H., and dismissed in 1851 on account of failing health. After his health was regained he labored as an evangelist in several states, at the same time practising medicine and surgery. They reside at Gilmanton Iron Works. She had two children by her 2d husband, Jeremiah Elkins, and one by 3d husband, Rev. Dr. Blake.

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1609. Sarah Frances Elkins⁴, b. May 23, 1852; m. March, 1874, Frank H. Edgerly; res. Peabody, Mass. Child:
1. Carroll F. Edgerly⁴, b. Nov. 7, 1877.
1610. Belle D. Elkins⁴, b. Sept. 20, 1854.
1611. John Carroll Blake⁴, b. Sept. 28, 1862; d. Sept. 7, 1881.

1612. Enos George Bunker⁷ [1931] (Polly Cilley Sinclair⁴, Lieut. Richard⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John¹). He was born in Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 31, 1819; died at Mantorville, Minn., Sept. 10, 1871*. He married at Sandwich, N. H., Sept. 1, 1844, Martha Moulton, who was born at Albany, N. Y., Jan. 15, 1822. He was deacon of the Congregational church at Mantorville, Minn., for 19 years. He served in company E, of the 4th regiment Minnesota Volunteers during the war of the Rebellion. He was made an invalid by being wounded severely in the leg by a minie ball. His widow resides in St. Paul, Minn.

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1613. Alonzo F. Bunker⁴, b. at Barnstead, N. H., June 13, 1845; m. at Mantorville, Minn., July 3, 1866, S. M. Rose, b. in Canada; d. Waseta, Minn., March 15, 1883.
1614. Walter A. Bunker⁴, b. at Barnstead, N. H., March 12, 1847; m. Dec. 22, 1870, Blanche Munroe of Minneapolis, Minn. Child:
1. Irving S. Bunker⁴, b. Feb. 5, 1872.
1615. A. E. Bunker⁴, b. Littleton, N. H., March 20, 1840; m. Aug. 11, 1875, Nettie Smith of Red Wing, Minn.
1616. Hattie C. Bunker⁴, b. Bethlehem, N. H., Jan. 11, 1851; m. at St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 18, 1874, J. D. Bond. Children:
1. Earle D. Bond⁴, b. Jan. 25, 1879.
2. Roy H. Bond⁴, b. November, 1882.
1617. Mary A. Bunker⁴, b. Bethlehem, N. H., March 27, 1853; d. there March 12, 1855.
1618. Jennie A. Bunker⁴, b. Mantorville, Minn., May 26, 1857; m. at St. Paul, Minn., W. F. Church. He d. there March 30, 1880. She m. 2d at St. Paul, Minn., Nov. 3, 1881, William Dampier. Children by 1st marriage:
1. Fannie Church⁴, b. Sept. 19, 1876.
2. Jessie M. Church⁴, b. Dec. 10, 1878.
1619. May M. Bunker⁴, b. Mantorville, Minn., Sept. 25, 1865.

* Notice of the death of Deacon Enos G. Bunker, from a Minnesota paper:

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord." He died at Mantorville, Minn., Sept. 10, 1871. "Deacon Bunker was born in Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 31, 1819. In the spring of 1855 he came to Mantorville, Minn., and his family came in the autumn of the same year. He leaves a wife, two sons and four daughters to feel the stroke of Divine Providence. We say to feel the stroke! Who would not feel the loss of such a fond husband, and such a tender and affectionate father as he? Whatever Divine Grace may do for us, it was never designed, we believe, to supplant the natural affections of the human heart. It may comfort and support, but the cleaving stroke must be felt, and felt much in proportion as we are able to prize the object sundered from us. In this event not only a private family but a church is bereaved. Mr. Bunker was one of the seven original members of the Congregational church in this place. It was organized in his house.

1620. Cyrus Edwin Bunker¹ [932] (Polly Cilley Sinclair⁴, Lieut. Richard⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John⁴, John⁴). He was born in Barnstead, N. H. Feb. 22, 1823; married May 25, 1847, at Barnstead Parade, Susan Conover of New York, who died May 23, 1874. He married 2d, June 29, 1876, Mrs. Mary Ramsey of Penacook, N. H. He is proprietor of the Howard House, Bethlehem, N. H.

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1631. Mary Sinclair Davis^s, b. Aug. 22, 1837; m. Dr. John L. McGregor of Whitefield, N. H., son of Joel and Hannah P. (Gove) McGregor. (Joel McGregor was b. June 3, 1820; d. Aug. 11, 1865. His wife was b. July 11, 1826.) He was b. Sept. 5, 1855. Children:
1. John L. McGregor^s, b. Sept. 30, 1881; d. March 4, 1888.
 2. Marion Sinclair McGregor^s, b. Dec. 25, 1885.
1632. Charles Frank Davis^s, b. Oct. 14, 1860; m. Miss Dodge, and res. Bethlehem, N. H. One child.

1633. John G. Sinclair^r [936] (Charles Grandison^s, Lieut. Richard^s, Col. Richard^s, Samuel^s, John^s, John^s). Hon. John G. Sinclair was born in Barnstead, N. H., March 25, 1826. He married Oct. 29, 1847, Tamar Merrill Clark, who was born in Landaff, N. H., Sept. 2, 1828, and was daughter of Col. Daniel and Mary (Merrill) Clark of that town. She was a person of a retiring nature, of modest demeanor, and of rare intelligence and good judgment. She was ever true to her ideas of right, was a faithful wife and mother, a helpful and sympathizing friend; was a member of the Methodist church, and died in Littleton, N. H., Feb. 10, 1872. Mr. Sinclair married 2d, July 10, 1874, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth (Pierce) Blandin, widow of Willard A. Blandin, and daughter of John and Rebecca (Cushman) Pierce of Bethlehem, N. H. She was born there April 9, 1837. She was a member of the Orthodox Congregational church in Bethlehem, and upon her removal to Orlando, Fla., her church relations were transferred to the church in that place. She is an earnest worker in the church, and for charitable objects.

As a youth Mr. Sinclair was an industrious student, a bright and successful scholar. Nature gave him a strong, muscular frame; his health was robust, he possessed much animal spirits, was full of wit, and a great lover of athletic sports. But life's duties pressed early upon him, and at the age of thirteen years he entered the employ of some merchants in Landaff, N. H., with whom he remained six years. He prepared for college at the institution at Newbury, Vt., and reluctantly gave up a collegiate course, which he greatly desired, and engaged in business. He was first in business in Manchester, N. H., then in Lawrence, Mass., and having accumulated some means, he located in Bethlehem, N. H., as proprietor of a country store, and a manufacturer of starch. Quickly he won the confidence and favor of the community. He was called into political life, and represented Bethlehem in the legislature in 1852-53, '54, '55, '62, '63, '76, '77, '78, and was a member of the convention chosen to revise the Constitution of the state. In 1873, while a resident of the adjoining town of Littleton, he was elected to represent that town in the legislature. In 1858 and '59 he was a member of the New Hampshire Senate. There were some brilliant episodes in his career during his long and active legislative history. He was acknowledged to be one of the most daring, most aggressive, and

clear-headed leaders of the Democratic party in New Hampshire; one of its keenest, most pungent, and brilliant speakers.

In 1866 he was the Democratic candidate for Governor, but failed of an election. In 1867 he was again the standard bearer of his party, and in obedience to the instructions of the convention which nominated him, and which knew his powers, he issued a challenge to a joint public discussion of the question at issue to his dashing oratorical competitor, Gen. Walter Harriman, the Republican nominee. It was accepted, and then ensued one of the most interesting, exciting, and brilliant campaigns in the history of the state. They were warm personal friends. They traveled together, and were each other's guests in their respective towns. Both were fine orators, and great throngs of people attended their discussions as they journeyed through the state. Their speeches attracted great attention in and beyond the state, and editorials in the leading journals criticised the arguments of the intellectual athletes. The contest was sharp; a heavy vote was polled, and the Democratic banner again trailed in defeat. But Mr. Sinclair still retained his leading position in the councils of his party, and was again renominated in 1868. In 1868 he was the chairman of the New Hampshire delegation in the National Democratic convention. During the administration of Governor Baker he was appointed bank commissioner, and retained the office until the Know-Nothing party rode into power in the full flood of the tide of popular favor. He was the candidate of the Democrat. for speaker of the House, and was the nominee of his party in the legislature in 1876 for United States senator. His long public career as a citizen of New Hampshire drew to a close in 1879, when he left his home beneath the shadows of the towering mountains and established himself in a new abode in the sunny South, locating in Orlando, Orange co., Fla. There he has organized a large and lucrative real estate business, and is engaged in other enterprises. He is still vigorous in mind and body. His intellect is unclouded, his wit is as keen as in earlier days, and his tongue has not forgotten its power of eloquent utterance*.

CHILDREN BORN BETHLEHEM, N. H.

1634. Charles Arthur Sinclair³ (1928), b. Aug. 21, 1848; m. Nov., 1873, Emma Isabelle Jones; res. Portsmouth, N. H.
 1635. Emma Peavy Sinclair⁴ (1933), b. Aug. 20, 1851; m. Feb. 12, 1874, Rev. Charles Fowler of Bristol, N. H.
 1636. Martha Arollne Sinclair⁵ (1938), b. March 29, 1855; m. Oct. 7, 1885, John W. Weeks; res. Boston, Mass.

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States forts in the South during the Rebellion. At the close of the
war he located in Brooklyn, N. Y., where he has since lived.
Occupation, ship's clerk. He married October, 1862, Mertie
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9, 1840. He is a Republican in politics, and a Congregationalist;
resides Brooklyn, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN BROOKLYN, N. Y.

1638. Charles Albert Sinclair*, b. September, 1863; d. August, 1864.
1639. Clarence Edwin Sinclair*, b. Nov. 9, 1874; d. Aug. 24, 1875.

1640. Carlotta West Sinclair*, b. May 9, 1875, res. Brooklyn, N. Y.

1641. Napoleon Bonaparte Sinclair* [941] (George Washington*,
Joshua*, Col. Richard*, Samuel*, John*, John*). He was born in
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He was chief officer and by the death of the captain became master
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1857 when he forsook the beautiful, treacherous seas, and located in
Brooklyn, N. Y., and engaged in the business of stevedore, in which
he still continues. He enjoys his calling, has won an enviable repu-
tation and a financial success. A Republican in politics, and Pres-
byterian in church preference. He married July 3, 1851, Ann Eliza-
beth Harbinson, daughter of James and Elizabeth Harbinson of Bel-
fast, Ireland, and later of New York, N. Y. She was born in New
York City, Dec. 25, 1827, and died in Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 17,
1861. He married 2d, Aug. 20, 1863, Elizabeth Turner Hall, who
was born in New York City, Aug. 20, 1842; resides Brooklyn,
N. Y.

CHILDREN.

1642. Robert Strong Sinclair* (942), b. New York City, Jan. 1, 1853; res.
Brooklyn, N. Y.

1643. Elizabeth Sinclair*, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1856; res. Brook-
lyn, N. Y.

1644. Henry Harbinson Sinclair* (944), b. Dec. 22, 1858; res. Redlands, Cal.
1645. Arthur Sinclair*, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 27, 1860; d. Brooklyn,
N. Y., Nov. 8, 1861.

1646. Cornelia Anderson Sinclair*, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., July 20, 1866; m.
April 7, 1888, Charles A. Peck, b. Fishkill, N. Y., Aug. 1, 1859;
merchandise broker; res. Hackensack, N. J.

1647. Isdora Sinclair*, b. Oct. 20, 1868; res. Brooklyn, N. Y.

1648. Maud Adelalde Sinclair*, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 18, 1871; res.
Brooklyn, N. Y.

1649. Napoleon Bonaparte Sinclair, Jr.*, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 22,
1874; d. Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 3, 1877.

1650. Jennie Stuyvesant Sinclair*, b. Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 13, 1878; res.
Brooklyn, N. Y.

1651. Calvin Dwinal Sinclair⁷ [963] (Joshua, Jr.⁶, Joshua⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Unity, Me., Dec. 11, 1832. Was married Sept. 27, 1866, to Martha A., daughter of Henry Mitchell (who was son of William Mitchell), who was born March 11, 1810, in Fifeshire, near King's Kettle, Scotland. She was born in Kenosha, Wis., May 13, 1844. Mr. Sinclair is a wagon manufacturer, and resides in Racine, Wis., which has been his home since 1846, and his life previous to that had been spent in Maine.

CHILDREN BORN RACINE, WIS.

1652. Mattie M. Sinclair⁸, b. April 4, 1870.
1653. Lucy E. Sinclair⁸, b. Dec. 2, 1875.

1654. Aberdeen Sinclair⁷ [968] (John⁶, Major Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Champion, Jefferson co., N. Y., Sept. 12, 1808; resides Stockton, Chautauqua co., N. Y. He married Dec. 27, 1829, Sylvia Ann Holmes. She was born July 3, 1806, in Whitesboro', Oneida co., N. Y. Is a Democrat in politics.

CHILDREN.

1655. Franklin Benjamin Sinclair⁸, b. Sullivan, Madison co., N. Y., Sept. 25, 1833; d. Warren co., Penn., May 10, 1870. He left a wife and one child.
1656. John Henry Sinclair⁸, b. Nov. 15, 1837, in Manlius, Onondaga co., N. Y.
1657. William Wallace Sinclair⁸, b. Eaton, Madison co., N. Y., Oct. 25, 1842; d. March 9, 1843.
1658. Helen Mar Sinclair⁸, b. Sept. 20, 1845; d. May 1, 1872, in Pomfret, N. Y. She married Hamilton Hudson. Children:
1. Will H. Hudson⁹, b. Sept. 15, 1864.
2. Ella Hudson⁹, b. March 15, 1866.
3. Ella Hudson⁹, b. March 15, 1869; m. Mr. Ball. Children:
i. Alta Ball¹⁰.
ii. Walter Ball¹⁰.
4. Charles A. Hudson⁹, b. April 6, 1872.

1659. Hepzibah Sinclair⁷ [969] (John⁶, Major Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, James², John¹). She was born in Pomfret (village of Fredonia), Chautauqua co., N. Y., Oct. 8, 1811. She married Mr. Bennett Jan. 6, 1831, at Grimsbie, Niagara co., Canada. She was a teacher at that place. Subsequently they returned to Sinclairville, N. Y., where she died. He was a mechanic. He married 2d a Mrs. Simpson, and removed to Janesville, Wis., and died there.

CHILDREN.

1660. Mary Bennett⁸, b. Canada, and d. there.
1661. Augusta Bennett⁸; m. Daniel Parker of Sinclairville, N. Y., and d. there. No children.
1662. Rosalinda Bennett⁸, b. July 24, 1837; d. April 29, 1854.
1663. Eugene Bennett⁸; res. White Pigeon, Mich.
1664. Ann Ella Bennett⁸; d. and is buried at Sinclairville, N. Y.
1665. Sylva Bennett⁸; d. at Janesville, Wis.
1666. Sarah Bennett⁸; m. Mr. Vanderwerker; res. Iowa.
1667. Frank Bennett⁸; res. once at Janesville, Wis.

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1679] FRANKLIN SINCLAIR, OF SINCLAIRVILLE, N. Y. 283

1668. Eliza Sinclair⁷ [970] (John⁴, Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John², John¹). She was born in Madison, Madison co., N. Y., Nov. 10, 1813. She married March 7, 1833, Benjamin Graham; resided in Eaton, N. Y., then in Morrisville, Madison co., N. Y., where she died Oct. 11, 1878. He was a farmer; was born in Hillsdale, Columbia co., N. Y., March 10, 1807, and resided in Morrisville in 1889.

CHILDREN BORN EATON, N. Y.

1669. Helen M. Graham⁴, b. Aug. 3, 1837; m. Feb. 4, 1857, Charles M. Grannis, and has four children; res. Syracuse, N. Y.

1670. Dwight Graham⁴, b. April 19, 1844; m. Sept. 19, 1883, Anna S. Chaple; res. Morrisville, Madison co., N. Y.

1671. John Jay Graham⁴, b. May 20, 1851; m. Nov. 12, 1872, Ella M. Wood. He is a mechanic, and res. at Morrisville, N. Y.

1672. Franklin Sinclair⁷ [971] (John⁴, Maj. Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John², John¹). He was born in Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Jan. 19, 1818; farmer. The most of his life has been spent in Sinclairville. Has lived in Eaton, Madison co., N. Y., in Nelson, Canada, and near Elgin, Ill., Cookville, Rock co., Wis., and then in Sinclairville, N. Y., where in 1888 he resided. He married May 15, 1844, Rachel Diantha Ellis, daughter of Freeman and Abigail (Simous) Ellis of Charlotte, Chautauqua co., N. Y. She was born in Charlotte, Oct. 14, 1825.

CHILDREN.

1673. Betsey Sinclair⁴, b. Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., April 21, 1845; m. July 3, 1863, George Tackley, and lives in Pomfret, Chautauqua co., N. Y., near the village of Fredonia; farmer. No children.

1674. Melvina Sinclair⁴, b. Gerry, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1847; m. Dec. 5, 1868, John Langworthy of Charlotte, N. Y.; res. at Ellicott, Chautauqua co., N. Y. Child:

1. Mary Langworthy⁴, b. Gerry, N. Y., May 1, 1870.

1675. Adelaide Sinclair⁴, b. Sinclairville, N. Y., Feb. 10, 1856; m. Nov. 29, 1877, Charles E. Edmunds of Charlotte, N. Y. He was b. May 30, 1856; res. Charlotte Centre, N. Y.; farmer. Children:

1. Nellie Sinclair Edmunds⁴, b. Charlotte, N. Y., Dec. 12, 1878.

2. Hattie Maria Edmunds⁴, b. Charlotte, N. Y., Feb. 23, 1880.

3. Bessie Annie Edmunds⁴, b. Charlotte, N. Y., April 6, 1882.

1676. Annie Isaac Sinclair⁴, b. Sinclairville, N. Y., Aug. 18, 1858; d. April 29, 1882.

1677. Frankie Sinclair⁴, b. Gerry, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1861; m. April 10, 1880, Samuel Spear of Sinclairville, N. Y.; res. Gerry, N. Y.; farmer. Children:

1. Ethel Elizabeth Spear⁴, b. Sinclairville, N. Y., October, 1881.

2. William John Spear⁴, b. San Francisco, Cal., October, 1883.

3. John Spear⁴, b. Gerry, N. Y., 1886; d. 1887.

4. Malcom Morehead Spear⁴, b. Gerry, N. Y., Dec. 27, 1887.

1678. John Freeman Sinclair⁴, b. Gerry, N. Y., April 12, 1865; res. Sinclairville, N. Y.

1679. Lillian Sinclair⁴, b. Gerry, N. Y., Jan. 30, 1867; school teacher; res. Sinclairville, N. Y.

1680. Nancy Sinclair⁷ [972] (John⁶, Maj. Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). She was born in Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Sept. 30, 1819. Has lived in Gerry. She married March 15, 1838, by Rev. Mr. Schofield, James Albert Clark. He was born Exeter, Otsego co., N. Y., June 25, 1816. (He was son of Adin and Mehitty (Palmer) Clark of Exeter, N. Y. He came from Colchester, Conn., and son of Caleb and Lodama (Gage) Clark, originally of Exeter, N. H.) He became a member of the Baptist church at Cassadaga, N. Y., 1834. She joined the Baptist church at Sinclairville, N. Y., in 1843. He was a carpenter and builder. Has lived in Charlotte, Pomfret, and in Sinclairville, N. Y., where he died in 1894. She is a sharp eyed woman, quick spoken, of executive ability, with black eyes and hair, and of medium height.

CHILDREN.

1681. George Albert Clark⁸, b. Charlotte, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Feb. 10, 1839; became a member of the Baptist church in Sinclairville, April 8, 1866; carpenter and builder; res. Alleghany, Cattaraugus co., N. Y., and he d. in Sinclairville, N. Y., Sept. 23, 1884, aged 45 yrs. 7 mos. 13 days. He m. Anna Jennette Weaver of Pomfret, N. Y., June 30, 1861. She d. in Charlotte, N. Y., Aug. 8, 1868, aged 25 yrs. 11 mos. 20 days. He m. 2d Hattie Preston of Alleghany, Cattaraugus co., N. Y. She res. in Alleghany, N. Y., with her family. He was a soldier in the Rebellion for three years in the 112th regiment New York Volunteers. Children:
1. Anglenette Clark⁹.
 2. Ella May Clark⁹.
 3. Sarah Nancy Clark⁹.
1682. Francis Drake Clark⁸, b. Charlotte, N. Y., June 27, 1840; carpenter and builder; res. Sinclairville, N. Y. He m. in Pomfret, N. Y., Aug. 13, 1862, Martha Isabel Grover of that place. She was b. March 7, 1847. Children:
1. Forrest Laverne Clark⁹, b. Feb. 19, 1866, Charlotte, N. Y.
 2. Florilla Bell Clark⁹, b. April 22, 1874, Pomfret, N. Y.
1683. Ann Elizabeth Clark⁸, b. Charlotte, Chautauqua co., N. Y., April 10, 1842; m. April 25, 1861, John Perry Fisher of Stockton, Chautauqua co., N. Y. He was b. there April 18, 1839; farmer. She is a member of the Baptist church. Children:
1. Luella Fisher⁹, b. Stockton, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Sept. 2, 1863; m. Dec. 19, 1883, C. Sherman Greenland of Warren, Penn. Is an undertaker. He was b. in that town. Child:
 1. Douglass Greenland¹⁰, b. Warren, Penn., January, 1887.
 2. Agnes Bell Fisher⁹, b. Stockton, N. Y., June 4, 1869.
 3. Charles Fisher⁹, b. Stockton, N. Y., Aug. 8, 1874.
 4. Thomas Fisher⁹, b. Stockton, N. Y.
1684. Paulina Theresa Clark⁸, b. Charlotte, Chautauqua co., N. Y., March 13, 1844; d. Jan. 24, 1848.
1685. Rosette Marion Clark⁸, b. Oct. 10, 1846, in Charlotte, N. Y.; d. July 29, 1857.
1686. May M. Clark⁸, b. Charlotte, Chautauqua co., N. Y., June 20, 1849; m. Oct. 21, 1875, William Henry Millen of Sinclairville, N. Y. He was b. there June 22, 1852. She became a member of the Baptist church in 1866; res. Sinclairville, N. Y. Children:
1. Agnes Florence Millen⁹, b. Jamestown, N. Y., Jan. 28, 1880.
 2. Edith Clark Millen⁹, b. Cassadaga, N. Y., July 13, 1883.
1687. Caleb John Clark⁸, b. Charlotte, N. Y., Oct. 29, 1853; carpenter; res. Moons Station. He m. Aug. 15, 1875, Marietta Stevens of

Samuel⁴, Col. Richard⁴, Sinclairville, Chautauqua in Gerry. She married James Albert Clark. He b. 1816. (He was son of Exeter, N. Y. He came from Lodama (Gage) Clark, member of the Baptist church, and the Baptist church carpenter and builder. Sinclairville, N. Y., where a man, quick spoken, of and of medium height.

Chautauqua co., N. Y., Feb. 10, 1st church in Sinclairville, Pa. Alleghany, Cattaraugus co., N. Y., Sept. 23, 1884, aged 45. Jettie Weaver of Pomfret, N. Y., Aug. 8, 1868, 2d Hattie Preston of Alleghany, N. Y., with the rebellion for three Volunteers. Children:

June 27, 1840; carpenter. He m. in Pomfret, N. Y., of that place. She was b.

9, 1866, Charlotte, N. Y. 1874, Pomfret, N. Y. Chautauqua co., N. Y., April Perry Fisher of Stockton, here April 18, 1839; farmer. Children: Chautauqua co., N. Y., Sept. 2, Orman Greenland of Warren, was b. in that town. Child: Warren, Penn., January, 1887. N. Y., June 4, 1869. Y., Aug. 8, 1874.

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Chautauqua co., N. Y., June 20, 1849; (Ellen of Sinclairville, N. Y. He became a member of the Sinclairville, N. Y. Children: Westtown, N. Y., Jan. 28, 1880. N. Y., July 13, 1883. N. Y., Oct. 20, 1883; carpenter; 15, 1875, Marietta Stevens of

Irving, Chautauqua co., N. Y. Children:

1. Lottie Clark².
2. Ada Clark².
3. Rosette Clark².
4. Frankie Clark².
5. George Albert Clark².

1688. Della Augusta Clark², b. Pomfret, N. Y., Oct. 10, 1856; d. June 4, 1864.

1689. Cora Hattie Lavina Clark², b. Pomfret, N. Y., June 23, 1860; m. June 16, 1877, Nelson A. Allen of Orlakany Falls, Oneida co., N. Y.; res. Utica, N. Y.; farmer. Children:
1. Theresa Octavia Allen², b. May 26, 1878, Sinclairville, N. Y.
2. James Merritt Allen², b. Nov. 11, 1879, Sinclairville, N. Y.

1690. Ann Burlingame Sinclair⁷ [973] (John⁶, Maj. Samuel⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John³, John¹). She was born March 30, 1822, in Eaton, N. Y.; married in Gerry, N. Y., Nov. 8, 1842, Orsamus Alexander White. Was a carpenter and builder; resides in Gerry. She died Dec. 4, 1854, and is buried at Sinclairville, N. Y. After her death he removed to Norwalk, Ohio. He married 2d Mrs. Jennette Price Conklin of Wasco, N. Y., and had a daughter, Mary E. White, who married Dr. Allen Stevens, and resides in Sinclairville, N. Y.

CHILDREN.

1691. Francella White², b. March 27, 1848, Gerry, N. Y.; res. Norwalk, Ohio.

1692. Laura Aurelia White², b. Sinclairville, N. Y., March 10, 1850; m. Rev. Myron W. Hunt. They went as missionaries to Pekin, China. They returned and he d. in 1883, leaving four children. She m. 2d, September, 1888, Lorenzeller R. Herrick; res. Cleveland, Ohio. Children by 1st marriage:

1. Myron Winslow Hunt, Jr.².
2. Orsamus White Hunt²; d. young.
3. Jesse Edwards Hunt².
4. Mary Francella Hunt².

1693. Amos Simmons Barrows⁷ [976] (Sally Sinclair⁶, Maj. Samuel⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John³, John¹). His date of birth was Oct. 6, 1815; married Mary Ann Bailey. They resided in Warren, Penn., then in Hastings, Minn., and he died at LaCrosse, Wis. She died at Rock Island, Ill.

CHILDREN.

1694. Hattie A. Barrows²; m. Peter Smitz; res. St. Paul, Minn.

1695. Francis M. Barrows².

1696. Josephine L. Barrows².

1697. William Barrows².

1698. Helen Barrows².

1699. Dora Barrows².

1700. Sally Barrows⁷ [977] (Sally Sinclair⁶, Maj. Samuel⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁴, John³, John¹). She was born Nov. 7, 1818; married Simeon G. Stevens of Glen Falls, N. Y. They resided in War-

ren, Penn. He was a hardware merchant, and is deceased. He was born June 25, 1795; died Nov. 29, 1874. She married 2d Matthew Goodwin of Glade, Warren, co., Penn., who is dead. She resides in Warren, Penn.

CHILDREN BY FIRST MARRIAGE.

1701. George H. Stevens⁸, b. June 14, 1834. Enlisted in the Union army and never heard from afterward.
1702. Jane Elizabeth Stevens⁸, b. Feb. 1, 1837; m. William Gulgnon, and res. Stoneham, Warren co., Penn. Children:
1. Edith L. Gulgnon⁹; m. Calvin Tucker, and is d. Child:
 1. Blanche B. Tucker¹⁰.
 2. Charles Walter Gulgnon⁹; m. Rowena Qungles. Child:
 1. Charles Leroy Gulgnon¹⁰.
 3. Eugene Hanaford Gulgnon⁹; res. Stoneham, Penn.
 4. Fred Gulgnon⁹; is d.
 5. Gladys Gulgnon⁹; is d.
 6. Simeon G. Gulgnon⁹; is d.
 7. Jennie Gulgnon⁹; is d.
 8. May Gulgnon⁹; res. Stoneham, Penn.
 9. Joseph Gulgnon⁹; res. Stoneham, Penn.
 10. Nettie Gulgnon⁹.
 11. Belle Gulgnon⁹.
1703. Mary Eliza Stevens⁸, b. March 30, 1839; m. Nov. 2, 1858, James Clark. He was b. Dec. 23, 1831, in Alvie, Scotland; res. Warren, Penn. Children b. Warren, Penn.
1. George Lewis Clark⁹, b. April 29, 1859; m. Sadie Wilson of Garland, Penn.; res. Warren, Penn.
 2. Jessie Isabel Clark⁹, b. Sept. 7, 1860; m. Russell Johnson; res. Russell, Penn. Child:
 1. Ray C. Johnson¹⁰.
 3. Lucy A. Clark⁹, b. Sept. 27, 1862; m. John W. Richards; res. Warren, Penn.
 4. Edward A. Clark⁹, b. Dec. 11, 1863; m. Addie Horrigan; res. Warren, Penn.
 5. Fred C. Clark⁹, b. Aug. 29, 1868; res. Warren, Penn.
 6. Annie May Clark⁹, b. May 18, 1873.
 7. Archie J. Clark⁹, b. June 2, 1875.
 8. Ethel Ellouise Clark⁹, b. April 30, 1877.
1704. William B. Stevens⁸, b. April 10, 1841; d. Jan. 5, 1843.
1705. William B. Stevens, 2d⁸, b. Feb. 26, 1845; single; res. Warren, Penn.
1706. Ida L. Stevens⁸, b. April 17, 1847; d. June 24, 1849.
1707. Ida L. Stevens, 2d⁸, b. April 17, 1857; m. John Monroe; res. Jamestown, N. Y. Child:
1. Bertie L. Monroe⁹.
1708. Henry G. Stevens⁸, b. March 22, 1853; m. Alice Newbury; res. Saybrook, Warren co., Penn. Child:
1. Henry Glen Stevens⁹.

1709. Sophia Sinclair⁷ [986] (Samuel⁸, Maj. Samuel⁸, Col. Richard⁸, Samuel⁸, John⁸, John⁸). She was born in Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Sept. 6, 1820; married Jan. 17, 1839, Charles P. Ward (son of Whiam and grandson of Hon. William Ward), who was born June 27, 1813, in East Poultney, Vt. They resided in Gerry, N. Y., until Oct. 17, 1843, when they removed to his native place. He was a merchant in Gerry, and a farmer in East Poultney, where he died Nov. 29, 1872. Mrs. Ward still lives in that town.

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SOPHIA (SINCLAIR) WARD.



NANCY (SINCLAIR) COBB.



ELISHA WARD SINCLAIR.



MAJOR SINCLAIR.



SAMUEL SINCLAIR.



FANNY (SINCLAIR) COBB.



MAJOR SINCLAIR.

CHILDREN.

1710. Helen Sophia Ward^a, b. Gerry, N. Y., June 5, 1841; m. Sept. 21, 1861, William Webster Hosford. He was a machinist and res. in New Britain, Conn., from 1863 to 1875, and d. there Nov. 5, of that year, when Mrs. Hosford returned to her home in East Poultney, Vt., where she d. Dec. 12, 1880. Children:
1. Herman Ward Hosford^a, b. East Poultney, Vt., Dec. 27, 1862; bookkeeper, and res. in his native town.
 2. Charles Winthrop Hosford^a, b. New Britain, Conn., May 22, 1864; artist; res. West Rutland, Vt.
 3. Mary Helen Hosford^a, b. New Britain, Conn., Dec. 12, 1869; teacher.
 4. Fred Sinclair Hosford^a, b. New Britain, Conn., Oct. 6, 1872; res. Poultney, Vt.
1711. William Sinclair Ward^a, b. East Poultney, Vt., Sept. 9, 1849; res. Poultney, Vt. He m. Jan. 1, 1883, Phoebe E. Brayton of Hartford, N. Y. He is a farmer and teacher. Children b. East Poultney, Vt.:
1. Charles Brayton Ward^a, b. May 5, 1885.
 2. Martha Eliza Ward^a, b. March 3, 1888.
1712. Charles Winfield Ward^a, b. East Poultney, Vt., July 30, 1852; d. June 4, 1883.
1713. Martha Llewellyn Ward^a, b. East Poultney, Vt., July 8, 1855; m. Oct. 29, 1894, Dexter Dana Day. He is a farmer, and lives in Ira, Vt. Children:
1. Helen Sophia Day^a, b. Oct. 24, 1886.
 2. Andrew Ward Day^a, b. Nov. 30, 1888.
1714. Arthur Baldwin Ward^a, b. East Poultney, Vt., July 17, 1858; m. June 30, 1885, Hattie Julia Frisbee of that town; farmer; res. East Poultney, Vt. Children:
1. Elwyn Frisbee Ward^a, b. April 15, 1886.
 2. William Arthur Ward^a, b. Sept. 25, 1887.

1715. Samuel Sinclair^a [987] (Samuel^a, Maj. Samuel^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). He was born at Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., May 9, 1822. He received a common school education in his native town. He then spent several years in a country store and post office, and taught school one season. In the spring of 1840 and in 1841 he went with his uncle, Mr. Bucklen, with rafts of lumber which were floated with the current, where he gained much knowledge of the lumber trade. In September, 1841, through the influence of his friend, Norman Guernsey, formerly a merchant in Gerry, he was offered and accepted a position in the business department of the New York *Tribune* in New York City, where he remained until the end of 1872, having filled successively the positions of bookkeeper, cashier, and publisher. The latter office he filled for 13 years previous to 1873. To a large extent he was instrumental in building the enormous circulation as well as the large advertising business of that great journal, and to him are the readers of the *Tribune* indebted for the broad columns and large type on which that newspaper is printed. For several years Mr. Sinclair was the largest owner of the *Tribune*. He lived in New York City from September, 1841, to January, 1873, since which time he has resided at Croton-on-Hudson, on the farm which he purchased in

1864. He married Oct. 23, 1848, at Amherst, N. H., Charlotte Ann Perry of Amherst. She was born in Bedford, N. H., and was daughter of Capt. Ebenezer Perry, who was born in Newburyport, Mass., Feb. 28, 1774, and his wife Bridget Reed (Greeley) Perry. Her grandfather was William Perry. Bridget Reed Greeley, her mother, was a sister to the father of Horace Greeley, the great American Journalist.

CHILDREN BORN NEW YORK, N. Y.

1716. Samuel Eric Sinclair², b. Aug. 13, 1840; m. Oct. 23, 1871, Miss Towle.

1717. Kate Eloise Sinclair², b. Nov. 6, 1851; m. June 19, 1875, William Forse Scott, a lawyer; res. New York City, where she d. Nov. 26, 1881.

1718. Mary Franklin Sinclair², b. March 9, 1857; music teacher; res. New York City.

1719. Nancy Sinclair² [983] (Samuel², Maj. Samuel², Col. Richard², Samuel², John², John¹). She was born in Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Oct. 22, 1828, and married May 2, 1847, Isaiah Cobb of Gerry, where he was born March 17, 1824. They resided in that place, and in Ridgeway, Elk co., Penn., and in Johnsonburg, Penn. He has served as overseer of the poor, and as supervisor in Ridgeway. She died May 14, 1887. He still lives.

CHILD.

1720. Adaline Sophia Cobb², b. Jan. 4, 1849; m. Amos B. Wheeler, who was b. in Berlin, N. H., Jan. 5, 1838. He is a lumber merchant; res. Johnsonburg, Penn.

1721. Major Sinclair² [990] (Samuel², Maj. Samuel², Col. Richard², Samuel², John², John¹). He was born in Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Oct. 6, 1831, and lives in his native town. He is a successful farmer and dairyman, owning and living upon the homestead in Gerry. Has served his town as collector of taxes and road commissioner. He married Jan. 1, 1850, Amanda Garrett, daughter of Florence and Polly (Mattox) Moore of Gerry, N. Y. She was born at Attica, Genesee co., N. Y., Aug. 29, 1829.

CHILDREN BORN GERRY, N. Y.

1722. Martha Nancy Sinclair², b. July 15, 1854; res. Gerry, N. Y.

1723. Infant dau.², b. July 2, 1859; d. Oct. 23, 1859.

1724. Elisha Ward Sinclair² [991] (Samuel², Maj. Samuel², Col. Richard², Samuel², John², John¹). His birthplace was Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., and the date was April 19, 1833. He resided in Poultney, Vt. He was a popular and successful photographer and artist, and accompanied the Union army in the southern states during the Rebellion, and took many views. After the cruel war was o'er he was for several years in the office of the New York *Tribune*.

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1732] MARTHA MELISSA SINCLAIR, OF TIONESTA, PENN. 289

Was then appointed Inspector of Customs in the Custom House in New York. During the years he occupied that position his home was in Westfield, N. J. He became a farmer, living in Ionla, Pettis co., Mo., and in Sedalia, Mo. Then failing health compelled him to move to the high altitude of Colorado, and there he resided in 1889, in feeble health, in the town of Longmont, Col. He married Sept. 25, 1851, in East Poultney, Vt., Anna A. Pattee. He married 2d Mattie Geary of Easton, Penn.

CHILDREN.

1725. Ida Sinclair⁴, b. in East Poultney, Vt., August, 1852.
1726. Edna Sinclair⁴, b. East Poultney, Vt., 1854; m. Mr. Richards; res. Poultney, Vt.
1727. Orlinda Sinclair⁴, b. Sedalia, Mo.; d. when young.
1728. Orlinda Sinclair⁴, b. Sedalia, Mo.; res. with her parents.

1729. Martha Melissa Sinclair⁷ [992] (Samuel⁵, Maj. Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel², John², John¹). She was born in Gerry, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Nov. 16, 1836; married Nov. 22, 1858, Theodore Barrett Cobb (son of John, born May 3, 1815, in Bakersfield, Vt., and his wife, Elsie Jemette (Pierce) Cobb, and grandson of Isaac Cobb, born on shipboard at Cape Cod, Mass. The wife of the latter was Dolly Knowles). Mr. Cobb was born in Gerry, Nov. 1, 1838, but was taken when two years of age to Ridgeway, Penn., where he lived for 26 years. They resided after their marriage in Sheffield, Penn. He is in the lumber business, and for 20 years has lived at his present home, Tionesta, Forest co., Penn.

CHILDREN.

1730. Kate Eloise Cobb⁵, b. Beech Bottom, Elk co., Penn., Nov. 26, 1860; m. Nov. 28, 1883, Dr. Thomas DeWitt Dunn, b. Jan. 30, 1855, and res. in West Chester, Chester co., Penn. Child:
1. Rachel Melissa Dunn⁵, b. West Chester, Penn., April 4, 1885.
1731. John Sinclair Cobb⁵, b. Tionesta, Forest co., Penn., July 18, 1870; d. April 30, 1872.

1732. Samuel Edsall Sinclair⁷ [1002] (Joseph⁶, Maj. Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel², John², John¹). Hon. Samuel Edsall Sinclair was born in Fort Wayne, Ind., July 11, 1840. He studied law with his uncle, Hon. Obed Edson, at Sinclairville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., and graduated at the law school at Albany of the same state, with the highest honors, and was admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of New York. He returned to his native city and eagerly engaged in professional duties. In 1868 he was deputy state's attorney, in 1872 he was nominated and elected Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Allen and Huntington counties. In 1882 he was elected a member of the legislature and was a candidate for mayor of his city in 1885. He was firm in his convictions, unbending in purpose, brave, yet just. With the sorrowing, the stricken,

or helpless, he was gentle as a woman, and generous as gentle. He was true to his friends, and no day was too long or night too dark for him to serve them. He was a public spirited citizen, with a large, warm heart. He died March 23, 1887.

1733. George Sinclair⁷ [1009] (George Washington⁶, Maj. Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Sinclairville, N. Y., June 2, 1841, and lived there and in the neighboring town of Gerry. Was a valiant soldier in the late war, being a member of the 112th regiment, New York Volunteers. He served during the war and was in some of the most desperate actions and charges. Was at Cold Harbor, both attacks on Fort Fisher, and front of Petersburg, Va. He married in 1862, Roxa Wright of Gerry, N. Y. After the war he removed to Luddington, Mason co., Mich., where he still lives. Is a farmer.

CHILDREN.

1734. Leroy Sinclair⁸, b. July 16, 1866; res. Luddington, Mich.
 1735. Maud E. Sinclair⁸, b. Dec. 5, 1868; m. Dec. 25, 1886, Thomas Southwell.
 1736. Lottie Sinclair⁸, b. June 9, 1874; res. Luddington, Mich.
 1737. Walter Sinclair⁸, b. Feb. 18, 1877.
 1738. Allee Sinclair⁸, b. May 9, 1883.

1739. Mary Ann Sinclair⁷ [1010] (George Washington⁶, Maj. Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). She was born in Sinclairville, N. Y., Aug. 20, 1849; married in 1866, George S. Wheeler, who was born in Gerry, N. Y., and was a sharpshooter during the Rebellion. Resided in Gerry. She died Oct. 21, 1882.

CHILDREN BORN GERRY, N. Y.

1740. Harry Wheeler⁸, b. Aug. 14, 1880.
 1741. Mary Ann Wheeler⁸, b. Oct. 1, 1882.

1742. Charles Sinclair Parker⁷ [1012] (Orlinda Sinclair⁶, Maj. Samuel⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Mayville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Dec. 22, 1836; died at Panama, N. Y., Sept. 1, 1866, aged 29 yrs. 8 mos. 7 days. He was buried in the Ashville cemetery, a few feet distant from and west of his mother's grave, and above him is a monument with a proper inscription thereon. Until 21 his life was spent at home, at school, and work. Three years were then spent in the West, a portion of the time as clerk on a steamer on the Mississippi river. In the summer of 1859, in New York City, he enlisted into the 4th U. S. infantry. This force occupied a post on the Columbia river in Oregon, until 1861, in the summer it was summoned to Washington and united with the Army of the Potomac, where he served till the close of the war. He was transferred into the volunteer force and received a captain's commission in the 20th regiment, New York state militia. While the army was lying at City Point he was detailed to command

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one of the government steamers running from City Point to Wash- ington, D. C. At the close of the war he was made provost mar- shal on General Terry's staff. While in the discharge of his duties he received a severe injury to his lungs by the running away of his horse, from which he never recovered. He was discharged and returned to his father's home in New York, where he died of con- sumption. He loved military life, and endured great privations and suffering that the nation might live. He was never married.

1743. Albert Henry Parker⁷ [1013] (Orlinda Sinclair⁶, Maj. Samuel⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁶, John², John¹). He was born in Mayville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., April 24, 1838. After the usual schooling he was a clerk in mercantile business, then he went to Texas, where he was living when the war broke forth. He was com- pelled to leave the country, or engage in the Rebellion. He chose the latter and became quartermaster in a regiment of cavalry that did service under General Price in different parts of the South. He became a captain. When the Rebellion was over he went to St. Louis, Mo., and was a commercial traveler in the South. At this period the Ku Klux Klan existed in all those portions, committing fearful depredations and murders. In Arkansas he engaged as a detective with orders from Gov. Powell Clayton. He cornered a gang of these criminals, when to save themselves they foully assassi- nated him. Two of the criminals made a full confession, three others were subjected to a mock trial, and were acquitted by a jury in sympathy with the murderers. He was killed at Seavy, White co., Arkansas, in August or September, 1866, and his body rests in Southern soil.*

1744. David Bigelow Parker⁷ [1015] (Orlinda Sinclair⁶, Maj. Samuel⁶, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁶, John², John¹). He was born in Ashville, Chautauqua co., N. Y., Dec. 25, 1842. Till the breaking out of the great Rebellion his life was mostly spent in attending school at home. He enlisted for three years in April, 1861, in com- pany D, 72d New York Volunteers. In the autumn was detailed as clerk and had charge of the mails of the regiment. Having devised an excellent plan for army postal service he was assigned to the superin- tendency of the mails of the brigade, then the division, then the corps, then to the center grand division of the army, and then to the headquarters of the Army of the Potomac in the winter of 1862-63. Was then commissioned 2d lieutenant at the request of Gen. Jo. Hooker, in the 72d regiment, New York Volunteers, and assigned to duty as A. D. C. and superintendent of the mails for the Army of the Potomac. At the expiration of his enlistment in 1864 he was commissioned captain in the 120th New York Volunteers. Was

* He was decoyed to a sulphur spring in the suburbs of the place by six of the Klan and was shot through the head, and his body cast into a well, where it remained several weeks before being discovered. It was taken out and buried by the Masonic order, of which he was a member. Gov- ernor Clayton, in correspondence, said of this case, "at this time White county was under the rule of the Ku Klux."

then, on June 11, 1864, appointed by Postmaster-General Montgomery Blair a special agent of the post office department. Mr. Blair made this appointment on an order from Abraham Lincoln, written on the back of a telegram from Gen. U. S. Grant requesting it. A detail was ordered to report to him, and Mr. Parker was to continue as superintendent of mails for the armies operating against Richmond. He continued in this capacity till the close of the war, when he reorganized the mail service in Virginia. In March, 1869, President Grant appointed him U. S. Marshal for Virginia. This he resigned in 1874, and became chief post office inspector, which office he held until June, 1883, when he resigned. He was appointed postmaster at Washington by President Arthur, which he declined in order to accept a lucrative place in the Bell Telephone Co. Was superintendent at Boston, Mass., three years, and later a director in each of the seven telephone companies doing business in New York. He is president of the New York Heating Co., and is connected with other corporations. He resides on a farm of 850 acres in Cold Spring, Cattaraugus co., N. Y., P. O. Randolph, N. Y. He married Dec. 23, 1867, Victoria Anna Howe, born Towanda, Cattaraugus co., N. Y., May 15, 1847, daughter of Hon. Chester and Matilda Elizabeth (Torrance) Howe. Her grandfather was Jaazaniah Howe of Rutland, Vt.

CHILDREN.

- 1745. Sinclair Parker^s, b. Richmond, Va., Dec. 1, 1868; res. Randolph, N. Y.
- 1746. Victoria Ann Parker^s, b. Richmond, Va., June 3, 1870; res. Randolph, N. Y.
- 1747. Torrance Parker^s, b. Richmond, Va., April 22, 1872; res. Randolph, N. Y.

1748. Franklin St. Clair^r [1024] (Joshua^s, John^s, Col. Richard^s, Samuel^s, John^s, John^s). He was born in Ohio, April 15, 1824; married Sarah Ann Casper. Was employed upon a canal, and died at Seven Mile Creek, Juneau co., Wis., April 21, 1877. Mrs. St. Clair died at the same place, date unknown.

CHILDREN.

- 1749. George Henry St. Clair^s; farmer; res. Wonewoc, Juneau co., Wis.
- 1750. Albert Monroe St. Clair^s; farmer; res. Elroy, Juneau co., Wis.
- 1751. Franklin St. Clair^s; farmer; res. Wonewoc, Juneau co., Wis.
- 1752. Ellen Angeline St. Clair^s; is deceased.
- 1753. Mary Ann St. Clair^s; is deceased.
- 1754. Amanda St. Clair^s; is deceased.
- 1755. Irena Jane St. Clair^s; m. Edward Becker; res. Wausau, Wis.
- 1756. Rhoda Ann St. Clair^s; m. July 4, 1861, Dennis Curtis; farmer.

Children:

- 1. Frances Curtis^s.
- 2. Milo Curtis^s.
- 3. Jasper Curtis^s.
- 4. Addie Bell Curtis^s.

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CHARLES LAFAYETTE ST CLAIR.
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She m. 2d, Oct. 30, 1874, George McCollom; travelling salesman; res. Mauston, Juneau co., Wis. Children:

1. William McCollom⁹.
2. Emma McCollom⁹.
3. George McCollom⁹.
4. Mildred McCollom⁹.

1757. Olivia Cordelia St. Clair⁷ [1025] (Joshua⁶, John⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). She was born at Hamburg, Ashtabula co., Ohio, Aug. 1, 1827. She married Dec. 26, 1847, John Coleman, who was born May 16, 1825. They reside at Seven Mile Creek, Juneau co., Wis.

CHILDREN.

1758. Lucy Coleman⁸, b. Hortonville, Dodge co., Wis., Oct. 23, 1848; d. May 13, 1852.
1759. Emmaline Coleman⁸, b. Hortonville, Wis., Aug. 29, 1850; d. May 13, 1852.
1760. William Coleman⁸, b. Hortonville, Wis., Oct. 12, 1853; d. March 4, 1855.
1761. Charlotte Edith Coleman⁸, b. Wisconsin, Dec. 5, 1855; m. June 16, 1873, Martin Curran, and res. in Dakota.
1762. Henrietta Coleman⁸, b. Summit, Wis., June 28, 1858; d. May 1, 1860.
1763. John Wesley Coleman⁸, b. April 21, 1863, at Seven Mile Creek, Wis.; m. May 30, 1886, Amanda Huntley; res. Baraboo, Sauk co., Wis.
1764. Samuel Joshua Coleman⁸, b. Seven Mile Creek, Wis., July 1, 1866; m. May 26, 1886, Libbie Jane Fisher; res. Seven Mile Creek, Wis.
1765. Phinette Coleman⁸, b. Lemonweir, Juneau co., Wis., July 15, 1869; m. March 21, 1888, Elmer Driscoll; res. Seven Mile Creek, Wis.
1766. Maurice Coleman⁸, b. Lemewood, Portage co., Wis., Oct. 5, 1872; d. March 19, 1873.

1767. Charles LaFayette St. Clair⁷ [1027] (Joshua⁶, John⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born April 1, 1833, at Rockdale, Oxford co., Penn.; married Dec. 25, 1860, Caroline Matilda Dana. She was born Dec. 26, 1842. P. O. Mauston, Juneau co., Wis. Has resided at Summit, Juneau co., Wis. He has lived in Winfield, Sauk co., Seven Mile Creek, Juneau co., then in town of Lemonweir, and in 1873 moved again to Seven Mile Creek, Wis., where he now lives. Is a Democrat, and he and his wife are members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

CHILDREN.

1768. Orlando Adelphur St. Clair⁸, b. Winfield, Sauk co., Wis., Sept. 1, 1862; m. Aug. 8, 1886, Ida May; merchant.
1769. Flora Bell St. Clair⁸, b. Seven Mile Creek, Juneau co., Wis., April 8, 1864; m. Nov. 18, 1884, Samuel Casper. She d. March 4, 1886.
1770. Ida May St. Clair⁸, b. Summit, Wis., April 27, 1866; m. April 29, 1886, Herbert Marvin Coleman.
1771. Carrie Emma St. Clair⁸, b. Lemonweir, Juneau co., Wis., Sept. 29, 1868, Frank Leslie Coleman.
1772. Sarah Margaret St. Clair⁸, b. July 27, 1872, Lemonweir, Juneau co., Wis.

1773. Wellman Arthur St. Clair^a, b. Seven Mile Creek, Wis., n. 18, 1874; d. Jan. 22, 1874.

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1775. { Gertie Effie St. Clair^a, b. Feb. 21, 1876, Seven Mile Creek, Wis.

1776. Ritmond Charles St. Clair^a, b. Feb. 25, 1880, Seven Mile Creek, Wis.

1777. Edna Laura St. Clair^a, b. Jan. 25, 1883, Seven Mile Creek, Wis.

1778. Melinda Florilla St. Clair^r [1028] (Joshua^a, John^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). She was born in Rockdale, Oxford co., Penn., Aug. 26, 1835; married Oct. 3, 1861, George Robert Curtis. He was an artist. He enlisted in the Union army during the Rebellion, and died in the service. They resided at Summit, Wis. She married 2d David Justice Miller, a farmer. They live at Maunston, Wis.

CHILDREN BORN SUMMIT, JUNEAU, CO., WIS.

1779. Harvey Miller^a, b. Nov. 28, 1867; d. Feb. 18, 1884.

1780. Florence Estelle Miller^a, b. Sept. 2, 1869; d. at Maunston, Wis., Feb. 14, 1889.

1781. Samuel Joshua Miller^a, b. June 1, 1872.

1782. Clarence Miller^a, b. Sept. 15, 1876; d. Feb. 17, 1877, at Summit, Wis.

1783. John Wesley St. Clair^r [1029] (Joshua^a, John^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). He was born in Rockdale, Oxford co., Penn., May 17, 1837; married April 4, 1865, Mary Ann, daughter of Arza and Matilda (Stevens) Judd. She was born in Canada in 1847. Mr. St. Clair was a carpenter; resided at Seven Mile Creek, Wis., where he died Sept. 1, 1882. She married 2d, Dec. 3, 1882, Thaddeus Martin; resides Reedsburgh, Sauk co., Wis.

CHILDREN.

1784. Milton St. Clair^a, b. April 9, 1867; res. Corvallis, Missoula co., Mont.

1785. Leslie St. Clair^a, b. Jan. 5, 1869; res. Reedsburgh, Wis.

1786. Edellie St. Clair^a, b. Sept. 28, 1871; m. July 11, 1887, Amberry Coleman; farmer; res. Mira Creek, Valley co., Neb.

1787. Lennie St. Clair^a, b. Aug. 28, 1874; res. Reedsburgh, Sauk co., Wis.

1788. Lettie St. Clair^a, b. Oct. 17, 1876; res. Reedsburgh, Sauk co., Wis.

1789. Joseph W. Sinclair^r [1033] (Joseph^a, Joseph^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). He was born May, 1820. Was a farmer, lived and died in Madison, Madison co., Ohio. He married his cousin Lydia, daughter of J. and H. Dane of Derby, Vt., who died in Painesville, Ohio, April 1, 1858, aged 25 yrs. 1 mo. 14 days, and left one child. He married 2d Harriet A. Waterman of Painesville, Ohio, formerly of New Hampshire. He died Aug. 8, 1876, aged 56 yrs. 3 mos. Mrs. Sinclair on the 8th day of August, 1878, then a resident of Lebanon, N. H., was appointed by the Probate Court of Grafton co., N. H., guardian of her children. It was not possible to ascertain the present residence of Mrs. Sinclair or her children.

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1790. Jennie Sinclair⁶ (by 1st marriage); d. young.
1791. Jennie A. Sinclair⁶; was over 14 years of age on Aug. 8, 1878.
1792. Lydia M. Sinclair⁶.
1793. Joseph W. Sinclair⁶; under 14 years Aug. 8, 1878.
1794. Thomas S. Sinclair⁶.

1795. Susan Almira Sinclair⁷ [1036] (Greenleaf C.⁶, Joseph⁶,
Col. Richard⁶, Samuel⁶, John⁶, John⁶). She was born Jan. 20, 1823,
in Derby, Vt. She married Aug. 30, 1841, Orrin Harper, son of
John A. Harper of Perry, Ohio. He was born Dec. 14, 1812, and
died in Perry, Ohio, Sept. 14, 1854, aged 41 yrs. 2 mos. 26 days.
He was a mechanic; 4 children. She married 2d, Dec. 17, 1862,
Jonathan Owen of Perry. He was a farmer; was born Aug. 7,
1811, and died Perry, Ohio, Feb. 11, 1882, aged 71 years. She
died April 27, 1877, aged 54 yrs. 3 mos. 27 days.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, OHIO (first marriage).

1796. William Wallace Harper⁶, b. Aug. 19, 1844; soldier in 19th Ohio bat-
tery. He d. at San Diego, Cal., of consumption. He m. April
23, 1867, Amelia Wickin of Cleveland, Ohio; she died. He m.
2d, Dec. 16, 1874, Mary Ingersoll of Cleveland, where she and
the family lived in 1888. Children:
1. Carrie Angle Harper⁶, b. Detroit, Mich., Oct. 20, 1875.
2. Orrin Harper⁶, b. Detroit, Mich.
3. Willie Harper⁶.
1797. John A. Harper⁶, b. Oct. 28, 1846; d. Sept. 14, 1847, aged 11 months.
1798. Sarah Emma Harper⁶, b. Dec. 10, 1848; m. William H. Gaylord.
She res. Geneva, Ashtabula co., Ohio. No children.
1799. John A. Harper⁶, b. March 24, 1854; m. Nov. 19, 1874, Augusta
Bennett, dau. of Zora P. Bennett of Perry, Ohio; she was b.
there May 17, 1854. Hotel and livery keeper at Perry, Ohio.
Children:
1. Rice Harper⁶, b. March 30, 1878, at Perry, Ohio.
2. Nora Harper⁶, b. Ashland, Neb., Sept. 8, 1880.
3. Zora Harper⁶, b. Perry, Ohio, Sept. 2, 1883.

1800. Richard Baxter Sinclair⁷ [1037] (Greenleaf Cilley⁶, Joseph⁶,
Col. Richard⁶, Samuel⁶, John⁶, John⁶). His date of birth was May
24, 1824, at Danville, Vt. Went to Perry with his parents when
young, and his home was ever after in that place. He was a produce
dealer, of the firm of Thompson & Sinclair. In politics a Republi-
can; attended the Baptist church and was an honest, upright man;
of medium height, heavily built, dark hair, gray eyes, and fair com-
plexion. He died Feb. 8, 1870. He married Celestia Brown,
daughter of William Brown of Montville, Geauga co., Ohio. She
was born there Dec. 22, 1828. She married 2d Daniel Tucker of
Huntsburgh, Ohio, where she lives.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1801. George Sinclair⁶, b. April 18, 1851; m. Feb. 6, 1873, Jennie Forrest
of New Line, Ashtabula co., Ohio. He is owner and operator of
lumber manufactory at Hudsonville, Ottawa co., Mich. Child:
1. Theodore⁶, b. Jefferson, Ohio.

1802. Eva Ida Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 14, 1853; m. Dec. 24, 1874, Garrett E. Lockwood of Perry, Ohio. He was b. Sept. 1, 1850, in Perry, Ohio. He is a farmer; res. Perry, Ohio. Children b. Perry, Lake co., Ohio:
1. Wade Sinclair Lockwood^a, b. Aug. 4, 1875.
 2. Rex Baxter Lockwood^a, b. Sept. 3, 1877.
 3. Vaughn Batchelder Lockwood^a, b. Nov. 23, 1881.
 4. Bernice Maud Lockwood^a, b. May 12, 1884.
 5. Ira George Lockwood^a, b. Feb. 23, 1888.
1803. Lavina Sinclair^a, b. May 9, 1860; d. young.
1804. Alma Sinclair^a, b. March 11, 1863; m. Feb. 21, 1884, Joseph Hommel of Menton, Ohio. He was b. in Tiffin, Ohio, Feb. 14, 1863. Is a station agent at Exeter, Fillmore co., Neb. Children:
1. Allie Hommel^a, b. Perry, Ohio, June, 1885.
 2. Paul Baxter Hommel^a, b. 1888, Exeter, Neb.
1805. Susan Mary Sinclair^a, b. Feb. 3, 1865; m. Edward Tucker; res. Huntsburg, Ohio. No children.

1806. David Batchelder Sinclair^a [1038] (Greenleaf Cilley^a, Joseph^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). He was born in Danville, Vt., Dec. 16, 1827. Was taken to Perry, Ohio, by his parents when a child of five years, arriving there in December, 1832. He is a carpenter and builder; was for several years a general produce dealer, buying large quantities of farm products for the city markets. He was a sergeant in the 14th Ohio battery. Was mustered into service Aug. 20, 1861, for the term of three years. Was in the battle of Shiloh, and several skirmishes. Was prostrated while in the service with typhoid fever and inflammatory rheumatism, and was discharged Sept. 12, 1862. Is an ardent Republican in politics. He married Feb. 23, 1868, Sarah Frances Wyman, daughter of Don and Mary (Parker) Wyman of Perry, Ohio. She was born in Madison, Ohio, June 25, 1835. He resides Perry, Ohio.

CHILD BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1807. Mary Wyman Sinclair^a, b. Nov. 30, 1868.

1808. Eliza Millicent Sinclair^a [1039] (Greenleaf Cilley^a, Joseph^a, Col. Richard^a, Samuel^a, John^a, John^a). She was born in Danville, Vt., Oct. 11, 1830. Came to Perry, Ohio, where she married July 3, 1853, Theodore Beebe Wire of Middlesex county, N. Y., son of Samuel and Abigail (Sherman) Wire of Connecticut. He was born April 24, 1826; resides Perry, Ohio. By occupation a miller. He is a soldier of two wars. Was in the war with Mexico, a member of the 1st Pennsylvania Volunteers, and was a private in the 177th regiment of Ohio Volunteers. Was promoted to 1st lieutenant of company I. His wife died Nov. 6, 1882.

CHILD BORN PERRY, OHIO.

1809. Allie Wire^a, b. May 29, 1854; m. William Wallace Barnes of Austenburg, Ashtabula co., Ohio. He is a merchant; res. Chamberlain, Dak.

Dec. 24, 1874, Garrett E.
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1810. Joseph Franklin Sinclair⁷ [1040] (Greenleaf Cilley⁶, Joseph⁵,
Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Perry, Ohio,
April 5, 1837. Has always resided in his native town. Was a sol-
dier in the late war, going early into service. Was a member of the
14th battery, of the Ohio Volunteer light artillery, and was mustered
into the U. S. service Sept. 10, 1861, and discharged Aug. 20,
1865. Was in many battles, among them Shiloh, Corinth, Miss.,
Resaca, Ga., Dallas, Ga., Burnet Hickory, Ga., Athens, Ala., and
in the fight before Atlanta, Ga., July 22, 1864, when nearly one half
of the men in his portion of the army were lost. Was also in the
fight at Nashville, Tenn. After his discharge he returned to Perry,
where he now lives; farmer. He married Dec. 28, 1867, Stella,
daughter of Jonathan Owen of Perry, Ohio. She was born there
Dec. 28, 1848. No children.

1811. Lucien Charles Sinclair⁷ (1058) Milton⁶, Joseph⁵, Col.
Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Danville, Vt.,
Sept. 22, 1827; has travelled extensively in the southern states; is
a nurseryman and farmer; resides Perry, Lake co., Ohio. Is a
Democrat in politics. He married March 18, 1878, his cousin, Mrs.
Olive Downing (Glines) (Cook) Owens, daughter of Stephen B.
and Sarah (Sinclair) Glines. She married 1st Jahial P. Cook, by
whom she had three children; she married 2d Hiram Owens, by
whom she had one child; she married 3d Mr. Sinclair, no children.

1812. Milton Hugh Sinclair⁷ [1059] (Milton⁶, Joseph⁵, Col.
Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Danville, Vt.,
Dec. 14, 1831; went to Perry, Ohio, and became a resident, remain-
ing until 1888. He was a nurseryman and farmer. In 1888 he
removed to Rosecommon, Rosecommon co., Mich., and is largely
engaged in manufacturing lumber. He married Susan, daughter of
Jonathan Race of Painesville, Ohio.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1813. Hattie Sinclair⁶; m. William Eaton. He is a carpenter. They res-
in Geneva, Ohio. Children:
1. Hugh Eaton⁶,
2. Eugene Eaton⁶.
1814. Edwin Sinclair⁶; m. Beede, daughter of William Stowell of Madison,
Ohio; res. Rosecommon, Mich. Two children.
1815. Grant Sinclair⁶; has been blind since 12 years of age; res. Geneva,
Ohio; single.
1816. Mary Sinclair⁶; single; res. Austenburg, Ashtabula co., Ohio.
1817. Emma Sinclair⁶; single; res. Geneva, Ohio.

1818. Eliza Jane Sinclair⁷ [1061] (Milton⁶, Joseph⁵, Col. Rich-
ard, Samuel³, John², John¹). She was born in Derby, Vt., Sept. 1,
1834; went to Ohio with her parents when very young. She married
Merriam Haines of Perry, Ohio, who died in that place June 22,
1858, aged 37 years; was a farmer and left one child. She married
2d Robert P. Briggs of Painesville, Ohio, where he resided in 1889.
She died there May 16, 1871.

CHILD BY FIRST MARRIAGE.

1819. Jennie Haines^a; d. young.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

1820. George Briggs^a; d. in youth.1821. Frank Briggs^a; m. Miss Foster; is in business; res. Painesville, Ohio.

1822. Corilla Sinclair⁷ [1062] (Milton^a, Joseph^a, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). Perry, Lake co., Ohio, was her birthplace; the date of birth was Aug. 11, 1837. On April 20, 1854, she married Lucius, son of Jesse Green of Madison, Ohio, and they reside in Perry, Ohio. He is a nurseryman and farmer, and was born in Madison, Sept. 7, 1828.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1823. Abbie Greene^a, born Dec. 21, 1857; m. Jan. 31, 1877, Frank Bartholomew, b. in Geneva, Ohio, Dec. 25, 1853; telegraph operator; res. Perry, Ohio. Child:

1. Jerry Bartholomew^a, b. Oct. 24, 1879.

1824. Fred Greene^a, b. Sept. 8, 1864; m. Dec. 15, 1885, Carrie, daughter of Isaac Crawford, of Painesville, Ohio. She was b. in Perry, Ohio, Sept. 28, 1863, and they reside in Perry. He is a nurseryman and farmer. Child:

1. Ethel Greene^a, b. Oct. 14, 1887.

1825. William Wallace Sinclair⁷ [1063] (Milton^a, Joseph^a, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Perry, Lake co., Ohio, in 1840, and resided in Geneva, Ohio. He married Mary Scranton of Painesville, the same state.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1826. George Sinclair^a; is in railroad employ; res. Geneva, Ohio; single.1827. Jennie Sinclair^a; m. Nathaniel Beard of Collingwood, Ohio. Child:1. Pearl Beard^a.1828. Effie Sinclair^a; m. Byron Pierce; res. Geneva, Ohio; he is in railroad employ.1829. Lucius Sinclair^a; is in railroad employ, and resides in Geneva, Ohio.

1830. Henry Sinclair⁷ [1089] (Calvin^a, David^a, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born in Perry, Lake co., Ohio, April 3, 1838. He is a farmer and occupies the homestead in his native town. Was a corporal in the 171st regiment of the National Guards of Ohio, and served 100 days in 1864. He m. Aug. 5, 1868, Mira Bell Owen, daughter of Jonathan and Susan J. (Hawkins) Owen of Perry, Ohio. She was born there Feb. 15, 1845.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1831. Fannie Sinclair^a, b. May 5, 1873.1832. Charles A. Sinclair^a, b. Jan. 25, 1876.1833. Allee Emma Sinclair^a, b. Dec. 8, 1878.1834. Henry Sinclair, Jr.^a, b. July 13, 1888.

GENEVA, OHIO. [1819

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1845] ARVILLA HELEN SINCLAIR, OF KANSAS CITY, MO. 299

1835. Mary Jane Sinclair⁷ [1091] (Calvin⁶, David⁶, Col. Richard⁴,
Samuel⁶, John², John¹). She was born in Perry, Ohio, Jan. 2, 1845;
married Jan. 8, 1863, Samuel L. Lapham of Perry, Ohio, where he
was born Aug. 7, 1838. He removed to Madison, Ohio, and she
died there Nov. 2, 1886, aged 41 yrs. 10 mos.

CHILDREN BORN PERRY, LAKE CO., OHIO.

1836. Henry Lapham⁶, b. Dec. 28, 1867; res. Madison, Ohio.
1837. Noah Lapham⁶, b. Oct. 17, 1871.
1838. Marion Wood Lapham⁶, b. Oct. 22, 1873.
1839. Gertie Lapham⁶, b. June 19, 1879.

1840. Emma E. Sinclair⁷ [1093] (Calvin⁶, David⁶, Col. Richard⁴,
Samuel⁶, John², John¹). She was born in Perry, Ohio, Feb. 28,
1851; married Dec. 9, 1868, Burgess, son of Alderman B. and —
(Sweet) Herrick of Mentor, Ohio, born there Nov. 7, 1837. Is a
carpenter. He was during the slaveholders' Rebellion a soldier in the
11th Ohio battery, serving three years. He escaped without a
wound, but lost his health in the service. Resides in Perry, Ohio.

CHILD BORN PERRY, OHIO.

1841. Nellie Sinclair Herrick⁶, b. Oct. 21, 1877.

1842. Arvilla Helen Sinclair⁶ [1120] (Simeon Pease⁷, Nathaniel⁶,
Benjamin⁶, Thomas⁶, Joseph⁶, James², John¹). She was born in
Hardwick, Vt., Aug. 23, 1826; married Feb. 14, 1848, Charles
Smith Dana, born in Danville, Vt., Nov. 18, 1815, and son of Hon.
Israel Putnam Dana. He was graduated at Dartmouth college in
1837. Was admitted to the bar, practiced his profession, and was in
business in Danville for several years. He was afterwards a resi-
dent in St. Johnsbury, was judge of probate eight years, and col-
lector of internal revenue. Went to Kansas City, Mo., in 1883,
where he died April 29, 1888. She still lives with her son in that
city.

CHILDREN BORN DANVILLE, VT.

1843. Israel Putnam Dana⁶, b. Aug. 12, 1849. Graduated at Harvard col-
lege, 1871; admitted to the bar in 1881. Was a teacher from
1871 to '81. Located in Kansas City, Mo., in 1881, and is an
attorney at law.
1844. Sarah Sophia Dana⁶, b. June 23, 1851; m. Aug. 23, 1883, Chester
Loomis. She was a successful teacher before marriage at Syra-
cuse, N. Y. Mr. Loomis is an artist, and a native of Syracuse;
has lived in Paris, France; res. in Englewood, N. J., with his
studio in N. Y. City. Child:
1. Winchester Dana Loomis⁶, b. Paris, France, Dec. 11, 1884.
1845. Abbie Helen Dana⁶, b. Dec. 1, 1856. Graduated at Vassar college
in 1887. Was a teacher at Albany, N. Y., and Alleghany City,
Penn. She m. Feb. 14, 1898, John A. Loomis. He is a rancher,
and they res. at Palmt Rock, Concho co., Texas, where he and his
brother Chester own property.

1846. Allen G. Sinclair^a [1127] (Nathaniel, Jr.¹, Nathaniel², Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John⁷). He was born in Hardwick, Vt., March 25, 1825; married at Springfield, Mass., Jan. 1, 1849, Mary A. Hosmer, who died at New York City, Oct. 17, 1887.

CHILDREN BORN SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

1847. Ada M. Sinclair^a, b. May 27, 1852; d. at Sandy Hook, N. J., Sept. 19, 1888.

1848. Henry A. Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 13, 1856; m. at Brooklyn, N. Y., May 10, 1882.

1849. Adams O. Sinclair^a [1128] (Nathaniel, Jr.¹, Nathaniel², Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John⁷). He was born Hardwick, Vt., Aug. 13, 1826; married at Canton, Mass., Jan. 2, 1849, Harriet L. Pettengill, who was born at Canton June 20, 1826.

CHILD BORN CANTON, MASS.

1850. Frederick O. Sinclair^a (1947), b. June 18, 1856; res. Springfield, Mass.

1851. Sarah E. Sinclair^a [1129] (Nathaniel, Jr.¹, Nathaniel², Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John⁷). She was born in Hardwick, Vt., Dec. 13, 1827; married at Canton, Mass., Oct. 27, 1850, Alonzo Johnson.

CHILDREN BORN CANTON, MASS.

1852. Melissa H. Johnson (1949), b. June 16, 1854; m. Frederick E. Wilson.

1853. Charles B. Johnson^a, b. March 16, 1857.

1854. Laura L. Johnson^a, b. Nov. 7, 1858.

1855. Laura Ann Sinclair^a [1130] (Nathaniel, Jr.¹, Nathaniel², Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John⁷). She was born Hardwick, Vt., March 31, 1831; married at Canton, Mass., Feb. 19, 1849, Ellis Gay. She died there March 4, 1871.

CHILDREN BORN CANTON, MASS.

1856. Hattie V. Gay^a, b. April 19, 1855; m. at Canton, Mass., Feb. 2, 1874, Luther H. Wattles. Child:

1. Laura H. Wattles¹⁰, b. Providence, R. I., May 19, 1876.

1857. Isabel Gay^a, b. Nov. 8, 1858.

1858. Sarah F. Gay^a, b. Oct. 16, 1861; married Nov. 2, 1880, at Canton, Mass., Thomas Stretton; no children.

1859. Allen A. Gay^a, b. Dec. 16, 1864; d. at Canton, Mass., March 4, 1866.

1860. Allen A. Gay^a, b. May 29, 1866; d. at Canton, Mass., Feb. 23, 1870.

1861. Marcella M. Sinclair^a [1134] (Stephen A.¹, Nathaniel², Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John⁷). She was born Roxbury, Mass., April 25, 1839. She married at Taunton, Mass. June 25, 1860, James A. Deane, who died at Taunton, Sept. 2, 1882, where they resided.

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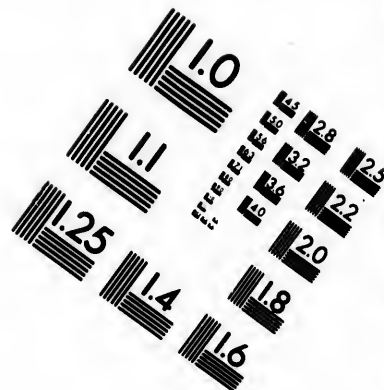
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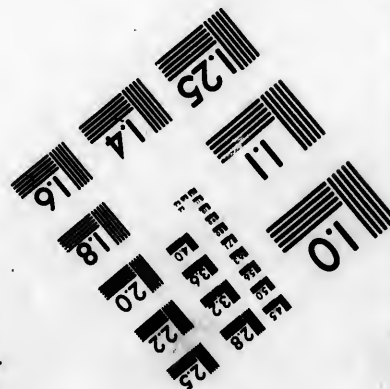
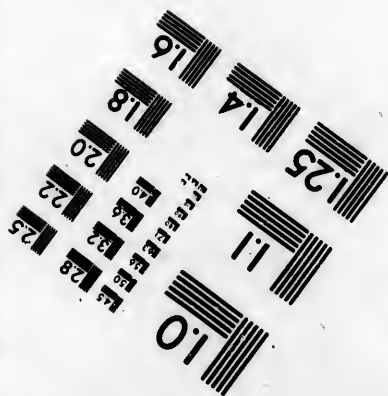
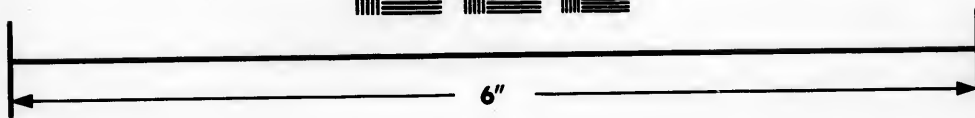
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o died at Taunton, Sept. 27,





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CHILDREN BORN TAUNTON, MASS.

1862. Evelyn L. E. Deane⁹, b. March 4, 1862.
 1863. Frederick W. S. Deane⁹, b. May 27, 1865.
 1864. Mabel W. G. Deane⁹, b. May 31, 1867.
 1865. Alice A. B. Deane⁹, b. April 14, 1869.
 1866. Albert S. Deane⁹, b. June 8, 1874; d. June 18, 1874.
 1867. Charles H. Deane⁹, b. April 26, 1878.

1868. Sarah Louise Sinclair⁸ [1143] (Amos S.⁷, Nathaniel⁶, Benjamin⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born in Canton, Mass., July 8, 1832, and married at Concord, Mass., Nov., 1851, Thaddeus S. Eldridge.

CHILDREN.

1869. Edgar S. Eldridge⁹, b. Athol, Mass., Sept. 29, 1852; m. Kate Wilkinson.
 1870. Nancy Eldridge⁹, b. Norton, Mass., 1854; d. at Smithfield, R. I., in 1857.
 1871. Emory S. Eldridge⁹, b. Rhode Island in 1860; m. at Chelsea, Mass., Mary Crow in 1880. He d. in Taunton, Mass., Feb. 27, 1887; no children.
 1872. Frank K. Eldridge⁹, b. Rhode Island, Aug., 1864.

1873. Ellen Melissa Sinclair⁸ [1144] (Amos S.⁷, Nathaniel⁶, Benjamin⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born in Canton, Mass., Feb. 16, 1836; married Feb. 27, 1854, at Taunton, Mass., George S. Harvey.

CHILDREN.

1874. Walter C. Harvey⁹, b. Norton, Mass., Dec. 8, 1854; m. at Chelsea, Mass., June 27, 1875, Ida Eastman; d. at Chelsea, Mass., Dec. 3, 1881. Children b. Chelsea, Mass.:
 1. George W. Harvey¹⁰, b. May 1, 1876.
 2. Arthur S. Harvey¹⁰, b. March 14, 1879.
 1875. Anna E. Harvey⁹, b. Smithfield, R. I., Oct. 1, 1857; d. at Norton, Mass., Oct. 23, 1863.
 1876. Flora A. Harvey⁹, b. Norton, Mass., Dec. 7, 1863; d. at Taunton, Mass., Dec. 29, 1886.
 1877. Arthur L. Harvey⁹, b. Chelsea, Mass., Feb. 20, 1867; d. Feb. 25, 1869.
 1878. Charles E. Harvey⁹, b. Chelsea, Mass., March 2, 1875.
 1879. Edwin S. Harvey⁹, b. Chelsea, Mass., Aug. 27, 1877.

1880. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair⁸ [1336] Noah⁷, Joseph⁶, Thomas⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in Meredith, N. H., April 3, 1838. His father died when he was five years of age, and on his mother's 2d marriage in 1846, he went to live on the farm in Meredith with his stepfather, Joseph S. Hart, and succeeded him upon the place, where he resided. He married Oct. 17, 1858; Elizabeth Melissa, daughter of Ezra Wilmarth and Louisa Jane (Lockwood) Doc. She was born in Rumney, N. H., March 19, 1839; resides in Meredith, N. H.

CHILDREN BORN MEREDITH, N. H.

1881. Laura Etta Sinclair^o, b. July 28, 1861; m. Edmund P. Anthony, who was b. in Woodstock, Vt., Dec. 1, 1814. They res. in Concord, N. H. Children:
 1. Amy Beatrice Anthony^o, b. Cornish Flat, N. H., Aug. 1882.
 2. Bessie Russell Anthony^o, b. Tamworth, N. H., April 2, 1884.
1882. Noah Leroy Sinclair^o, b. Dec. 6, 1863; copper plater; settled in Concord, N. H., in 1886. He m. Sept. 21, 1884, Georgianna Beatty, adopted dau. of John Beatty of Holderness, N. H., and dau. of Hiram and Rachel (Howe) Cotton. She was b. in Holderness, Feb. 6, 1868. Child:
 1. Omar Fay Sinclair^o, b. Concord, N. H., June 23, 1887.
1883. Myrtle Beatrice Sinclair^o, b. June 21, 1872; res. Meredith, N. H.

1884. Marinda Jane Sinclair^o [1337] (Noah⁷, Joseph⁸, Thomas⁹, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James⁶, John¹). She was born in Meredith, N. H., on Tuesday, March 23, 1841; married Sept. 24, 1859, Charles A. Smith of Bridgewater, N. H., who was born Oct. 17, 1833, and died at Meredith, N. H., June 11, 1864.

CHILDREN BORN BRIDGEWATER, N. H.

1885. Annabelle G. Smith^o, b. June 20, 1861; m. Frank Brown; res. Boston, Mass.
1886. Clara May Smith^o, b. March 10, 1863; m. at Enfield, N. H., July 1, 1888, Nathan Currier. He is a teacher and lawyer; res. Parsonfield, Me.
1887. Charles Willis Smith^o, b. June, 1864; d. Sept. 20, 1882.
 Mrs. Smith m. 2d, Sept. 10, 1867, Rev. Cyrus D. Peckham, who was b. March 20, 1833, and lives in Boston, Mass. She d. May 7, 1877.
 Children by 2d marriage:
1888. Walter S. Peckham^o, b. Derby, Vt., Nov. 30, 1868; d. Sept. 1, 1869.
1889. Orlowe Benedict Peckham^o, b. Derby, Vt., Feb. 20, 1870.
1890. Cyrus Albert Peckham^o, b. Hallowell, Me., Sept. 25, 1872; d. Nov. 16, 1873.
1891. Mary Jane Peckham^o, b. Hallowell, Me., March 21, 1877.

1892. Alphonso Turrell St. Clair^o [1352] (Charles Northrop, James, Jr.^o, James⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁸, James², John¹). He was born in Barre, now Albion, N. Y., Jan. 2, 1835. Was a carpenter and farmer, and lived in his native town. While lumbering in the woods he was killed by a falling tree, Feb. 22, 1865. He married Nov. 1857, Savilla Lummis, daughter of David and Sophia (Curt) Thurston of Barre, N. Y. She resided in the village of Albion, Orleans co., N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN BARRE, ORLEANS CO., N. Y.

1893. Francis Alphonso St. Clair^o, b. July 21, 1861. Graduated as valedictorian at the National College of Pharmacy, Washington, D. C., June 10, 1886. He studied medicine and became a practicing physician. He m. Mary Emma, dau. of Albert B.

HALLOWELL, ME. [1881

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1. Albert Thurston St. Clair¹⁰, b. Washington, D. C., Jan. 7, 1891.

1894. Hon. Charles Henry St. Clair⁸ [1353] (Charles Northrop⁷, James, Jr.⁶, James⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born Aug. 8, 1836, at Albion, Orleans co., N. Y. From the fourth to the twelfth year of his age, he lived with his grandparents, Joel and Elizabeth Turrell at Pleasant Valley, Dutchess co., N. Y. Then he returned to his home and completed his education at the Albion academy when 18 years of age. After spending two years in Union Springs, N. Y., Bloomington and Rochester, Ill., he went to New Orleans, La., in 1858, and he entered the medical college, and subsequently he engaged in the business of steam boating on the Mississippi river. He secured his license as a pilot of the first-class when the war broke out in 1861. He made a daring escape from the Confederates and became pilot of and aboard of the U. S. ship *Harriet Lane*, under Commander Wainwright of Admiral Farragut's fleet. Was before Vicksburg, Grand Gulf, and Port Hudson. When Farragut's fleet left the Mississippi river he piloted the entire mortar fleet over the S. W. Pass bar and out to sea. The fleet consisted of 13 schooners each carrying an 11-inch mortar. With high testimonials from his commander he was ordered to join the Mississippi squadron under Admiral D. D. Porter, at Cairo, Ill., and was assigned to duty on the steamship *General Price*, and served on the lower river till the close of the war. He had many vivid experiences, and hair breadth escapes. He was selected as pilot for exposed wooden steamers, transports and despatch boats. With an open transport steamer, he as pilot towed the great ironclad *Essex* and others into position before Vicksburg, Port Hudson, and other places, and in the exposed pilot house of the ram *General Price* he rammed an opening through the obstructions in the Red river, cleared away the torpedoes, and towed many of the ironclads through the channel. During these times often the leaden hail fell thick and fast about him and the sailors used to say, "it rained lamp posts," for the long 18-inch conical rifle shells as they came near them seemed to scream out the words, "Where is he? Where is he?"

* In Admiral D. D. Porter's book, "Incidents of the Civil War," pages 244-45, he says: "I mention this simply to show the kind of experiences to which the navy in the West was subject, and the courage which the officers and men exhibited. Think of being pursued day after day by a party of bushwhackers, watching from behind trees a chance to pick you off. One can hardly realize the danger to which pilots of the squadron were exposed. I have seen a pilot receive a bullet in his brain the instant his hand touched the wheel. The pilots were targets for the enemy to shoot at, and he who could boast he had killed one was a popular man. The pilots were worthy western men by birth, but passing their lives on the Mississippi river brought them into intimate relations with the southern people, who looked upon all who were loyal to the Union as traitors to the

After the war Mr. St. Clair resumed the business of steamboating on the Mississippi and other rivers. On Oct. 30, 1866, he was married in Trinity, La., to Mary Alice, only daughter of Capt. Isaac and Sarah J. (Buchanan) Johnson of New Albany, Ind., and granddaughter of Abraham Johnson of Barre, N. Y. She was born in New Albany, Ind., Oct. 26, 1847. During their wedding tour, while he was in New Orleans, the steamer was blown up and all save two of her officers were killed. At the earnest solicitation of Mrs. St. Clair, he gave up that avocation and went into business in New Orleans, La., where he remained till 1872, when he removed to Morgan City, that state. He was elected city treasurer in 1873, elected mayor in 1874, and served for eight years. Was elected a member of the General Assembly in 1879, for the parish of St. Mary, and served on many important committees till 1884. Then he was re-elected, but being a Republican was denied his seat. He is in business in Morgan City, La., where he resides, and has for many years held places of trust and honor in different orders and societies. A writer, Nathan W. Goodale, says of him: "Always honored, respected, and beloved, his courage and tireless labor during the awful yellow fever epidemic of 1878-79, for his people has endeared him to them more than words can express, and will for a generation to come cause his name to be spoken of with heartfelt blessings by those who knew him personally and by reputation."

CHILD BORN MORGAN CITY, LA.

1895. Charles Arthur St. Clair^a, b. Dec. 11, 1873; res. Morgan City, La.

1896. Dr. Arthur Knowles St. Clair^a [1854] (Charles Northrop⁷ James, Jr.^a, James^b, Thomas^c, Joseph^d, James^e, John^f). He was born in Barre, N. Y., June 27, 1838, and received his early education in Albion academy, where his intellectual qualities and scholarship were shown to be of a high order. He graduated at the College of Physicians and Surgeons of New York City at the head of his class of nearly two hundred, and won the celebrated "Dr. Valentine Mott prize." He entered the practice of his profession as a physician in partnership with his uncle, Dr. James Julius St. Clair, at Marquette, Mich., where they also established a large drug store. The death of his uncle closed the partnership, when he carried on alone the combined medical practice and the business store. He entered the army as 2d assistant surgeon of the 1st Michigan cavalry, and soon was made chief operator of the brigade, then was assistant surgeon of the 5th Michigan cavalry, and later surgeon of this regiment with the rank of major. The last year

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of the war he was surgeon-in-chief of the brigade under General Stagg. Notice of his remarkable surgical operations while in the army are recorded in the "Medical and Surgical History of the War of the Rebellion," by Charles Smart, major and surgeon United States army. At one time he was a volunteer to recover the body of General Wadsworth, the Union general, which was in possession of the Confederates. Being supplied with a flag of truce he started for the enemy's line, and although under a heavy fire reached them with only a few scratches and the loss of his horse. He was made a prisoner, blindfolded, and taken to the headquarters of General Lee, where he made known his mission. He returned to the Union lines with the body of the dead general, and for this service received a most complimentary letter from General Meade and his staff.

He participated in the following battles, as appears upon a record: "Hanover, June 30, 1863; Hunterstown, July 2, 1863; Gettysburg, July 3, 1863; Falmouth, Va., Aug. 15, 1863; King George Court House, Va., Aug. 25, 1863; Pain Conway, Va., Sept. 13, 1863; Raccoon Ford, Sept. 14, 15, 16, 17, 1863; Summerville Ford, Va., Sept. 20, 1863; Madison Court Hourt, Va., Sept. 22, 1863; Bailey Mills, Va., Sept. 23, 1863; Robertson's River, Va., Sept. 24, 1863; Hartwood Church, Va., Nov. 4, 1863; Morton's Ford, Va., Nov. 15, 1863; and Morton's Ford, Nov. 26, 1863." He served till the close of the war, when he resumed the practice of his profession at Marquette, or Clarksburg, Mich.

He married at Marquette Oct. 22, 1867, Henrietta A. Smith of Caledonia, Livingston co., N. Y., a sister of his business partner, Dr. A. K. Smith. Their married life was short, and he died of consumption, caused by army exposure, April 20, 1868. He was a member of the Episcopal church and of the Masonic society. He was buried in Mt. Albion, N. Y., where a broken marble shaft marks the peaceful rest of one of the brightest and most gallant members of the St. Clair family. He was finely proportioned, six feet in height, straight, with clear blue eyes, light hair, and light complexion, and was said to bear a striking resemblance to Gen. Arthur St. Clair. His widow married 2d Mr. Kingsley and resides in Los Angeles, Cal. Dr. St. Clair had no children. This is the history of a short, brilliant life. "He was a true man, a soldier, and a Christian."

1897. Francis Osmond St. Clair^a [1855] (Charles Northrop⁷, James, Jr.⁸, James⁸, Thomas⁸, Joseph⁸, James⁸, John¹). He was born in Barre (now Albion), N. Y., Dec. 10, 1839, and was educated at Albion academy and at the Georgetown Medical college. While there the war of the Rebellion broke out and he joined the 17th Pennsylvania cavalry. He was detailed as hospital steward, and served in the medical department of the army till the close of the war, when he resumed his medical studies at Washington, D. C., and March 2, 1869, graduated from the Georgetown college upon finishing his medical course. He was appointed clerk in the State

department, with which he has ever since been connected, and in 1892 was chief of the Consular Bureau, his appointments being in the following order: he was appointed temporary clerk Nov. 12, 1865; appointed class 2 June 7, 1870; appointed class 3 June 22, 1871; appointed to class 4 July 1, 1874; appointed temporary chief June 7, 1881; appointed permanent chief of Consular Bureau Nov. 1, 1881, and served till recently in that capacity. He has practised his profession to some extent outside of his official duties. In 1881 he was sent by the U. S. government on a tour of inspection of the consulates of Canada; in 1882 on the same service to the West Indies. In July, 1890, he was sent by the government to preside over a convention of United States consuls to be held in August of 1890. It was a position of honor, trust, and responsibility, which his long service in the State department admirably qualified him to fill. He was the accredited agent of the United States to present in Bristol, Eng., in the name of the President, a gold watch and chain to Charles Jarman, a valorous British seaman, as a reward for his bravery in the rescue of the crew of the American schooner *T. A. Lambert*. During Dr. St. Clair's stay in Edinburgh, Scotland, a Masonic lodge meeting was called, attended by many dignitaries, at which he was present, and was the recipient of honors, as other St. Clairs had been in the past.

It is said that he is able to give without hesitation the name of this government's representative in any port in the world. He is a Mason and an attendant of the Episcopal church. He married Nov. 1, 1866, Lella Cecelia Dent, daughter of Col. John B. Dent of Maryland. He has prepared an attractive home in Maryland, near Washington, where he hopes to pass the closing days of a busy life. In personal appearance he is short, stout, with blue eyes, and dark complexion. No children.

1898. Joel Fuller Turrell St. Clair^a [1856] (Charles Northrop^a James, Jr.^a, James^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born in Barre (now Albion), N. Y., Sept. 14, 1841, and was educated at the academy at that place. At the commencement of the war he left the fields he was cultivating as a farmer and enlisted as a private in the 151st regiment, New York infantry sharpshooters and became a sergeant. In the battle of Mile Run, Va., he was desperately wounded. After falling upon the field his knapsack and canteen were literally shot to pieces, no less than eight minie balls having passed through them and his clothes. He was carried to the hospital at Alexandria, Va., and the minie ball which entered his leg at the knee passed upward and lodged in the hip, was not extracted till nine days after he was wounded, nor was the wound dressed until a week had elapsed. His brother, Dr. Arthur K. St. Clair, surgeon of the 5th Michigan cavalry, devotedly tended him and his limb, and perhaps his life was saved by his skill and attention. After a time he was furloughed and returned to his home in Albion. After months of pain he recovered sufficiently and returned to his regiment and served till the close of the war. Then for a time he was in the

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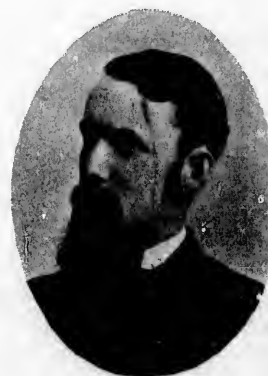
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United States Custom House at New Orleans, La., later as assistant pilot with his brother, Charles H. St. Clair on the Mississippi river. On Aug. 20, 1867, he married Mary H., daughter of John and Mary Baird of Barataria, near New Orleans, La. Her parents were Scotch and born in Scotland. A few years later, he and his family removed to New York, where he lived on the old homestead as a farmer. She died there Aug. 1, 1874. He left his children with friends and went West to seek his fortune, and located at Denver, Col. On Nov. 26, 1879, he married Maggie J. Stuckell, who was born in Indiana county, Penn., and died at Gold Hill, Col., Nov. 8, 1885. He married 3d, Feb. 28, 1888, Emma L. Stoapes, born May 7, 1855. He is engaged in mining and resides in Gold Hill, Boulder co., Col.

CHILDREN.

1899. Isabella Elmina St. Clair^a, b. New Orleans, La., Dec. 4, 1868; d. Dec. 12, 1868.
 1900. Mary Isabella St. Clair Higginson^a, b. New Orleans, La., Oct. 30, 1869. Was adopted by Mrs. John Higginson of Albion, N. Y.; res. Albion, N. Y.
 1901. Helen Elmina St. Clair Osborne^a, b. New Orleans, La., Aug. 24, 1871. Was adopted by Mrs. Lorenzo Osborne of Albion, N. Y.; res. Albion, N. Y.
 1902. Charles Francis St. Clair^a, b. Cleveland, Ohio, May 9, 1873; d. Sept. 5, 1873.
 1903. Lillie Rose St. Clair Northrop^a, b. Cleveland, Ohio, May 9, 1873. Was adopted by her relative, Dr. James Luther Northrop of Albion, N. Y.
 1904. Clara Elizabeth St. Clair^a, b. Gold Hill, Col., April 3, 1882.

1905. Eugene Griffith St. Clair^a [1860] (James Julius⁷, James, Jr.^a, James^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John¹). He was born April 5, 1847, at Strongville, Cuyahoga co., Ohio. For 10 years he was cashier and bookkeeper for the Washington Iron Co., at Humboldt, Mich. Is secretary and treasurer of a mining company, and a banker. He was a member of the legislature. Is an attendant and member of the Episcopal church. He married Oct. 16, 1878, Flora Dell, daughter of John Quincy Howe, m. d., of Phelps, Ontario co., N. Y. She was born Sept. 8, 1858. He resides Ishpeming, Marquette co., Mich.

CHILDREN BORN ISHPEMING, MARQUETTE CO., MICH.

1906. Florence Amelia St. Clair^a, b. July 7, 1880.
 1907. Arthur Howe St. Clair^a, b. Nov. 14, 1881.
 1908. Harold Griffith St. Clair^a, b. March 27, 1885.

1909. George Arthur St. Clair^a [1861] (James Julius⁷, James, Jr.^a, James^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John¹). He was born in Strongville, Cuyahoga co., Ohio, Sept. 9, 1848. Has been a mine operator, owner, and superintendent, merchant and banker; resides Ishpeming, Marquette co., Mich. He married June 26, 1872, Rossetta Amelia, daughter of Dr. John Quincy and N. Amelia (Griffith) Howe of Phelps, Ontario co., N. Y., born Oct. 23, 1849. They are members of the Episcopal church.

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1910. George Howe St. Clair^a, b. Humboldt, Mich., April 9, 1874.
 1911. Frank Eugene St. Clair^a, b. Phelps, N. Y., June 4, 1876; d. April 27, 1878.
 1912. Lillian Rachel St. Clair^a, b. Ishpeming, Mich., Feb. 28, 1878.
 1913. Grace Amelia St. Clair^a, b. Ishpeming, Mich., June 11, 1883.
 1914. Rachel St. Clair^a, b. Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 4, 1886.
 1915. Ralph Griffith St. Clair^a, b. Ishpeming, Mich., Jan. 26, 1889.

1916. James Oscar St. Clair^a [1862] (James Julius^a, James, Jr.^a, James^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born at Strongville, Cuyahoga co., Ohio, Oct. 19, 1851. Was educated at Albion Academy, Orleans co., N. Y., and at the college at Ypsilanti, Mich. He spent six years in Albion, N. Y., and one year in European travel. Has been many years in mercantile and banking business. Was a superintendent of iron mines, and resides at Republic, Marquette co., Mich. He married June 10, 1875, Kate Thorpe of Negaunee, Marquette co., Mich. She was born in Hastings, England, Dec. 18, 1854. Her father was Charles Barrows Thorpe of Detroit, Mich.; her grandfather, Thomas Thorpe of Rye, Sussex co., England, born in Chiddingly, England.

CHILD BORN NEGAUNEE, MARQUETTE CO., MICH.

1917. James Thorpe St. Clair^a, b. May 23, 1876.

1918. Julius Northrop St. Clair^a [1863] (James Julius^a, James, Jr.^a, James^a, Thomas^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). His birthplace was at Marquette, Marquette co., Mich., Dec. 23, 1853. Like his brother he was educated at Albion, N. Y., and graduated at Ypsilanti college. He has been engaged in iron mines with his brothers, and is now secretary of Deer Lake Lumber Co. He married July 10, 1877, Sophie Gordon Rood of Ishpeming, Marquette co., Mich. She was born in Detroit, Mich., July 22, 1857, and daughter of Anson Hubbard and Sophia (Gordon) Rood of Middlebury, Vt., and granddaughter of Azariah Rood. Resides Ishpeming, Marquette co., Mich.

CHILDREN BORN ISHPERING, MICH.

1920. Sophie Rood St. Clair^a, b. July 7, 1878.
 1921. William Rood St. Clair^a, b. Oct. 27, 1880.
 1922. Gordon Griffith St. Clair^a, b. Aug. 29, 1882.
 1923. Guy Northrop St. Clair^a, b. April 12, 1884.

1924. John Harmon Sinclair^a [1435] (Franklin J.^a, John^a, Jeremiah^a, John^a, Joseph^a, James^a, John^a). He was born Nov. 11, 1856. Is a farmer, and resides in Johnson, Vt.; Republican in politics. He and his wife were baptized and united with the Baptist church in that town, Sept. 2, 1877, and he was made a deacon of that church in July, 1884. He married Nov. 14, 1877, Mary Etta, daughter of William B. Crowell of Hyde Park, Vt., who was born Dec. 10, 1855.

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1925. William Franklin Sinclair², b. Nov. 20, 1878.
 1926. Percival Creighton Sinclair², b. Sept. 17, 1881.
 1927. Benjamin Graves Sinclair², b. April 14, 1883.

1928. Charles Arthur Sinclair^{2*} [1634] (John G.¹, Charles G.², Lieut. Richard³, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel⁵, John⁶, John⁷). Hon. Charles A. Sinclair was born at Bethlehem, N. H., Aug. 21, 1848. His boyhood and youth were passed in his native town. His education was received in the common schools of Bethlehem, at the seminary at what is now Tilton, N. H., at the academy at Newbury, Vt., and at Phillip's Academy at Exeter, N. H. He entered Dartmouth College, but did not graduate. His tastes led him into a more active field. He withdrew from college and entered into business. For one and a half years he was in Lexington, Mich. He returned to New Hampshire and soon established a wholesale and retail flour and feed store in Littleton, N. H. While a resident of that town he was elected a representative to the legislature. Gov. James A. Weston made him a colonel on his staff. Subsequently he moved to Portsmouth, N. H., and became a partner with Hon. Frank Jones in his large and extensive business; this partnership has continued to the present. His business office is 17 State street, Boston, Mass.

In business and railroad circles he is one of the most active and prominent men in New Hampshire. He is a large owner in the Boston & Maine railroad, and was a director in that great corporation for several years. Much stock of the Worcester, Nashua, and Rochester railroad is his, and he was president of that road for several years. He, with others, built the Hereford railroad, the Upper Coos railroad, and the Upper Coos Extension railroad, making in all about one hundred and ten miles of road. Of the Manchester & Lawrence railroad he is a large owner, and for several years successively has been annually chosen its president.

He is the founder of the Morley Button Manufacturing Co., the largest industry of its kind in the United States. The Portsmouth

* Mr. Sinclair is the 10th generation in descent from Richard Kimball¹. Richard Kimball¹ with his wife, Ursula, came from Rattlesden, county of Suffolk, England, and arrived at Watertown, Mass., in 1634. In 1637 their son Benjamin Kimball² was born, and married April 16, 1661, Mercy Hazeltine. They lived in Bradford, Mass. Their son, Jonathan Kimball³, was born Nov. 20, 1673, and on July 15, 1696, he married Lydia Day. Their son, Benjamin Kimball⁴, was born May 16, 1697, and he married Mary Emerson. Their son, Jonathan Kimball⁵, born April 14, 1720, married Aug. 22, 1738, Elizabeth Little, and their son, Benjamin Kimball⁶, who married Sally Little. Their daughter, Tamar Kimball⁷, born at Plaistow, N. H., July 6, 1766; she married, 1784, Abel Merrill of Atkinson, N. H., lived in Warren, N. H., and had thirteen children. Their daughter, Mary Merrill⁸, born Warren, N. H., March 28, 1792; married Col. Daniel Clark of Landaff, N. H., where she died Feb. 3, 1874. Their daughter, Tamar Merrill Clark⁹, was born in Landaff, N. H., Sept. 2, 1828. She married Oct. 29, 1847, Hon. John G. Sinclair, and their son is Hon. Charles A. Sinclair¹⁰, previously mentioned.

Shoe Co. was founded by him, of which he is the largest owner. It is the largest shoe manufactory of its kind in the world, and employs about twelve hundred hands, with an annual pay roll of over five hundred thousand dollars. He is a director in several banks and trust companies. A newspaper has also engaged his attention. Of the *Portsmouth Daily Times*, published in Portsmouth, N. H., he is the owner and publisher.

But while so actively and so extensively engaged in these various business enterprises, he has not forgotten nor neglected those public interests which should engage the thought and attention of every true citizen. An active and leading part has been taken by him in the politics of his native state. No other young man of his party has been so prominent. He was a member of the Senate of New Hampshire from 1888-1892, and was one of its readiest speakers and most influential members. During one of these sessions he was, as his father had been before him, the standard bearer of his party for the United States Senator against the successful Republican nominee, Hon. Jacob H. Gallinger. He was elected a member of the New Hampshire House of Representatives from 1892-94, and in 1893 was for the third time elected State Senator for the term from 1894-96, an office he still holds. During the last session of the legislature he was for the second time the candidate for the Democratic party for United States Senator against the winning Republican incumbent, Hon. William E. Chandler. In all these contests he has received the strength of his party.

He married in November, 1873, Emma Isabel Jones, the niece and adopted daughter of Hon. Frank Jones, and resides in Portsmouth, N. H. In that quiet city, on the shore of the blue Atlantic, is his beautiful home. Surrounded by his interesting family, amid works of art and those embellishments which wealth can bring, he finds pleasure and delight. In that charming retreat his friends are always welcome, and there he dispenses a generous hospitality. He is now in the prime of life, in perfect health, with a robust and stalwart frame, full of activity and ambition. His mental powers are of the best quality. His mind is strong and clear, his opinions positive and pronounced, and he possesses great courage. His past has been a success, and the coming years can hardly fail to bring greater honors and promotions at the hands of his fellow citizens.

CHILDREN BORN PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

- 1929. Grace Jones Sinclair^o, b. Aug. 23, 1874.
- 1930. Martha Sophy Sinclair^o, b. Aug. 11, 1876.
- 1931. Mary Louise Sinclair^o, b. Jan. 23, 1879.
- 1932. Ellen Maria Sinclair^o, b. April 17, 1886.

1933. Emma Peavy Sinclair^o [1635] (John G.¹, Charles Grandison^o, Lieut. Richard^o, Col. Richard^o, Samuel^o, John^o, John^o). She was born in Bethlehem, N. H., Aug. 20, 1851. She graduated at the young ladies' seminary at Tilden, N. H. She was an excellent

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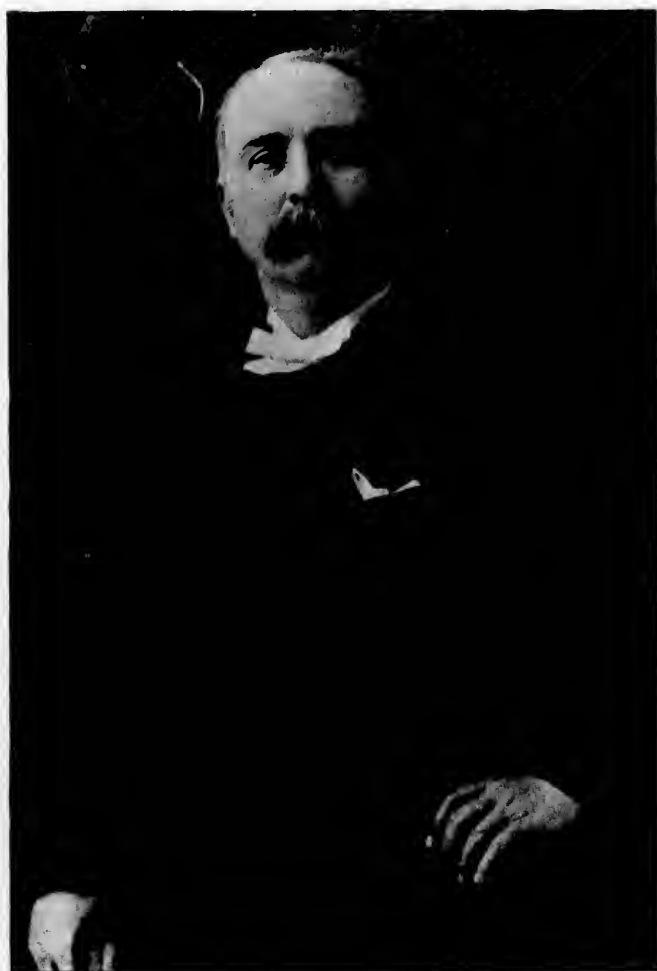
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REV. CHARLES J. FOWLER.



MRS. EMILIE SINCLAIR FOWLER.

scholar and her theme at the graduation exercises attracted some attention and was highly commended. She married Feb. 12, 1874, Rev. Charles Joseph Fowler, son of Oscar F. and Louisa (Waterman) Fowler, and grandson of Joseph Fowler, and is an effective worker with him in his field of labor. He was born in Bristol, N. H., Feb. 6, 1845, and is a clergyman in the Methodist Episcopal church; resides 55 Park street, Haverhill, Mass.

CHILDREN.

1934. Martha Sinclair Fowler², b. Manchester, N. H., Oct. 17, 1874; d. there Sept. 21, 1877.
 1935. Oscar Sinclair Fowler², b. Bethlehem, N. H., Aug. 31, 1877.
 1936. Louisa Waterman Fowler², b. Bethlehem, N. H., Feb. 4, 1880.
 1937. Hattie Rogers Fowler², b. Bethlehem, N. H., April 14, 1883.

1938. Martha Aroline Sinclair² [1636] (John G.¹, Charles Grandison¹, Lt. Richard², Col. Richard³, Samuel⁴, John⁵, John⁶). She is the youngest daughter of Hon. John G. and Tamar Merrill (Clark) Sinclair, and was born in Bethlehem, N. H., March 21, 1855. She married Oct. 7, 1885, John W., son of William Dennis and Mary Helen (Fowler) Weeks. He was born in Lancaster, N. H., April 11, 1860; graduated at the United States Naval academy at Annapolis, Md., and was in the naval service for 2 years. During that period he visited China, Japan, and the South Sea Islands. After leaving the service he was a civil engineer, and later in the real estate business at Orlando, Fla., and was assistant commissioner of land and emigration of the Florida Southern railroad. In May, 1888, he removed to Boston, Mass., and is a banker and broker of the firm of Hornblower & Weeks, 22 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass. He is a member of the New York Stock Exchange; resides West Newton, Mass.

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1939. Katherine S. Weeks², b. Aug. 17, 1889.
 1939a. Charles Sinclair Weeks², b. June 15, 1893.

1940. Robert Strong Sinclair² [1642] (Napoleon Bonaparte¹, George Washington¹, Joshua², Col. Richard³, Samuel⁴, John⁵, John⁶). He was born in city of New York Jan. 1, 1853; married April 5, 1882, Eliza Ann Aitken Morton, born in Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 28, 1858. Her father was James Morton of Brooklyn, born Aug. 13, 1821, in Paisley, Scotland, and he married Jane McDougall. He was son of Robert Morton of Glasgow, Scotland, born April 2, 1881. Mr. Sinclair was educated in the public schools of the city and early entered into business; has been successful. Democrat in politics. Business address, 18 Exchange place, New York, N. Y. Firm name, Sinclair & Babson, Importers of Portland Cement. Resides South Orange, N. J.; resides Brooklyn, N. Y.

CHILDREN BORN BROOKLYN, N. Y.

1941. Wallace Morton Sinclair⁹, b. July 17, 1883.
 1942. Edith Sinclair⁹, b. Oct. 4, 1885.
 1943. Harold Sinclair⁹, b. Aug. 24, 1888.

1944. Henry Harbinson Sinclair⁸ [1644] (Napoleon Bonaparte⁷, George Washington⁶, Joshua⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). He was born Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 22, 1858; was educated in the public schools of Brooklyn and at the military academy at Bethlehem, Penn. Having a strong love for the sea, at 17 he shipped on a sailing vessel and made several voyages. He abandoned that business and entered Cornell college at Ithaca, N. Y., and nearly completed his course when an accident prevented his graduating. He for five years was in business with his father in New York city. He then studied law, but failing health obliged him to seek another and milder climate. He purchased a fruit farm, mostly oranges, in Lugonia, southern California, where he located in 1887, and where he now lives in excellent health. This place has been united with Redlands as a city, and he is a Republican in politics, and is one of the five trustees with a term of four years in the city government. He is director of the Water company, and director and manager of the Fruit Growers association, and is thoroughly identified with the growth and development of that section. He married Jan. 4, 1882, Agnes Munson Rowley, daughter of Elizabeth and Margaret (Judkins) Rowley, born Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1861.

CHILDREN BORN BROOKLYN, N. Y.

1945. Marjorie Rowley Sinclair⁹, b. Aug. 5, 1883.
 1946. Arthur Rowley Sinclair⁹, b. Sept. 15, 1885.

1947. Frederick O. Sinclair⁹ [1850] (Adams O.⁸, Nathaniel J.⁷, Nathaniel⁶, Benjamin⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). He was born in Canton, Mass., June, 1856; resides 14 Orleans street, Springfield, Mass. He married at New Haven, Conn., April 16, 1875, Hattie E. Baldwin, born in that city April, 1856. He married 2d at Springfield, Mass., May 3, 1888, Minnie W. Decker.

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1948. Hattie May Sinclair¹⁰, b. New Haven, Conn., July 31, 1876. She is the 10th generation of Sinclairs in descent from John Sinclair¹, who was in Exeter, N. H., in 1658.

1949. Melissa H. Johnson⁹ [1852] (Sarah E. Sinclair⁸, Nathaniel, Jr.⁷, Nathaniel⁶, Benjamin⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹). She was born in Canton, Mass., June 16, 1854; married Sept. 6, 1880, at Springfield, Mass., Frederick E. Wilson.

CHILDREN BORN IN SPRINGFIELD, MASS. (10th generation.)

1950. Grace A. Wilson¹⁰, b. 1881.
 1951. Alma A. Wilson¹⁰, b. 1882.

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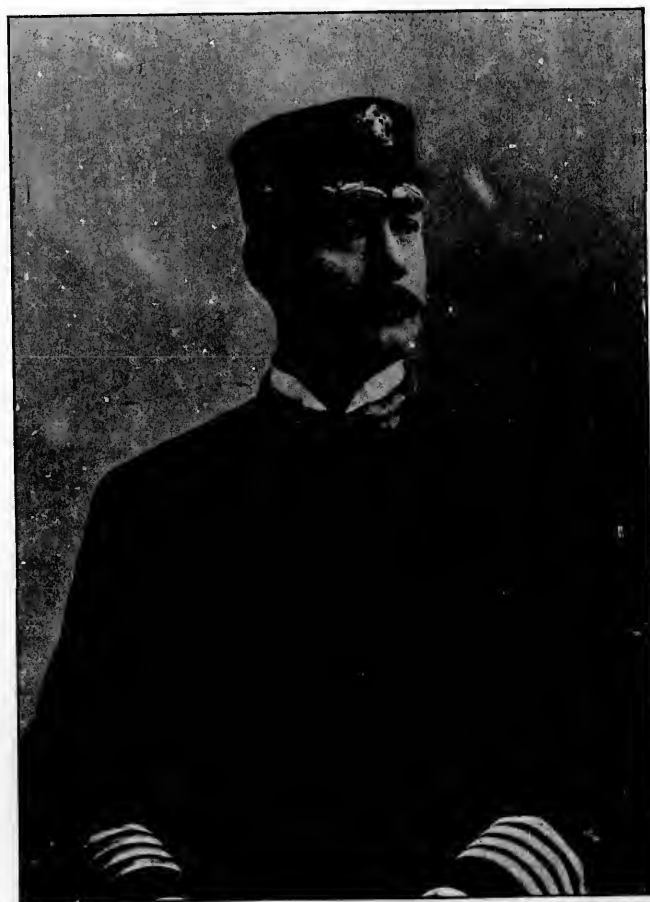
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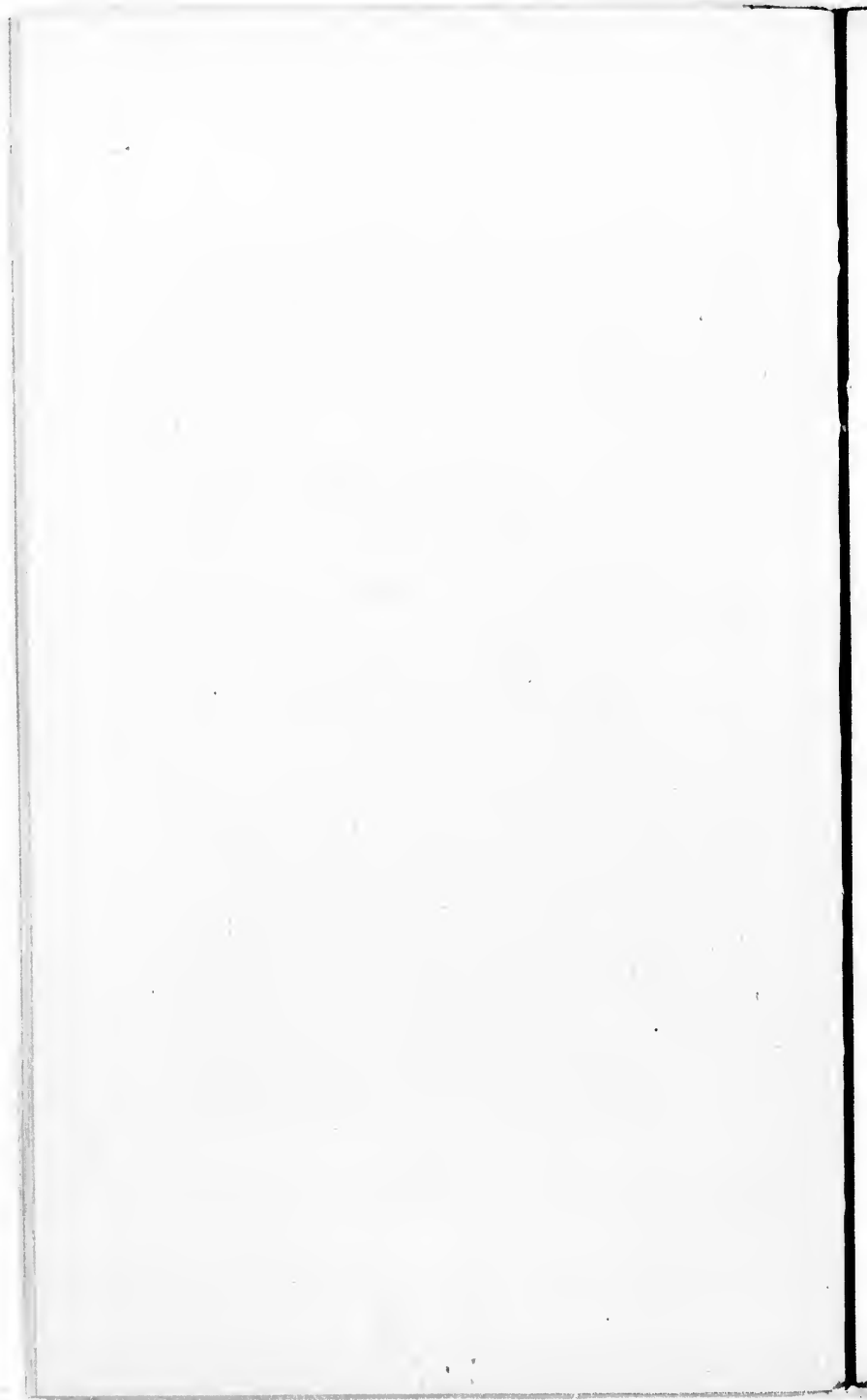
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CAPT. JOHN WINGATE WEEKS.



MRS. MARTHA SINCLAIR WEEKS.



1951g] GLADYS MAUD SEYMOUR, OF CHRISTIANIA, NORWAY. 313

1951a. Annabelle Smith⁹ (see No. 1885), who m. Frank C. Brown, has one son.

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1951b. Arthur Maxwell Brown¹⁰, b. April 14, 1878.

1951c. Clara May Smith⁹ (see No. 1886), m. Nathan Currier. She was graduated at the institute at New Hampton, N. H., in 1880. In 1881 she became Preceptress at the seminary at Parsonsfield, Me., which position she held for nine years. Mr. Currier graduated at Tufts college in 1883. He was Principal of Parsonsfield seminary from 1886 to 1890, when he resigned his position to commence the practice of law in Boston, Mass. Office, 209 Washington street; resides 70 Monroe street, Roxbury, Mass.

CHILDREN.

1951d. Elaine Currier¹⁰, b. Boston, Mass., Feb. 7, 1891.

1951e. Hazel Marinda Currier¹⁰, b. Boston, Mass., May 14, 1892.

1951f. Gladys Maud Seymour⁸ [308-5-ii, page 126] (Sophia C. White⁷, Harriet W. Danforth⁸, Molly Sinclair⁸, Capt. James⁸, Ebenezer⁸, James², John¹).

A union of the branches after a separation of a thousand years.

Mrs. May Whitney Emerson (No. 1350) writes as follows: "The Viking of a thousand years ago, 'Terror of the world,' as Charlemagne called them, give us by direct descent from Odin and through Charlemagne's granddaughter, all members of the Sinclair clans in America. Among their myriad descendants, not Sinclair by name, were several of the brave Vikings of 1893 who crossed the North Atlantic to attend the World's Fair. Captain Magnus Anderson, commander of the Viking ship, was a descendant of Berdon Seilstad, who shot Col. George Sinclair at Kringelen Pass (see latter part of page 49) with a silver button bitten from his uniform; 'for,' said Seilstad, 'ye can not kill a Sinclair with lead.' Johan Ericson was lineal descendant of Red Erise's son. Alfred A. Holm, secretary of the Viking ship of 1893, was descended by the Einar from Rogenwald. At a banquet given in Chicago, July 19, 1893, by Mrs. May Whitney Emerson to the Vikings, a health was drunk in one cup to the memory of Berdon Seilstad and Col. George Sinclair by descendants of the slayer and the slain. A romantic love-marriage was the result of this banquet. Miss Gladys Maud Seymour of La Cross, Wis., was one of the twelve young ladies to lead the twelve Vikings to dinner. To her lot fell Mr. Alfred A. Holm of Christiania, Norway. From that hour they were inseparable. On the 1st of March, 1894, they were married, and the happy pair are now at home in Christiania, on the very land owned a thousand years ago by their ancestor Rogenwald."

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1951g. Marjorie Seymour Holm⁹, b. March 16, 1895.

CHAPTER VII.

SPEECH OF HON. JOHN G. SINCLAIR.

In that memorable contest which attracted so widespread interest at the time, and which has become historic in the political annals of New Hampshire, Mr. Sinclair delivered the following speech in the joint discussion with Gen. Walter Harriman at Littleton, N. H., Feb. 12, 1867. Reported for the *Boston Post* by William B. Smart.

Mr. President, Ladies, and Gentlemen:—

It was well understood by my friends that at the time of my nomination by the late Democratic convention, on account of multiplied and pressing engagements of my own, my inclination was to decline the nomination then tendered me. I desired also to take that step because I believed then as I now believe, that there was in that convention a distinguished soldier, and eminent citizen, who having been long withdrawn from active participation in political struggles would command a larger vote than any other gentleman within the state. I need hardly say that I refer to Gen. John Bedell, a man of courage never questioned, of probity beyond suspicion, of capacity beyond cavil, and of character beyond reproach. I wish to say here and now, that my own convictions as to what is best for our state, and what may be a necessity arising out of my private affairs, may lead me to fulfil before the second Tuesday of March, this desire and purpose. I have, however, felt it to be my duty, as it certainly is my pleasure, to yield to the command of the convention which nominated me, and meet Mr. Harriman before the people at the times and places agreed upon and already published in the papers of the state. Now, Gentlemen, I ought in addition to these remarks to state to you what other action I have taken with reference to meeting the conservative men of this state in an effort to subserve its best interests. To merge narrow attachments merely to party in a broad, true, and earnest devotion to the permanent and highest interests of the state, to defend and uphold the constitution, to guard with vigilance the finances of the state, to return to the severe economy of former years, and thus gradually to pay our debts, instead of increasing them. To see to it that places of high public trust and responsibility be filled by men of probity, beyond suspicion, and of capacity and character without taint, to utter our indignant protest against the tricks of scheming partisans being allowed to thwart the determined will of the people. To guarantee that party organizations be maintained for the public good, and never for the mere gratification of place men, who are always ready to serve their country when and where they can best serve themselves. I hoped that these and other objects calculated to promote the honor, dignity, and prosperity of the state would be bravely, earnestly, and persistently promulgated by the recent convention called ostensibly to put Onslow Stearns in

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nomination for Governor, and I further hoped to encourage and actively join in action, looking to these results. It was communicated to Mr. Stearns and many of his friends, that in my judgment if we would save anything worth saving, if we would restore harmony to the land, if we would relieve ourselves and our children from pecuniary embarrassment, if we would check extravagance and speculation, if we would revive the old tone and patriotic fervor, past issues might well be held in abeyance for the time, and that I was willing to grapple manfully in conjunction with them, with the momentous issues which are upon us, which are in fact at this moment upon our very threshold. You know what was the unanticipated result of the last of the three conventions held at Concord on the 29th ult., composed of men who, independent of higher ground, had publicly proclaimed that the Gubernatorial nomination of the man who is now on this platform was for various reasons not fit to be made. Now, Gentlemen, we are left to enter upon this struggle with all our energies and I believe with as elevated motives as ever have, or can animate us. In order that the momentous issues which are now upon us might be fairly met and discussed, I prepared some interrogatories, comprehending those issues which I read and submitted to the candidate of the Republican party at our first meeting at Colebrook, that he might have ample time for their consideration, pledging myself to consider and answer any and all questions involving the issues of the present campaign which he might see fit to put, or promptly acknowledge my inability to do so. These questions were in part as follows:

1st. Are you in favor of the impeachment of Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, and can you state any constitutional cause for his impeachment?

2d. Are you in favor of reducing sovereign states, North or South, to the condition of territories?

3d. Are you in favor of allowing sovereign states the right of representation in Congress, and do you believe it to be not only the right but constitutional duty of each state to have such representation? If no, on what ground?

4th. Do you believe in the right or power of Congress to assume the powers of either the Executive or Judicial department?

5th. Are you in favor of the regulation or interference by Congress with the elective franchise of the several states?

6th. Are you in favor of unqualified Negro suffrage, and would you make a distinction in favor of the Negro and against the Indian?

7th. Did you approve at the time of its passage of the Crittendon resolution, and do you approve of the same principles now?

8th. Do you hold that the general government is one of limited power, and confined by those expressly granted by the constitution, and that all powers not so granted are reserved to the people, and the states respectively?

9th. Would you abide by the theory and form of government framed by the founders, Washington and his associates?

10. Do you hold that the interference with the elective franchise in the states by Congress is usurpation?

11. Are you in favor to the fullest extent, and unabridged in every particular of the sacred right of trial by jury, and do you support and approve the recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, guaranteeing this right wherever the courts are open and organized?

12. Do you believe either in the right or expediency of the introduction of test oaths, or of any obligation other than that of faithful support of the National and State Constitution as provided in the fundamental law of the land?

Although these questions are now agitating Congress and the country, they have been declared by the radical candidates to be dead issues and not now before the people, but the issue he makes is one of personal fitness. He and the organs of his party claiming the suffrage of the people on the ground of his distinguished military services. I meet the issue here and now, and as before with questions. Are the charges and specifications preferred against you by Maj. E. W. Farr and other officers of your regiment true? If not, in what particular do you deny them? Did you at the time these charges were preferred acknowledge their truthfulness and beg of Major Farr to allow you to resign, and did you resign in the face of the enemy rather than abide the result of a court martial?

At the time you were taken prisoner was any other member of your regiment, officer or private, taken with you? Was there at that time an order issued for your arrest or muster out of service?

(The following are the charges and specifications referred to, copies of which were distributed in the audience.)

Charge 1st. Deserting his post while on duty before the enemy. Specification, in this, that he, Walter Harriman, Colonel of 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, having been while in command of his Regiment posted on picket duty, in front of the enemy near the city of Fredericksburg, Va., the night of Dec. 14, 1862, did on the next night after having been posted as aforesaid, desert his post ordering his men to follow him, and he, Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, did then march his Regiment away from their post, through the city of Fredericksburg, and back across the Rappahannock river, without having been relieved by any one or having received orders to do so from the commanding officer of his Brigade or from any superior officer whatever, to the prejudice of good order and military discipline. This at the city of Fredericksburg, Va., on or about Dec. 15, 1863.

Charge 2d. Conduct unbecoming an officer and gentlemen. Specification 1st. In this, that he, Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment, N. H. Volunteers, had copied a letter by Frank E. Haynes, Company D, 11th N. H. Volunteers, as an anonymous production in which letter was the following language, to wit: "Colonel Harriman who is never to be outdone in acts of courtesy, responded for the Regiment nobly, feelingly, and in terms of such patriotic fervor, as to cause peal after peal of applause to wake the echoes through the vast hall. The Colonel never fails wherever you put him." To the prejudice of good order and military discipline. This at Camp Sterling, Ky., on or about April 5, 1863.

Specification 2d. In this, that he, Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, did while in camp with his Regiment at Mount Sterling, Ky., write and have copied by a private of his Regiment and published in the *Manchester Mirror*, a paper printed in the city of Manchester, words and language as follows, to wit: "Having no teams of our own the Colonel of the 11th before leaving Paris sent out Captain Cogswell and Lieutenant Briggs with twenty armed men who went to press into the service, teams, men, and rations, to transport us to this place. They went to armed rebels and obtained with some difficulty the necessary teams, drivers, etc." Thereby representing with his own pen that he had issued the above order, when in fact and in truth it was not issued by him, but by Colonel Clark of the 21st Mass. Regiment, then in command of the Brigade. This at Camp 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, at Mount Sterling, Ky., on or about April 5, 1863.

Specification 3d. In this, that Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, did while in camp with his Regiment at Newport, Va., and at that time, he, Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment

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N. H. Volunteers, being a member of mess of his brother officers, bring into said mess a small quantity of butter, stating that he had 15 pounds of butter which he had bought in Washington, and paid twenty-five cents per pound for, which bill was paid by the mess aforesaid and the money received by the said Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, when in truth and in fact there were 10 pounds instead of 15, and the butter was made by his wife at her house at Warner, N. H., and it was brought by herself to Washington, D. C., and there given to the aforesaid, Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, and the aforesaid Walter Harriman, did in this transaction tell a deliberate falsehood, thereby forfeiting all claim to the confidence, honor, respect, and obedience of his officers and men. This at Camp 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, Newport News, Va., on or about March 1, 1863.

Specification 4th. In this, that he, Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, did, while in command of his Regiment in Fredericksburg, Va., receive one bag of grain from Joshua Smith, private of Co. B, 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, then Brigade Forage Master, said grain to be divided between all the private horses of his Regiment, and did say when he, Walter Harriman, Colonel 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, was asked by Quartermaster James F. Briggs, 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, for said grain, that it might be distributed to the several officers entitled thereto, that it was his own property which he had bought of said Joshua Smith, private of Co. B, 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers, and paid him the sum of fifty cents therefor, which statement was false and untrue. This at the city of Fredericksburg, on or about Dec. 12, 1862.

EVARTS W. FARR,
Major 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers.

Stanford, Ky., June 2d, 1863.

Witnesses: Brig.-Gen. Edward Ferrero; Evarts W. Farr, Major 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers; George E. Pingree, Captain Co. G, 11th Regiment N. H. Volunteers; James F. Briggs, Quartermaster; Frank E. Haynes, Private Co. D; Nathan E. Storer, Private Co. A; M. M. Collins, Lieutenant-Colonel.

I will now proceed to present to you such considerations as I think are entitled to weight, and should bring us to victory. Allow me to say that I am here to compare considerations with the candidate of the Republican party with regard to what is best for the interests of the citizens of New Hampshire, and what is best for the entire country. I shall not attempt to entertain you with tropes and figures, or with anything other than facts and reason. It is vain to recur to the past, except so far as the lessons of the past may guide us for the present or the future. If I were disposed I could quote from the candidate himself as to the causes which inevitably produced the terrible Civil War through which we have passed, and the means which, when it was upon us, should have been resorted to for its avoidance. I lay down as a fundamental principle, recognized and endorsed by Mr. Lincoln in his messages and proclamations, what has been denominated as the Crittendon resolution, in these words:

"Resolved, That the present deplorable Civil War has been forced upon the country by the disunionists of the Southern states, now in arms against the Constitutional government, that in this National emergency, banishing all feelings of mere passion and resentment, we will recollect only our duty to the whole country, that this war is not waged on our part in any spirit of oppression, or for any purpose of conquest or subjugation or purpose of overthrowing or interfering with the rights or established institutions of these

states, but to defend and maintain the supremacy of the Constitution and to preserve the Union with all the dignity, equality, and rights of the several states unimpaired, and that as soon as these objects are accomplished, the war ought to cease."

Now it is not necessary to repeat what everybody knows, that the doctrines and opinions of that resolution were adopted by the United States Senate and House of Representatives with almost entire unanimity. Will the candidate pretend that with vitality given to that resolution, we should not today be a happy, prosperous, and united people?

With every state performing its Constitutional functions, and enjoying its Constitutional rights. Now, with these declarations of Congress what had the South, what had men North or South who possessed the least regard to either honor, consistency, or truth, the right to expect? That ten states of this Union were to be reduced to the condition of territories? That in violation of the most obvious principles of the Constitution they were to be subjected to taxation without representation, and to the control of a government in which they had no participation? If that be not despotism will the candidate tell us what constitutes despotism? Not the republic of 1789, under the constitution, but the very identical despotism against which our fathers, who framed that Constitution, fought at Lexington and Bunker Hill. Are you willing to either advocate, endorse or excuse this line of conduct? If you are, which I cannot believe, let me ask your attention to another view of this subject. How such action must inevitably affect your interests here at home. The debt of the United States government is today reckoned by thousands of millions of dollars, every state groans under its burden of state indebtedness, every county, every town has its credit strained to the uttermost. The interest, at least, of this immense indebtedness must be annually paid. To what source and from what means must the American people look for the payment of the taxation inevitable from this condition of things? You answer at once that our sole reliance must be upon energetic and speedy development of the gigantic resources of our land, that development can only follow the condition of the country contemplated by the Crittendon resolution upon the cessation of hostilities, and yet how different is our condition from that contemplated in that resolution. For nearly two years our armies have been "disbanded," war has ceased, the laws of the United States have their legitimate force from one end to the other of our extended domain, slavery has been abolished by the adoption of the Constitutional Amendment by the South itself. The Rebel debt has been repudiated, the authority of the United States everywhere acknowledged and nowhere resisted, and yet we have the very recent authority of Mr. Stanton, Secretary-of-War, that at no time within the past five years has the country been in a condition either so critical or so dangerous as at the present moment.

Now, what causes and what constitutes this impending danger? Why in the second year of absolute peace are ten states of this Union kept in a condition almost of disorganization, with their productive resources paralyzed, and their people held in a state of absolute want? Why is it that the cotton and wheat crop of the South are reduced in this second year of peace to about one twentieth of their former amount? Why is it that the markets of the South are practically shut to the New England manufacturer? Why is it that the old annual contribution of \$500,000,000 from the cotton crop is cut off in this our time of need from the National resources? Is it because we have "banished all feeling of mere passion and resentment, and recollect only our whole duty to the whole country?" Is it because there is no "spirit of oppression or subjugation, or purpose of overthrowing or interfering with the rights or established institutions of

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any of the states of the Union" abroad in the land? Is it because of a stern determination to "maintain the supremacy of the Constitution and preserve the Union with all the dignity, equality, and rights of the several states unimpaired," or is it because all these pledges and principles, and rights have been violated, and spit upon, and trampled under foot for the low purposes of personal ambition, partisan malignity, and political aggrandizement? Does the candidate deny the soundness of the Crittendon resolution? Does he deny the soundness of the theory of Mr. Lincoln's messages and proclamations based upon the principles of that resolution? Now, instead of the clear patriotic, aye Christian sentiments and pledges of that resolution, what are the propositions today before the country, and what the surrounding facts?

1st. It is claimed that ten states, under various pretexts, are out of the Union and therefore require to be reconstructed, or in other words, are mere territories and require readmission.

2d. That being in the Union they have by their participation in the Rebellion placed in abeyance the right guaranteed to the states of representation in Congress. As to the first proposition, they have been recognized as states in the Union by every department of the government, the Executive, the Legislative, and the Judicial. By the Executive department in the messages and proclamations of President Lincoln and the subsequent corresponding action of President Johnson. By the Legislative department, in the concurrent action of both houses of Congress at the commencement of the war, and always by their reference of the amendment abolishing slavery to their state Legislatures, by the admission of the members of Tennessee, and by various other acts. By the Judicial branch, in the consideration of suits by the Supreme Court between citizens of those and other states. Now, let us see, if these various recognitions are well founded, what are the palpable facts of history within the clear knowledge and personal recollections of every one within the sound of my voice. In 1860 the Southern states claimed that they had the right to secede and attempted to put that right into practical execution. The North, in possession of the government, denied the right and war followed upon this exact issue. The South fighting for the right, and the North fighting to prevent its exercise as avowed by every department of our own and the so called Confederate government, and the question was decided by arms that no matter what the theory, secession was a practical impossibility. What then was the condition of things? They had said that they had the right to secede or go out of the Union, and would exercise it. The North said that they had no such right, and should not exercise it. The South having failed, where were the states left? The South had not taken them out, for they were unsuccessful in their attempt, where were they then, except in the Union? The North fought to keep them in, and if they are out then was the issue of war decided against, and not in favor of the North.

If then, the cessation of hostilities left these states in the Union, they are entitled to all the rights of sovereign states, and under the plainest provisions of the Constitution, entitled to the right and subject to the duty of representation in Congress, for no one will be so bold as to assert that each state is not the political equal of every other state, and entitled to equal rights. If a state has no individual right of secession, is there any power to turn a state out of the Union? The right of state secession has been claimed by extreme states rights men from the first adoption of the Constitution, but when and where has the claim ever been made, up to the last year, of the right of Congress to turn a state out of the Union, or deprive it of any of its rights? Where is the clause of the Constitution which justifies it or even recognizes the contingency either expressly or by implication. But the candidate may say it would be dangerous to allow the

South its constitutional rights. I reply, first, that there is and can be no danger so great as a plain, palpable violation of the great fundamental law. If it be dangerous to obey the Constitution, then our whole theory of government is a fraud, and worse than a farce. Suppose that a majority of Congress should fancy that it would be dangerous to allow New Hampshire representation in Congress, what would be the obvious answer? Would it not be, Gentlemen, our right of representation, thank God, does not rest upon the real assumed opinion of Congress as to whether it would be better for us to have representation, but is an absolute right, guaranteed by the Constitution, of which no power on earth can rightfully deprive us, which cannot be determined by any real or fancied danger, for it is a right the existence and exercise of which does not admit of discussion, without insult to the fathers who guaranteed that right without possible exception.

But, suppose for the sake of argument, that it is admissible, under certain circumstances or exigencies to palpably violate the Constitution, and every principle of popular government, to have taxation without representation, government without constituency or consent of the governed. What are those exigencies? Why, the candidate says it would be dangerous to allow the South to participate in the affairs of the government. Dangerous to what, and to whom? Does he seriously assert that the six millions of the South would out-vote and control the twenty-two millions of the North. The former impoverished by the terrible realities of a four years devastating war waged upon its soil, its people suffering almost for the common necessities of life, and the latter rolling in boasted wealth. It is impossible to heighten the absurdity which the mere statement of the case, as it exists, carries with it. But the gentleman says, would you allow Rebels to participate in the affairs of the government? I answer, disfranchisement of political communities is neither a legitimate, proper, or legal punishment, for crime is only to be punished by the means and in the manner provided in the Constitution by indictment, trial by jury, with all the safeguards for the decision of questions, both of law and fact, which that sacred instrument provides. Individuals, not communities, commit crime under all free governments, and specified punishments provided in advance, follow trials and convictions under our Constitution. Not *ex-post facto* punishments, expressly forbidden, not only by common sense and justice, the world over, but by the clearest provisions of our fundamental law. Dangerous to abide by the Constitution and the plainest principles of the common law is it, dangerous to permit the population of the ten states of the Union to participate in the affairs of the government? If this be dangerous, who can estimate the danger which would be the natural and inevitable result of their exclusion, by teaching by the most impressive and fatal lesson possible to be taught to six millions of people, that they are under and not of the government, that they are a proscribed race, that the doors of political position, aye, of decent livelihood, are forever closed to them, that they are the Irish of England, the Poles of Russia, the Hungarians of Austria, and the Christians of Turkey, compelled to learn the lesson of undying hatred themselves, and teach and transmit it with increasing virulence to their children and their children's children.

Was the object of the late terrible strife not to restore the Union, and sustain the Constitution, but to show with how much of malignity and how little of conciliation both may be destroyed? England has her Ireland groaning under oppression and misgovernment, yet English malignity has never yet been found strong enough to suggest the deprivation of common political rights to communities who have engaged in unavailing Rebellion.

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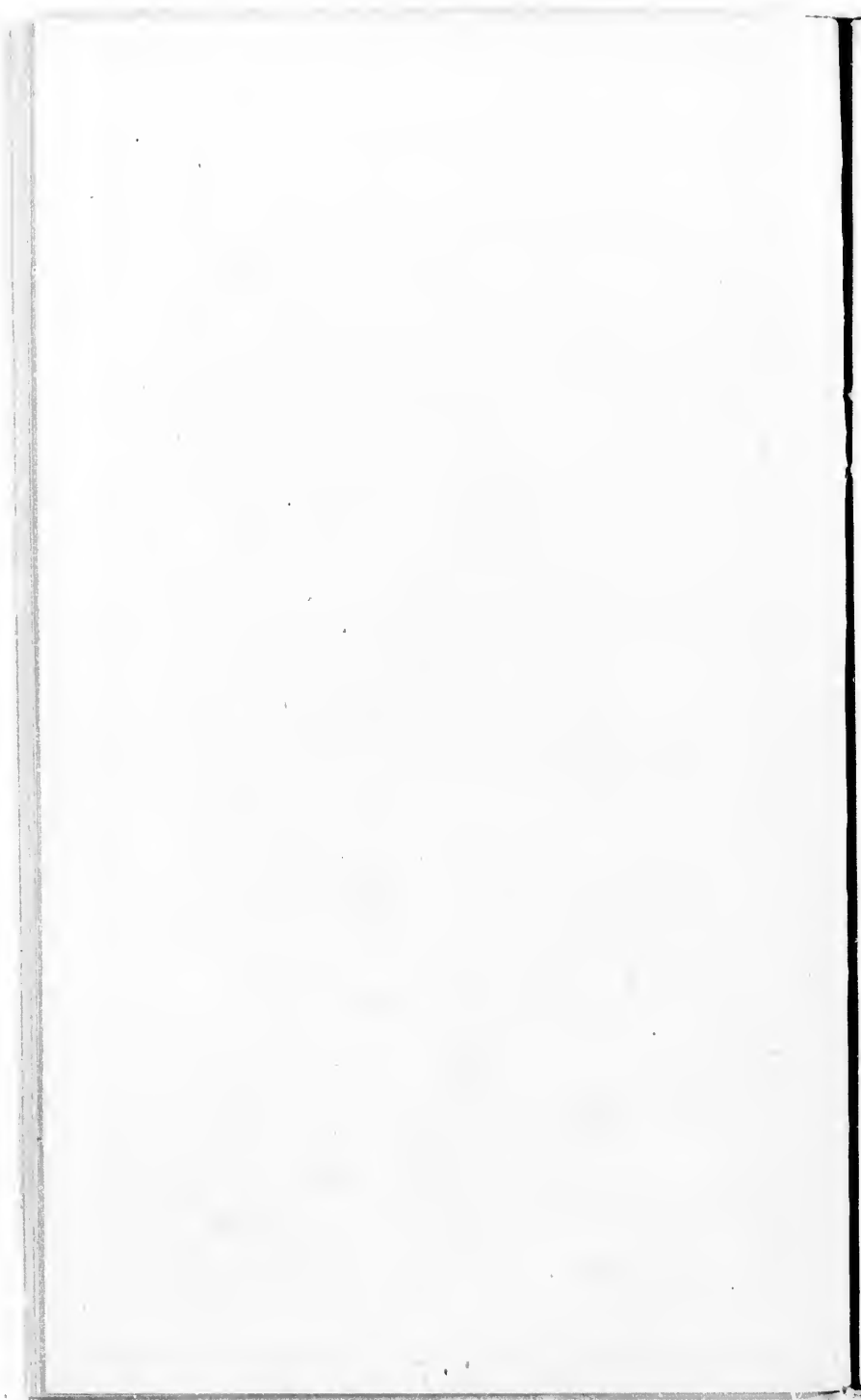
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where are the instances of English governmental shafts levelled at whole communities? Hungary unsuccessfully rebelled, Kossuth fled, and a very few of the leaders were punished and the conciliation and the confirming of new political privileges followed. Russia ground Poland to the dust but the sparks flashing under the iron heel of the oppressor generated revolution after revolution, till conciliation became the ruling policy of the Russian Empire.

Does the gentleman believe that six millions of people, descendants of those men who stood shoulder to shoulder with our fathers through the war of the Revolution, bone of our bone, and flesh of our flesh, can be made political outcasts with safety, or that either Christianity, humanity, honor, or statesmanship does not spurn the idea as shocking to the moral sense of mankind? Are the American people prepared to drown all sense of honor, of principle, of humanity, or statesmanship to engraft upon six millions of their own race the desperation of Ireland, the discontent of Hungary, and the despair of Poland? Have the teachings of Christianity given place to the low, groveling sentiments of partisan malignity, and to accomplish this, must the plainest provisions of the Constitution, and the most palpable principles of free government be trampled upon, and disregarded? Are we to go back to the fatal errors of the past? Are we to endeavor to go on without any constitutional restrictions or guaranties? Are we to be deluded with the idea that we can establish in the first place a consolidated Republic to end as all history assures us in a consolidated despotism, the whole theory of the government changed, and a great central despotism, erected upon the last hope of mankind?

God forbid, men of New Hampshire, whatever others may do, that your hands should be stained with this terrible iniquity. Can unprincipled insolence go farther than to suggest that the descendants of Langdon, and Stark, and Pierce, and Poor, and Scammel take part in this contemplated outrage, that the sons of those in whose midst the great expounder of the Constitution was born and reared, shall trample in the dust both his teachings and their subject? In God's name and for decency and consistency's sake, let the record of New Hampshire's early history and the teachings of the fathers, as embodied in our glorious Bill of Rights, be blotted from existence and all memory thereof annihilated beyond all hope of possible resurrection, before any degenerate son of New Hampshire shall dare breathe the suggestion of such unparalleled outrage. But the suggested outrage stops not here. Not only is it proposed to disfranchise substantially the whole white population and deprive them of all part or lot in the government, but by usurping the right of every sovereign state to place the political power and the destiny of the South in the hands of an inferior and ignorant race, only one step advanced, and that through the institution of Slavery, from the lowest depths of barbarism to repeat here the history of Jamaica and Hayti. What is that history? I quote from a work recently published in London, entitled, "The West Indies, Their Moral and Social Condition," the author of which, E. B. Underhill, was sent out under the auspices of the Baptist Missionary Society of London, and though a thorough-going Abolitionist at the start was obliged to give the following:

"We passed by many or through many abandoned plantations, the buildings in ruin, the sugar mills decayed, and the iron pans strewn the roadside, cracked and broken. But for the law which forbids, on pain of confiscation, the export of all metals, they would long ago have been sold to foreign merchants. Only once in this long ride did we come upon a mill in use, it was grinding canes in order to manufacture the syrup from which *Tafia* is made, a kind of inferior rum, the intoxicating drink of the country. In the time of the French occupation, before the Revolution of 1793,

'thousands of hogsheads of sugar were produced, *now, not one. All is decay and desolation.* The pastures are deserted, and the prickly pear covers the land once laughing with the bright hues of the sugar cane. *The plow is an unknown implement of culture,* although so eminently adapted to the great plains and deep soil of Hayti. A country so capable of producing for export, and therefore for the enrichment of its people, besides sugar, and coffee, cotton, tobacco, the castor-bean, spices, every tropical fruit and many of the fruits of Europe, *lies uncultivated, unoccupied, and desolate.* Its rich mines are neither explored nor worked, and its beautiful woods rot in the soil where they grow. A little logwood is exported, but ebony, mahogany, and the finest building timber, rarely fall before the woodman's ax, and then only for local uses. The present inhabitants despise *all servile labor*, and are, for the most part content with *the spontaneous productions of the soil and forests.*"

The degraded barbarous condition of the negroes of Hayti is well illustrated in a description given by Mr. Underhill of what is known as "The religion of Vandoux, or Serpent Worship." The object worshipped is a small green snake, and the custom is a purely African heathenism. The negro has always a predisposition to it.

"The Vandoux", says Mr. Underhill, "meet in a retired spot, designated at a previous meeting. On entering they take off their shoes, and bind about their bodies handkerchiefs in which a red color predominates. The King is known by the scarlet band around his head, worn like a crown, and a scarf of the same color distinguishes the Queen. The object of the adoration, the serpent, is placed on a stand. It is then worshipped; after which the box is placed on the ground, the Queen mounts upon it, is seized with violent tremblings, and gives utterance to oracles in response to the prayers of the worshippers; a dance closes the ceremony. The King puts his head on the serpents box; a tremor seizes him which is communicated to the circle. A delirious whirl or dance ensues, heightened by the free use of Tafia. The weakest fall, as if dead, upon the spot. The bacchanalian revelers, always dancing and turning about, are borne away into a place near at hand, where sometimes under the triple excitement of promiscuous intercourse, drunkenness and darkness, scenes are enacted, enough to make the impassible Gods of Africa itself gnash their teeth with horror."

Such is the revolting picture presented by that race under the influence of emancipation from slavery; go now to Africa, from whence came, a few generations back, the negroes of the South. Witness the native population sitting upon the sands of the sea shore, basking their naked forms in the rays of the sun, living upon the spontaneous productions of the soil, bowing down to the worship of idols, and tell me if you men of New Hampshire will make the negro the political equal, no, not the political equal, but the political master of the white race; and the negress the equal, aye! the superior of the unfortunate, unoffending white woman of the South and the very men who to-day prate to you of negro equality and negro franchise; are they whose party in New Hampshire was founded upon the idea of depriving Irishmen and foreigners of the right of suffrage, because, as they claimed, their education and appreciation of republican institutions would not warrant their being trusted with the ballot. But how is it proposed to accomplish this enormity, this absolute destruction of the reserved and sacred rights of the states, this overthrow of the fundamental theory of the Government? Why, the means proposed to be employed and now in process of development are well worthy the object to be attained: What are those means? Simply the impeachment of the President, the destruction of the Supreme Court, and the absolute usurpation by one of the co-ordinate branches of the government of the constitutional powers of the other two co-ordinate departments. The President,

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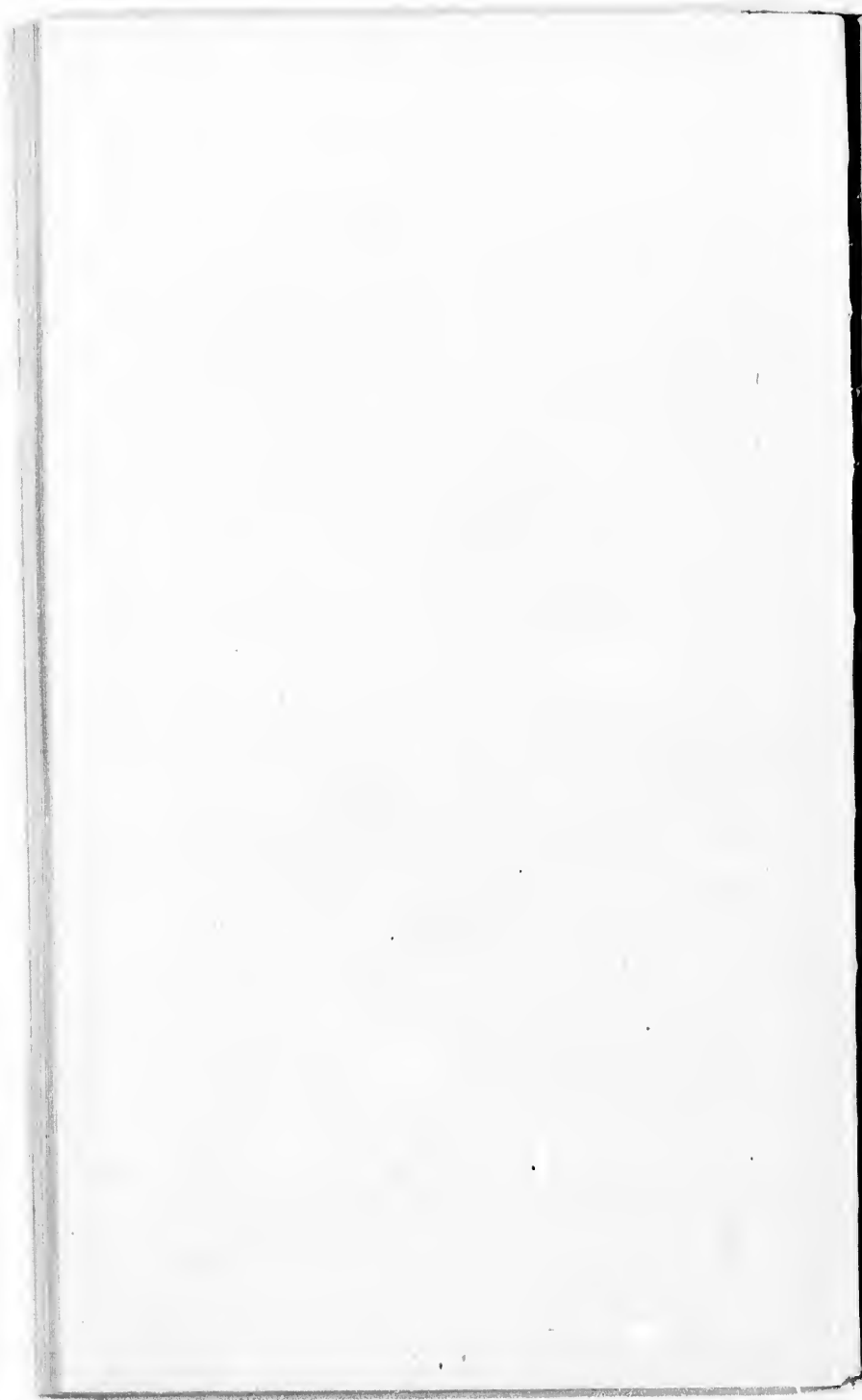
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At this point his time having expired, Mr. Sinclair closed his speech.

Gen. Walter Harriman then made a speech after his peculiar, eloquent and forcible manner, and at its conclusion Mr. Sinclair closed the debate as follows:

In rising to close the debate, he said he seemed to be remarkably unfortunate in the selection of questions, which he had submitted to his opponent. The first of the series was: Are you in favor of the impeachment of the President, and can you state any constitutional clause for his impeachment? The gentleman tells you, my fellow citizens, that it is a dead issue; also that the questions of the reconstruction of the Union, the denying of the right of the States to representation in the Congress of the United States, the reducing of States to the condition of Territories and Negro Suffrage; these, my friends, are all dead issues. If that was true, he was obliged to accept the issue forced upon him by the Republican State Central Committee, and in doing so he had propounded other interrogatories to the gentleman, which perhaps were not dead, but on the contrary were altogether too lively for the gentleman. He did not believe the fact of his nomination for governor by the Radical party a sufficient reply to the charges made by as brave and as truthful an officer as ever trod the field of battle, who had his arm shot off at Williamsburg, and who said to the Governor and Council; "If you will allow me to lay the evidence before you, if I do not prove every one of these charges and specifications to be strictly true, I will agree that my remaining arm be severed from my body." The only assumption that can be made is that every charge is literally true.

The gentleman says the Democratic party of New Hampshire is disloyal. Disloyal to what? To the Constitution? There is not a clause of that sacred instrument that they are not ready to swear with uplifted hands to support and obey. Is it to the Union? There is not a state from Canada to the gulf, or between the shores of either ocean, which their patriotism is not broad enough to embrace; its dead repose on every battlefield of the Union. Who of the many officers who went forth from New Hampshire was best entitled to be called the bravest of the brave? Who first in the deadly charge — last in retreat? What recent monument in our midst, inscribed with the names of twelve battles, points most proudly to heaven? What manly form, scarred by eleven wounds rests beneath it? A New

Hampshire Democrat; in the language of the candidate here, a New Hampshire Copperhead, Col. Edward E. Cross. Let the candidate go stand by that monument, read the record there inscribed—compare it with his own, then tell us when and where he earned the right to denounce the party to which he, to the hour of his death, was proud to belong. That party to which the candidate himself at its State Convention of 1861, after the secession of some of the states in the exuberance of his love exclaimed in the language of Ruth to Naomi: "Entreat me not to leave thee, nor return from following after thee; for whither thou goest will I go; where thou lodgest will I lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God; where thou diest will I die, and there will I be buried; the Lord do so to me and more also if aught but death part me and thee." While in the same breath he exclaimed that the secession which had already taken place was the inevitable result of the Constitutional and damnable heresies of the Republican party which, when predicted by him, they had laughed to scorn, but that levity upon such an occasion struck upon his ears like the laughter of the inebriate at the bed of death, or the fiddling of Nero at the burning of Rome.

The candidate tells us that the Constitutional Amendment is a proposition for reconstruction. By whom has that proposition ever been made, and what guarantee has the South that it will be restored to its Constitutional rights, even though that amendment be adopted? None whatever. Even now, Phillips and Sumner and their coadjutors proclaim that amendment to be unsatisfactory. See how it stands, when the ravages of the war were at the worst they were told: "You bring your infictions upon yourselves, you have nothing to do but lay down your arms, disband your armies, return to your peaceful avocations, acknowledge the authority of the Government of the United States, and resume your place as States in the Union, clothed with all your rights, and secure in all your privileges."

This language was used not only by the President, but substantially by both houses of Congress, and with these declarations fresh their arms were laid down, purposes of obedience to the Constitution and laws of the United States were declared, ordinances of secession were repealed. The condition not suggested by Mr. Lincoln, but required by the present President to be fulfilled, was complied with: Slavery was abolished, the rebel debt repudiated, and now, with ruin and want in every hamlet, when they claim the right of representation by loyal men in Congress, they are told that they have no right to participate in its deliberations, to present their wants, or speak of their woes. Mr. Sinclair closed in the following words:

Men of New Hampshire, who come from beneath the shadows of those mighty hills to which the patriotism of your fathers gave the names of Washington, of Jefferson, of Madison, of Monroe, of Webster and Clay, will you endorse such intrinsic wrong and flagrant fraud as this? Will you not rather swear that so long as your eyes shall be permitted to behold one green tree growing upon their bases, or a living stream come leaping from their sides, so long will you be true to the Constitution and the Union as our fathers made them.

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CHAPTER VIII.

OTHER SINKLERS, SINCLAIRS, AND ST. CLAIRS OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, MAINE, AND VERMONT.

1952. Charles Sinkler's name appears among the soldiers of New Hampshire. In the roll of Col. Shadrach Walton's men the name is spelled *Sinkler*. "The account is for sixty men from July 21 to Nov. 8, and for ten men from that time to Nov. 14. The year was not mentioned but it was probably 1710, on the expedition against Port Royal, which resulted in the capture of that place."

SINKLERS OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

1953. George Sinkler¹. The indications are that he was a near connection of the Exeter family, and was probably a son of James Sinkler², No. 7, or John Sinkler², No. 20. Born as early as 1707, as he was doing business in 1728, and was presumably 21 years of age. He first appears upon the records as of Exeter, N. H., Sept. 17, 1728, when he contracted to settle upon and carry on land in Nottingham, N. H., belonging to Aaron Morrill of Salisbury, Mass., for which he received a deed of said Morrill of ten acres of land in Nottingham. He was a resident in that town on Jan. 8, 1733-34, when he sold 40 acres of land there to Nathaniel Gilman. He had lots Nos. 38 and 40, in King street. On May 8, 1734, "now of Exeter," he bought land in Exeter of John McCrelis. He was a resident of Haverhill, Mass., on July 21, 1743, when he purchased one-third of two hundred acres in Nottingham of Aaron Morrill of Salisbury, Mass., the original right of James Calfe. He was of Kingston, N. H., Nov. 28, 1761, when he purchased land in Hampstead, N. H., of David and Mehitabel Hale. By trade he was called "Tayler." He resided in Hampstead till his death, which occurred between April 10 and May 27, 1767, as his will was made on the former, and probated on the latter date. He married Hannah ———, who survived him.

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- 1954. Sarah Sinkler²; was unmarried at his death, and was to inherit one-half of his dwelling house and lands at her mother's decease.
- 1955. Hannah Sinkler²; m. March 31, 1767, in Hampstead, N. H., Moses Poor of Plaistow, where they lived.
- 1956. Susannah Sinkler²; probably dau. of George Sinkler; m. in Hampstead, Dec. 2, 1784, John Clark.

SINCLAIRS OF BLUE HILL, ME.

1957. William Sinclair¹ of Blue Hill, Me., married October, 1789, Polly Carleton of Bradford, Mass. He may have been a son of Edward Sinclair, No. 118, but there is no positive proof.

1958. Edward Sinclair¹. He resided at Blue Hill, Me. He married Elizabeth ———.

CHILDREN BORN BLUE HILL, ME.

1959. Edward Dudley Sinclair², b. Aug. 1, 1826; d. Dec. 6, 1833.
 1960. Frederick Augustus Sinclair², b. March 9, 1828; d. Aug. 30, 1858, in California.
 1961. Elizabeth Sinclair², b. Oct. 1, 1829; m. ——— Carter.
 1962. Mary C. Sinclair², b. Sept. 9, 1830; m. John Burnham; res. Sherman, Me., P. O. Sherman Mills, Me.
 1963. Robert Haskell Sinclair², b. Aug. 6, 1833; res. Sargentville, Hancock co., Me.; m. Lorana D. Bradbury of New Limerick, Me.
 1964. Edward Sinclair², b. June 14, 1835.
 1965. Francis Sinclair², b. April 3, 1838.
 1966. Andrew E. H. Sinclair², b. Nov. 1, 1840; res. Sargentville, Hancock co., Me.; m. Clara L. Sleeper.

JOHN ST. CLAIR OF STRAFFORD, VT.

1967. John St. Clair¹ of Strafford, Vt., was without question an offshoot of the New Hampshire family of that name. There is strong reason for supposing that he was a son of Ebenezer Sinclair, the martyr soldier of the Revolution (see No. 129), though there is no positive evidence. He had land deeded to him in Strafford by Ashael Chamberlain. In personal appearance he was tall, straight, and finely proportioned. His date of birth was Jan. 18, 1778, and he died in Burlington, Vt., July 4, 1817, and is buried there. Mrs. St. Clair was Rhoda Merrill, a sister of John Merrill of Claremont, N. H. They were married Sept. 18, 1797. She was born Oct. 14, 1777. After Mr. St. Clair's death she married for her 2d husband, Oct. 18, 1817, Simeon Green. Her death occurred May 31, 1844. Her children by 2d marriage were: Alpha Green, born Jan. 30, 1819; married June 4, 1849, Samuel H. Bachelder, and died Sept. 20, 1866. Alba Greene, born Nov. 19, 1820; married Aug. 26, 1844, Apphia Clogston. He was a Union soldier, and died in the hospital at Alexandria, Va., Dec. 20, 1863.

CHILDREN BORN STRAFFORD, VT.

1968. John Merrill St. Clair² (1974), b. Jan. 13, 1800; d. in Strafford, Sept. 26, 1835.
 1969. Cynthia St. Clair², b. Feb. 24, 1804; m. Nov. 3, 1825, Dana, son of Micajah Rogers of Vershire, Vt. He was a wheelwright. They lived and d. in West Fairlee, Vt. Her death occurred Oct. 12, 1829. They had children among whom were:
 1. Sullivan Rogers².
 1970. Ebenezer St. Clair² (1980), b. May 13, 1806; d. June 27, 1853.
 1971. Thomas Jefferson St. Clair², b. March 8, 1808, and res. in Plainfield, or Marshfield, Vt., where he d. Jan. 24, 1872. He m. May 7,

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1980]

JOHN MERRILL ST. CLAIR, OF STRAFFORD, VT.

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1833, Finette Roby of Strafford, who res. in Marshfield, Vt., in
1888. Children:

1. Royal St. Clair².

2. Orilla St. Clair²; m. Mr. Smith, and lives in Marshfield, Vt.

1972. Hollis St. Clair² (1886), b. June 13, 1810; res. Cumberland, Me.

1973. Orilla St. Clair², b. Nov. 22, 1812; d. June 9, 1830.

1974. John Merrill St. Clair² [1968] (John¹). He was born in
Strafford, Vt., Jan. 13, 1800; died in that town Sept. 26, 1835. On
Dec. 3, 1822, he and Catherine Rogers were married, who died Sept.
25, 1880, aged 77 yrs. 7 mos. 13 days.

CHILDREN BORN STRAFFORD, VT.

1975. Roxanna Mary Sylvana St. Clair², b. Jan. 29, 1823. She m. Col.
John Presscy of Salisbury, N. H., and d. April 4, 1851, aged 28
yrs. 2 mos. 6 days. One child d. in infancy.

1978. Harriet St. Clair², b. March 30, 1825; m. Abel Goodrich Pearson, son
of Amos Pearson of Dracut, Mass. He was b. in Lowell, Mass.,
June 7, 1824; carpenter and machinist; res. 348 Haverhill street,
Lawrence, Mass. Children b. Lawrence, Mass.:

1. Walter Roland Pearson², b. Nov. 12, 1854. Is clerk of the
Essex Co. He m. Isabella, dau. of Ira Libbey of Belfast,
Me.; res. Lawrence, Mass.

2. Herbert St. Clair Pearson², b. Oct. 2, 1858; res. Gunlass, Col.;
single.

1977. Annette St. Clair², b. Nov. 23, 1827; d. June 10, 1835, aged 7 yrs. 8
mos. 17 days.

1978. Loruhamah St. Clair², b. Dec. 15, 1830; m. William H. Pearson, who
was b. Lowell, Mass., Feb. 12, 1829; res. 118 Salem street, Low-
ell, Mass. Children:

1. Wilbur Fisk Pearson², b. March 8, 1824; m. Addie Coburn;
res. Lowell, Mass. Child:

i. Annette Grace Pearson².

2. Elmer Ellsworth Pearson², b. March 10, 1862; res. Lowell
Mass.

1979. Wilbur Fisk St. Clair², b. Sept. 4, 1834; d. May 18, 1835, aged 7 yrs.
6 mos. 14 days.

1980. Ebenezer St. Clair² [1970] (John¹). He was born in
Strafford, Vt., May 5, 1806. When nine years of age he went to
live with John Burnham, a farmer in Strafford, and father of Hon.
Royal Burnham of that town. He made his home with that family
until he attained his majority. Late in life he was second agent of
the Copperas Hill Mining Works, and filled the place acceptably for
many years. In 1836 he went to the city of New York, and was
connected with the establishment of the Croton water works. He
returned to his native town and in 1840, became owner and mana-
ger of a hotel at South Strafford, where he died June 27, 1853. He
married Sept. 1, 1833, Eleanor, daughter of Leavett and Mary
(Newton) West of Strafford, where she was born Aug. 10, 1807.
In 1866 she removed to Manchester, N. H., and in 1874, to Kala-
mazoo, Mich., where she resided in 1888.

CHILDREN.

1981. Ellen Louisa St. Clair^d, b. Strafford, Vt., July 8, 1834; d. Oct. 18, 1860.
1982. Mary Frances St. Clair^d, b. Strafford, Vt., Sept. 6, 1838; m. Dec. 31, 1860, Calvin Augustus Jones, who was b. in Waterford, Me., June 25, 1835, son of Leonard and Sarah (Horr) Jones; res. Manchester, N. H.
1983. William Monroe St. Clair^d, b. New York, N. Y., April 12, 1838. He was a Union soldier; was a member of the 15th regiment, Vermont Volunteers, and d. of typhoid fever, at Fairfax Court House, Va., Feb. 1, 1863.
1984. Adelaide St. Clair^d, b. Strafford, Vt., Nov. 15, 1840; res. 725 West Main street, Kalamazoo, Mich.
1985. Henrietta St. Clair^d, b. Strafford, Vt., Dec. 10, 1841; m. April 24, 1871, Hale Page Kauffer of Elitchburg, Mass. He was b. in Methuen, Mass., Dec. 31, 1839; is a manufacturer, and res. in Kalamazoo, Mich. Child:
1. Nellie Marie Kauffer^d, b. Nov. 3, 1874.

1986. Hollis St. Clair^s [1972] (John¹). He was born in Strafford, Vt., June 13, 1810, and lived upon a farm until he was 16 years of age, where he was for the next nine years employed in the Copperas Mining Company's works. During this period he attended the common school, and two terms in the academy at Thetford, Vt. He taught country schools for three winters. In 1835 he went to Jewells Island, in Casco Bay, Me., and had charge of the copperas and alum works, where he remained six years. In 1840 he purchased a farm of Ephraim Sturtevant in Cumberland, Me. He has been a justice of the peace and quorum for the state for 47 years. In 1844-45 he was commissary for parties engaged in establishing the northeastern boundary between Canada and the United States. He was inspector of customs in the Custom House at Portland, Me., during the four years of Pres. James Buchanan's administration. He is a successful financier and farmer; a Democrat in politics, and an attendant of the Methodist Episcopal church. In personal appearance he is tall, with a strong powerful built frame, with dark hair and complexion. He married Oct. 15, 1840, Jane, daughter of Ephraim and Rachel (Drinkwater) Sturtevant of Cumberland, Me. She was born there Sept. 9, 1817, and died there suddenly of heart disease, Oct. 12, 1871. He married 2d, Nov. 2, 1882, Jane Sturtevant Merrill, daughter of John and Sally (Chenery) Merrill. She was born in Cumberland, June 20, 1836; resides in Cumberland, Me.

CHILDREN.

1987. Frances Gertrude St. Clair^d, b. Portland, Me., March 18, 1842, and lives with her father.
1988. Herbert St. Clair^d, b. Cumberland, Me., Feb. 5, 1860; farmer; res. Cumberland, Me.

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CHAPTER IX.

ROBERT SINKLER OF WELLS, ME., AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

1989. Robert Sinkler, in the old records, was an early resident of Wells, Me. The relationship which existed between him and John Sinkler the first of Exeter, N. H., is not known. It is probable that he was a son of the aforesaid John of Exeter, although there has been found no evidence of this in any will or other record. Many wills and deeds in former times were never recorded at the county offices, and were ultimately lost. It was not an uncommon thing for one to deed to his son in land what he considered would be that son's portion of his estate, and then make no mention of said son in his will. This may have been the case with John Sinkler of Exeter, in relation to Robert Sinkler of Wells, Me. The distance between the places was not great, many citizens of Exeter had settled in Wells, and the latter place was an outlet for the older settlement, and furnished a home for its surplus inhabitants and sons of its older residents. There it was that Rev. John Wheelwright and his colony found a refuge when they fled from Exeter. The communication between the citizens of the two towns, as evidenced upon the records, was very close and intimate, and transfers of land from the citizens of one town to the citizens of the other were continually taking place. It is not unlikely, indeed it is extremely probable, that Robert Sinkler of Wells had received land there as his part of his inheritance, although such deed of conveyance may not be on record. There are several evidences of close relationship between John Sinkler of Exeter and his supposed son, Robert Sinkler of Wells. The age of the latter was right for him to be a son of the former. The same christian names have for generations been perpetuated in either branch; the habits, customs, and occupations of persons of the two lines have been largely the same, and at this day there is a strong family resemblance between representatives of the diverged and diverging lines.

From the earliest record John Sinkler of Exeter was a pioneer, and struck out upon the frontier of civilization, and through all generations to the present, his descendants have been pioneers, and have loved frontier life. Many of them have been mechanics, the owners of sawmills, and other kinds of manufactories. It seemed

as though one of the race could not be happy unless he was converting the vast trees of the forest into manufactured lumber, thus making it serviceable to man. All of these characteristics have been prominent in the descendants of Robert Sinkler of Wells. They, too, have been frontiersmen, mechanics, owners and operators of mills and manufactories. Jonathan Sinkler, a grandson of John Sinkler of Exeter, and himself a native of that town, was an owner of land, and a resident of Wells, Me., in 1729. Robert Sinkler, his supposed uncle, was there much earlier, although the records do not state the exact time. He was there early in its history, for that town in a public town meeting on March 18, 1812-14, voted him a grant of 100 acres, and 10 acres of meadow. The latter remained in the possession of his family until May 20, 1734, when it was sold by his son. Whom he married is not known. He died previous to April 28, 1718, and on Dec. 10, 1734, his son in a deed alludes to him as "late of Wells, deceased." His wife was Elizabeth ———, who on April 28, 1718, married 2d Peter Rich of Wells, and several times in deeds she and her husband relinquished power of thirds and right of dower in Robert Sinkler's land.

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1990. John Sinkler² (1991), b. before 1713, as he deeded land May 20, 1734; m. Mary Wakefield April 19, 1739.

1991. John Sinkler² [1990] (Robert¹). He was born as early as 1713, probably in Wells, Me., as he deeded land May 20, 1734, and must have been of age. He was a resident of Wells, Me., in what is now Kennebunk, near the old Larrabee Garrison on the bank of the Mousam river. In an old deed he is called cordwainer. On May 20, 1734, and Dec. 23, the same year, he deeded away land which had belonged to his father. He bought land and two-thirds of a sawmill Feb. 1, 1738. On March 17, 1841, he sold his dwelling

*Rye, Normandy, France, in 1046 and earlier, was the place where Hubert Sinclair and his stalwart sons lived in a strong castle.

Rye, Sussex co., England, twenty years later, and after the Conquest in 1066, had received its name by the Sinclairs for the old Norman home, and was the abode of a brother of Hubert's, Hamo Sinclair, who built its castle, and of his famous son Robert Sinclair, who fortified and strengthened it.

Rye, Rockingham co., New Hampshire, U. S., six centuries later, took its name from the English town. Two and one-fourth centuries later and 843 years after the first union, still the name of Rye and Sinclair were again associated as Hon. Charles A. Sinclair represented Rye, N. H., in the Senate of New Hampshire.

The situation of these towns is similar in some respects. Rye, Normandy, France, is near the sounding sea, but the castle has vanished away. Rye, England, was one of the Cinque ports, the nearest sailing point to France. While in the quaint old city, on the side of a hill, the old castle the home of the Sinclairs still stands. Rye, New Hampshire, U. S., is on the sea coast, and the entire length of the town is washed by the briny waves of the Atlantic ocean.

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house, land and fences to John Storer, the deed not signed by his wife. He was living in Arundell, Me., Sept. 5, 1744, and soon after removed to Boston, Mass., where on Aug. 19, 1748, he sold land in Arundell, Me. He had military experience like most of the Sincinlaers, and volunteered as a soldier from Wells, Me., under Capt. John Storer, and was in the expedition which captured Louisburg on June 28th, 1745. This was the strongest fortress on the continent. The troops sailed from Boston, Mass., March 24, 1745, and forty-nine days were spent in the reduction of the place. Was again a resident of Arundell, when "for not frequenting the public worship of God on the Lord's day for six months, from Jan. 1, 1749," he was brought before the court and fined. He lived in Arundell, Me., until about 1770, when he removed from the town, or died, probably the latter. He married April 19, 1739, Mary Wakefield. From information furnished me the following were his

CHILDREN.

1902. Adoniram Sinkler^a (1904); m. Elizabeth Joy; res. Lisbon, Me.
1903. Mary Sinkler^a; was published Oct. 4, 1786, to Mark Fisk, and m.
Nov. 12, 1786.

1994. Adoniram Sinkler^a [1992] (John^a, Robert^a). He located in Lisbon, Me., about 1760, and was among the earliest settlers of that town. At that period it was a wilderness, thickly wooded, with no roads, and none of the appurtenances of civilized life. His nearest neighbor lived several miles away. That neighbor was old Master Bibber, and his wife and Mrs. Sinkler often exchanged visits, going back and forth through the forests, finding their way by marked or blazed trees. The nearest gristmill was fifteen miles away, at Bath, Me., and to that mill Mr. Sinkler frequently went carrying a bushel of corn upon his back to be ground, and bringing it back to his home in the same manner. He took his land in its wild state and made a highly productive and beautiful farm. It was situated in the north part of the town, six miles from Lisbon Falls, and is still known as the Sinclair homestead. Mr. Sinkler, his descendants say, was a son of John Sinkler of Wells and Arundell, Me., which appears to be a correct statement. He was not a religious man till a few years before his death, when he was converted and became an earnest and devoted follower of the Master. Thrice each day did prayer ascend to the Heavenly Father. He married Elizabeth Joy, and she and her husband were members of the Baptist church. He died when about 90 years of age. Mrs. Sinkler died when about 75 years of age. They died and are buried in Lisbon, Me.

CHILDREN BORN LISBON, ME.

1995. John Sinclair⁴ (2003), b. Dec. 7, 1769; m. Mrs. Mary (Hyde) Har-
mon; res. Lisbon, Me.; d. June 22, 1845.
1996. Thomas Sinclair⁴ (2010), b. Feb. 4, 1772; res. Litchfield, Me.

1997. Joseph Sinclair⁴, b. Aug. 26, 1775. Went to sea and for fourteen years was not heard from, was shipwrecked and brought in to Damariscotta, Me., returned to his home and died.
1998. Mary Sinclair⁴ (2016), b. Sept. 6, 1779; m. Ezekiel Rich; res. in Otisfield, Me.
1999. Nathaniel Sinclair⁴ (2024), b. Sept. 28, 1782; res. Lisbon, Me.
2000. Ebenezer Sinclair⁴, b. Sept. 28, 1782. Was m. and had a family; res. Litchfield, Me.
2001. Adoniram Sinclair⁴ (2031), b. March 4, 1785; res. Clinton, Me.
2002. Moses Sinclair⁴, b. April 15, 1787; m. Esther ——. He enlisted in the military service of the United States in the last war with Great Britain, 1812-15, and is supposed to have died in the service. He had three children; res. Phippsburg, Me.

2003. John Sinclair⁴ [1995] (Adoniram⁴, John², Robert¹). He was born Lisbon, Me., Dec. 17, 1769, and lived and died upon the same farm. It was a fine farm of 150 acres; was a farmer. He was a Republican in politics, and in religious faith a Baptist. He was of excellent character, a good citizen, and was beloved and respected; had good judgment and quite intelligent. Was of medium height, light complexioned, with light hair and blue eyes, and weighed 150 lbs. He married Mrs. Mary (Hyde) Harmon. She was a native of Roxbury, Mass. She lived in Waterford, Me., with her first husband, and after his death, and five years after the birth of her youngest child², she married Mr. Sinclair. She possessed much executive ability and force of character. She once rode on horseback from Lisbon to Waterford, crossing the ferry, and carrying her babe in her arms. She was born May, 1767, and died March 13, 1865. He died June 22, 1845.

CHILDREN.

2004. Nathaniel Sinclair⁵ (2635), b. Dec. 22, 1799; res. Gardiner, Me.
2005. Eliza Joy Sinclair⁵ (2039), b. March 11, 1802; m. Major Edmund Hinkley; res. Lewiston, Me.
2006. Abigail Sinclair⁵ (2048), b. Sept. 5, 1804; m. Oct. 17, 1830, James Lambert Trufant; res. Auburn, Me.
2007. Moses Sinclair⁵ (2056) b. March 15, 1807; m. Lucretia T. Higgins June 5, 1846, and d. Sept. 28, 1883.
2008. Lucinda Sinclair⁵ (2064), b. Aug. 6, 1809; m. Captain William Webber, and d. Jan. 30, 1877.
2009. Arba Hyde Sinclair⁵, b. Jan. 30, 1812; was a carpenter and builder. He erected the house standing upon the old Sinclair homestead in Lisbon, Me. He lived in that town, and d. of consumption May 17, 1841, aged 29 yrs. 3 mos. 18 days. He was an exemplary Christian; unmarried.

2010. Thomas Sinclair⁴ [1996] (Adoniram⁴, John², Robert¹). He was born in Lisbon, Me., Feb. 4, 1772; m. Abigail Hyde, a sister to his brother John Sinclair's wife. His home was in Litchfield, Me.

* Her children were born Waterford, Me.:

Polly Harmon, b. July 8, 1788.

David Harmon, b. April 25, 1792; d. in Troy, Me., leaving a large family.

Lydia Harmon, b. March 1, 1797; m. Capt. William B. Trufant of Bath, Me., and was living there in February, 1889.

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- 2011. Joseph Sinclair².
- 2012. Ezekiel Sinclair².
- 2013. Mary Sinclair².
- 2014. Mehitabel Sinclair²; m. Owen Lawrence, and res. Wayne, Me.
They had children and one was named William Lawrence².
- 2015. Rebecca Sinclair²; res. Monmouth, Me.

2016. Mary Sinclair² [1998] (Adoniram², John², Robert¹). She
was born in Lisbon, Me., Sept. 6, 1779; married Ezekiel Rich, and
lived in Otisfield, Me.*

CHILDREN BORN OTISFIELD, ME.

- 2017. Ebenezer S. Rich², b. June 16, 1802.
- 2018. Elizabeth S. Rich², b. April 19, 1804.
- 2019. Adoniram S. Rich², b. May 18, 1806.
- 2020. Mary Rich², b. March 31, 1810.
- 2021. Rebecca Rich², b. May 25, 1812.
- 2022. Ezekiel Rich², b. April 5, 1815.
- 2023. Judith Rich², b. July 26, 1817.

2024. Nathaniel Sinclair² [1999] (Adoniram², John², Robert¹).
He was born in Lisbon, Me., Sept. 28, 1782. He married Eleanor
———. He was killed by a load of wood falling upon him in
Brunswick, Me., June 10, 1816; resided in Lisbon, Me.

CHILDREN BORN LISBON, ME.

- 2025. William Sinclair², b. Feb. 6, 1803.
- 2026. Eneas Sinclair², b. Sept. 18, 1804; lived in Brewer, Me.
- 2027. Solon Sinclair², b. March 22, 1807; lived in Bangor, Me.
- 2028. Cyrus Bourke Sinclair², b. March 13, 1810; res. Bangor, Me.
- 2029. Eleanor Sinclair², b. April 26, 1814.
- 2030. Nathaniel Sinclair², b. June 20, 1816.

2031. Adoniram Sinclair² [2001] (Adoniram², John², Robert¹).
He was born in Lisbon, Me., March 4, 1785; resided in Clinton and
Waterville, Me. Name of wife unknown.

CHILDREN.

- 2032. Dudley Sinclair².
- 2033. Henry Sinclair².
- 2034. Elizabeth Sinclair², and perhaps other children.

THE RICHE FAMILY.

* Ralphe le Riche, who won this sobriquet, was of Sinclair blood, and
the feudal chief of Senlis, near Paris, France, in the 10th century. His son,
Warren le Rich went from Normandy to England with William the Con-
queror in 1066, and was the ancestor of the English family of Rich. (Sin-
clairs of England, p. 123.) In this instance and in that of Elizabeth Sin-
clair, widow of Robert, No. 1989, who married Peter Rich, the long diverg-
ing lines of the same family, Rich and Sinclairs, are again united.

2035. Nathaniel Sinclair^s [2004] (John^t, Adoniram^s, John^s, Robert¹). He was born in Lisbon, Me., Dec. 29, 1799, and was drowned while rafting logs on the Kennebec river, at Gardiner, Me., Aug. 18, 1831. He married Dollie, daughter of Stephen and Lydia (Wheeler) Greenleaf, a native of Whitefield, Me. Mr. Sinclair resided at Bath and Gardiner, Me. Mrs. Sinclair married 2d Nahum Speers. She married 3d Anderson Fletcher of Gardiner, Me. She died in Northport, N. Y., Jan. 25, 1865.

CHILDREN.

2036. John Greenleaf Sinclair^s, b. Bath, Me., January, 1826. Was a fine man. A carpenter by trade. He started for Philadelphia, Penn., in 1855, and was never heard from.
2037. Mary Hyde Sinclair^s (2067), b. Lisbon, Me., March 19, 1827; m. Sept. 30, 1851, Edward M. York; res. Hammond, Minn.
2038. Lydia Ann Sinclair^s (2077), b. Gardiner, Me., March 25, 1829; m. William R. Pomeroy; res. 354 11th street, San Francisco, Cal.

2039. Eliza Joy Sinclair^s [2005] (John^t, Adoniram^s, John^s, Robert¹). She was born in Lisbon, Me., June 11, 1802; married May 12, 1826. Maj. Edmund Hinkley, born in Lisbon, Me., July 24, 1790, and died there July 24, 1867. He was a farmer, and resided in Lisbon, Me. She is a Freewill Baptist; resides Lewiston, Me.

CHILDREN BORN LISBON, ME.

2040. Huldah Jane Hinkley^s, b. Sept. 27, 1827; m. Dec. 27, 1854, at Lowell, Mass., Solon Moulton, and d. at Lewiston, Me., Dec. 27, 1881.
2041. Sanford Hinkley^s, b. Feb. 19, 1830; d. Canton, Me., Feb. 26, 1860; single.
2042. Eliza Ann Hinkley^s, b. March 15, 1832; res. 43 Bates street, Lewiston, Me.; single.
2043. Emeline Hinkley^s, b. Sept. 19, 1834; m. at Auburn, Me., Oct. 29, 1855, Alphonso Ezra Kilgore. She d. at Lewiston, Me., July 30, 1879. Child:
1. Rollo Kilgore^t, b. Lewiston, Me., April 26, 1857.
2044. Moses Sinclair Hinkley^s, b. Aug. 24, 1837; m. July 16, 1864, in New York City, Anna Graham. Children:
1. Florence Ineze Hinkley^t, b. Lewiston, Me., June 16, 1865.
2. Edwin Hinkley^t, b. New York, N. Y., Dec. 13, 1867.
2045. Edmund Hinkley^s, b. Sept. 10, 1839; d. Lisbon, Me., March 27, 1841.
2046. Edmund Hinkley^s, b. Jan. 6, 1842; m. at Lewiston, Me., Jan. 6, 1872, Frances Brown. Child:
1. Lulu Hinkley^t, b. Lewiston, Me., March 16, 1886.
2047. Abbie Trufant Hinkley^s, b. Sept. 28, 1844; m. Lewiston, Me., July 1, 1880, Edward Corliss.

2048. Abigail Sinclair^s [2006] (John^t, Adoniram^s, John^s, Robert¹). She was born in Lisbon, Me., Sept. 5, 1804; married Oct. 17, 1830, James Lambert Trufant; resided in Danville; was a farmer, and lumberman and trader and Auburn, Me. He was born Feb. 4, 1806, and died March 21, 1884. She resides in Pownall, Me. He was a farmer and merchant. Started for California Feb. 19, 1853, and

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spent one year at Sonora in mining; was successful. About 1860 he went into the grocery trade at Auburn, Me., till incapacitated for business by failure of his eyesight. He and his wife maintained through life irreproachable characters. They possessed cheerful and amiable dispositions, and were consistent members of the Baptist church. He was a Whig in politics and on the disruption of the Whig party became a Republican and remained one to the close of life.

CHILDREN.

2049. Charles M. Trufant², b. Lewiston, Me., Aug. 13, 1831. He m. Nov. 29, 1859, Amelia Dale. Is a clothier; res. Boston, Mass. Children:
1. Herbert Ashley Trufant¹, b. Everett, Mass.; now deceased.
2. Gertrude Amelia Trufant¹, b. Chelsea, Mass., May 7, 1863.
3. Clarence L. Trufant¹, b. Chelsea, Mass., Nov. 10, 1867.
2050. Lucinda Webber Trufant², b. Lewiston, Me., March 13, 1833; d. May 12, 1859.
2051. Sarah Jane Trufant², b. Lewiston, Me., June 26, 1835; m. June 21, 1866, William H. Foster. He is deceased. Children:
1. Annie L. Foster¹, b. Boston, Mass., April 14, 1867.
2. Lillie Amelia Foster¹, b. Boston, Mass., March 3, 1869.
3. William Trufant Foster¹, b. Boston, Mass., Jan. 18, 1879.
2052. Ellen M. F. Trufant², b. Danville, now Auburn, Me., Jan. 31, 1838; m. Washington J. Milliken July 6, 1870. He was born in Red-dington, Me., Jan. 9, 1840. Is a lumber merchant; no children; res. Pownall, Me.
2053. Arba Hyde Trufant², b. Auburn, Me., March 20, 1841; m. Mary J. Staples Dec. 22, 1866; shoe manufacturer; res. Auburn, Me. Children:
1. Carrie May Trufant¹, b. Auburn, Me., Oct., 1868; d. July 25, 1873.
2. Lillian Amelia Trufant¹, b. Auburn, Me., May 8, 1876.
3. Lester Hall Trufant¹, b. Auburn, Me., Aug. 11, 1882.
2054. Hattie L. Trufant², b. Auburn, Me., April 3, 1843; m. Cornelius Thomas May 14, 1870; res. Pownall, Me. Children:
1. Leroy Lenwood Thomas¹, b. Auburn, Me., Sept. 24, 1874.
2. Ada Florence Thomas¹, b. Auburn, Me., Feb. 22, 1877.
2055. Addie F. Trufant², b. Auburn, Me., Feb. 12, 1848; m. Elliot Yeaton Sept. 17, 1873. He is a shoe manufacturer; res. Auburn, Me. Children:
1. Lena May Yeaton¹, b. Auburn, Me., Aug. 4, 1874.
2. Carrie Bell Yeaton¹, b. Auburn, Me., Jan. 20, 1876.
3. Hermon Washington Trufant Yeaton¹, b. Auburn, Me., Sept. 25, 1883.
4. William Trufant Yeaton¹, b. Auburn, Me., Nov. 14, 1885.

2056. Moses Sinclair² [2007] (John⁴, Adoniram², John², Robert¹). He was born Lisbon, Me., March 15, 1807. His left hand and arm were crippled for life in consequence of a severe burn, as he when nine months of age fell into the open fireplace. His education was acquired in the common school, and his life till 21 was spent upon the homestead farm. A great sorrow fell upon him when eighteen years of age, by the death of his mother, to whom he was greatly attached. When twenty-one he was employed for three years upon the hospital farm at Bath, Me., then known as Fiddler's Reach. The six succeeding years, or until thirty years of age, he spent on

the homestead, when he went into the lumbering business at Little River Village, now Lisbon Falls. He had an interest in a sawmill, and later owned a shingle and clapboard mill, and transacted business till they were destroyed by fire in 1852. After this heavy loss he engaged in the grocery trade at East Auburn, Me., for three years, when he purchased a small farm in his native town, where he lived till his death, Sept. 28, 1883, aged 76 yrs. 6 mos. 14 days. He married June 5, 1846, Lucretia Totman Higgins of Lisbon, Me., daughter of Zaccheus Beal and Mary Linscot (Totman) Higgins. He was domestic in his nature and his life seemed bound up in his family, and for them any sacrifice was cheerfully made. He was noted for his kindness and generosity, and possessed rare qualities of mind and heart which drew men to him. During his last years he dwelt beneath the shadows, and his mind was oppressed with melancholy, from which he could with difficulty arouse himself, except when he realized that it caused sadness to others. Mrs. Sinclair resides East Rochester, N. H.

CHILDREN BORN LISBON, ME.

2057. Angeline Roena Sinclair^a, b. Feb. 4, 1847; m. July 2, 1867, William Herbert Faunce. Children:
 1. Helen Sarah Faunce⁷, b. March 22, 1868.
 2. Edwin Everett Faunce⁷, b. June 5, 1870; d. Dec. 15, 1870; res. East Rochester, N. H.
2058. Everett Moses Sinclair^a (2080), b. Aug. 16, 1848; res. East Rochester, N. H.
2059. Willis Webber Sinclair^a (2083), b. July 23, 1852; res. East Rochester, N. H.
2060. Trufant Sinclair^a, b. July 8, 1854; d. Aug. 10, 1854.
2061. Silas Trufant Sinclair^a (2084), b. Jan. 9, 1857; res. East Rochester, N. H.
2062. Charles Trufant Sinclair^a, b. Sept. 30, 1859; d. July 26, 1864.
2063. Jennie Webber Sinclair^a, b. Feb. 14, 1863. She was graduated from the High school at Lisbon Falls, Me., in 1882; res. East Rochester, N. H.

2064. Lucinda Sinclair^a [2008] (John^a, Adoniram^a, John^a, Robert¹). She was born Lisbon, Me., Aug. 6, 1809; married July 4, 1835, Capt. William Webber, who was born in Chatham, England, Oct. 1, 1805. He went to sea as a cabin boy when 12 years of age, and was a follower of the sea all his after life. He acquired a good education on shipboard. He was master of many coasting vessels which ran between New Orleans, La., and Pensacola, Fla., previous to the war. He was a skilful navigator, and for 45 years was master of a ship. He enjoyed the confidence of all. He died June 20, 1881, at New Orleans, La.; she died Jan. 30, 1877.

CHILDREN.

2065. William Henry Webber^a, b. Lisbon, Me., May 20, 1838; farmer. Lived on the homestead at Lisbon till he sold it in 1876 and moved to Portland, Me., and was a bookkeeper. He m. at Lisbon, Me., June 14, 1864, Emeline Thompson of that town, who with

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Me., May 18, 1877. Child:

1. Levi Hanson Webber¹, b. Dec. 12, 1865; m. Belle Cleaves and
res. Biddeford, Me.; bookkeeper in a stove foundry.
2066. Jennie Lucinda Webber², b. Lisbon, Me., June 16, 1841. She m. May
28, 1865, Thomas Smullen Purinton of Lisbon. He was captain
of the barque *Frank Marion*, built and owned by E. & A. Sewall
of Bath, Me. He d. of yellow fever at New Orleans, La., July
25, 1867, while on a return trip from the West Indies. He is
buried in the old cemetery at Lisbon, Me. She lives at Lisbon
Falls, Me. Child:
1. Willie Webber¹, b. Jan. 5, 1867; d. Aug. 20, 1867.

2067. Mary Hyde Sinclair² [2037] (Nathaniel², John², Adoniram²,
John², Robert¹). She was born in Lisbon, Me., March 19, 1827;
married Sept. 30, 1851, Edward Melcher York. They resided in
Merrimack, N. H., in Hyde Park, Minn., and in 1888 in Hammond
(P. O. Zumbro), Wabasha co., Minn. He is a farmer. Has been
for fifteen years assessor in this town. He was born in Lisbon, Me.,
Jan. 6, 1823.

CHILDREN.

2068. Edward Nathaniel York¹, b. Merrimack, N. H., May 19, 1853; m.
Amelia Doadall. He is a merchant, and res. Hammond, Minn.
Children b. Hammond, Minn.:
1. Ella Hyde York², b. Oct. 15, 1883.
2. Walter Edward York², b. March 22, 1885.
3. Albert Earl York², b. July 5, 1887.
2069. Jennie Lucinda York¹, b. Merrimack, N. H., April 20, 1855; d. at
Zumbro, Minn., June 7, 1863.
2070. Dora Ann York¹, b. Hyde Park, Minn., Aug. 6, 1857; m. July 31,
1883, Ole Harvey Olson; farmer; res. Zumbro, Minn. Child b.
Zumbro, Minn.:
1. Iva Belle Olson², b. Oct. 29, 1884; d. Aug. 29, 1885.
2071. Melinda York¹, b. Zumbro, Minn., March 28, 1859; m. April 12,
1887, Michael James Maldoon. He is a teacher, and res. Ham-
mond, Minn.
2072. Elnora Lucy York¹, b. Zumbro, Minn., Feb. 27, 1861; res. Zumbro,
Minn.
2073. Isaac York¹, b. Zumbro, Minn., Feb. 14, 1863; d. Sept. 23, 1864.
2074. Arthur York¹, b. Zumbro, Minn., May 22, 1864; d. Sept. 17, 1864.
2075. Lorinda May York¹, b. Zumbro, Minn., April 10, 1866; teacher.
2076. Abbie Estella York¹, b. Zumbro, Minn., Dec. 14, 1869.

2077. Lydia Ann Sinclair² [2838] (Nathaniel², John², Adoniram²,
John², Robert¹). She was born in Gardiner, Me., March 25, 1829;
married June 10, 1858, William R. Pomeroy, who was born in Sulli-
van, Me., Sept. 20, 1819. He was a sea captain, and died in San
Francisco, Cal., Oct. 27, 1870. Mrs. Pomeroy resides 354 11th
street, San Francisco, Cal.

CHILDREN.

2078. Anderson Fletcher Pomeroy¹, b. Northport, N. Y., March 13, 1859;
single; res. San Francisco, Cal.
2079. Selah Reddington Pomeroy¹, b. Northport, N. Y., March 8, 1861; res.
San Francisco, Cal.

2080. Everett Moses Sinclair^a [2058] (Moses^a, John^a, Adoniram^a, John^a, Robert^a). He was born in Lisbon, Me., Aug. 16, 1848. He received a common school education, and in 1863 entered the employ of the Androscoggin mills at Lewiston, Me., as picker boy. Was afterwards in the Worumbo Woolen mills of Lisbon Falls, Me., and in 1867 he accepted a position in the Pondicherry mills, at Bridgton, Me.

In 1872 he took charge of the weaving in the Coheco Woolen mills, East Rochester, N. H. Was subsequently employed at Antes Fort, Lycoming co., Penn., and at the Knowles Loom works at Worcester, Mass. In 1884 he was elected superintendent of the Coheco mills at East Rochester, N. H., which position he still holds.

His life has been one of close attention to business, and his success has been won by honesty, steadfastness of purpose, and that persistency which usually merits and generally brings success.

In 1873 he united with the Methodist Episcopal church and has taken a deep interest in the moral welfare of all. Was superintendent of the Sunday school for several years. He has served his town some time as a member of the Board of Education, having the supervision of the public schools. In politics, a Republican. He has written many articles upon mechanical and local historical subjects. He is a member of the Masonic order.

He married Jan. 30, 1870, Eleanor Perry Hill. She was daughter of John and Helen (Stavart) Hill of Langholm, Scotland, of which place her father was a native. She was born July 5, 1848, in Selkirk, Scotland. Langholm, the home of her parents, is a most romantic town of 3,000 people. Its streets are narrow, the murmuring Esk flows through it, and high and wooded hills and mountains almost shut it in from the outside world. It is near the English border, in a section of country picturesque and beautiful, and made forever famous as the scene of border exploits. Only a short distance away were the Hollows Tower and the place where stood the castle of "Gilnockie" Armstrong, the famous chief of his clan, the Robin Hood of the border, whose fame still flourishes in the Scotian song. In a valuable museum, filled with many relics of bygone centuries, is the long, ungainly sword, "Gilnockie". In this town and charming locality, where every foot of territory is historic, the first five years of Mrs. Sinclair's life were spent.

Then her parents came to America; were for a time in New York City, then in Ontario, Richland co., Ohio, where her mother died Feb. 15, 1861, when her father removed to Dexter, Me. In 1865, while living with an aunt in Bridgton, Me., Isabella Fairgrieve, she married Mr. Sinclair. She died April 21, 1878, leaving two children. He married 2d, May 23, 1880, Carrie Mary, daughter of Charles Edwin (son of John Manson) and Mary Ann (Foss) Manson, who was born at Rochester, N. H., June 5, 1859. She lived with her parents in Wolfborough, N. H., and was educated at the academy in that place. In 1878 her parents removed to

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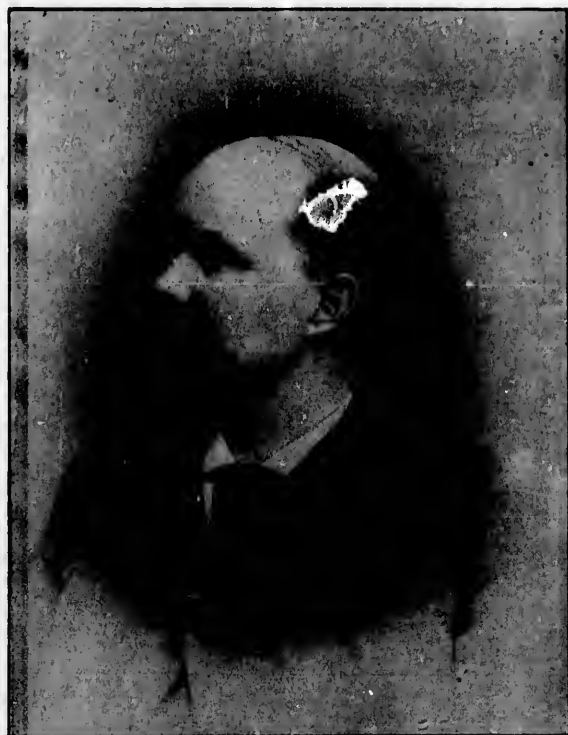
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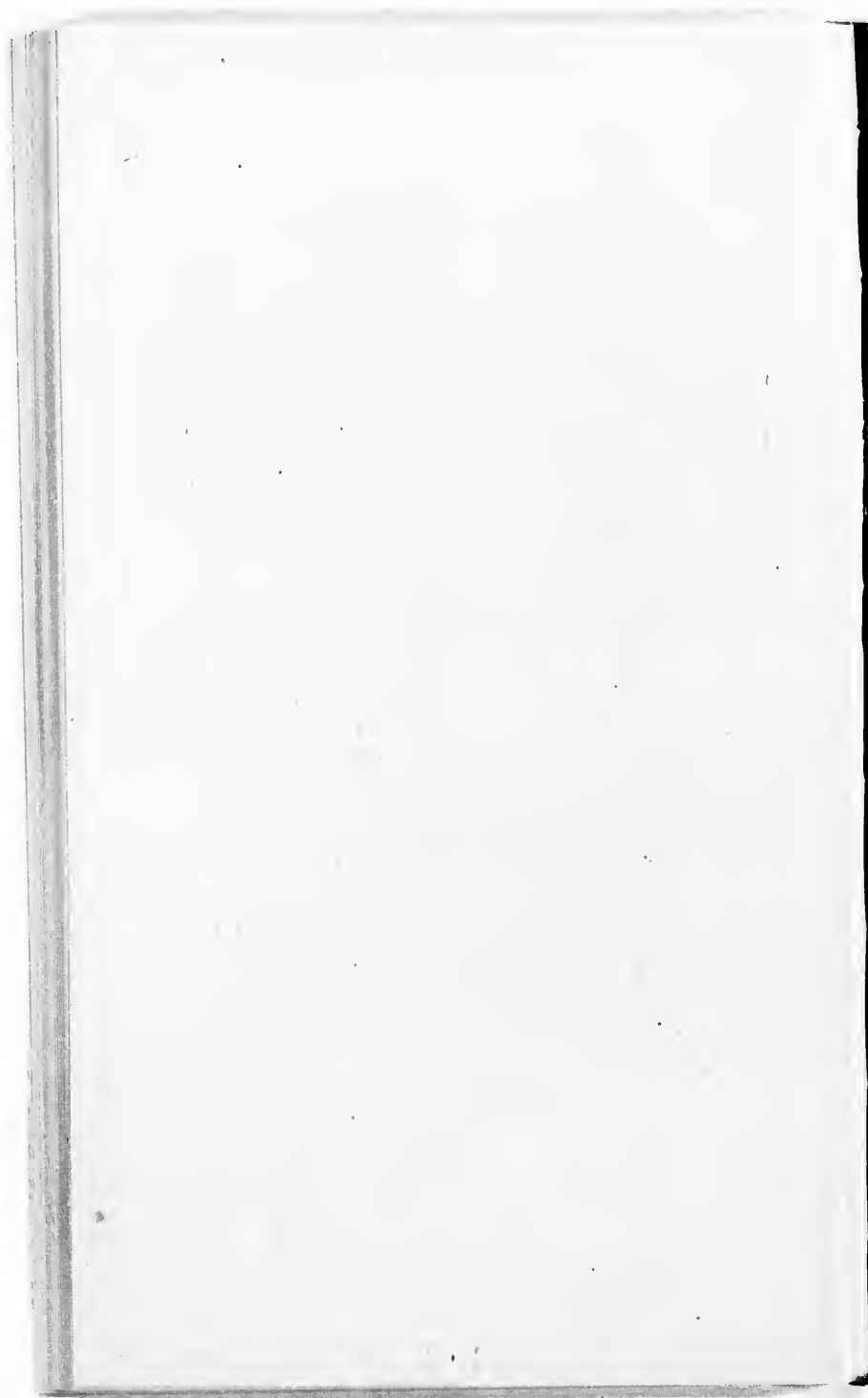
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2081. Angie May Sinclair², b. Bridgton, Me., April 20, 1871.

2082. John Everett Sinclair¹, b. East Rochester, N. H., Dec. 24, 1873.

2083. Willis Webber Sinclair² [2059] (Moses², John², Adoniram², John², Robert¹). He was born in Lisbon, Me., July 23, 1852. When sixteen years old he commenced his business life as a clerk for Henry Woodside, a merchant in Portland, Me., where he remained four years, and was subsequently in different positions in Westbrook, Lewiston, Lisbon Falls, and Harpswell, Me. In 1886 he commenced business on his own account as a trader in East Rochester, N. H.

He married Aug. 30, 1878, Kate Veaza Jaquith, daughter of Harrison and Octavia Wayne (Plummer) Jaquith of Lisbon, Me. She was born at Albion, that state, March 19, 1855, and died March 31, 1879, in less than a year after her marriage.

Mr. Sinclair married 2d, May 2, 1883, Lucy Maria Wyman, daughter of Jeremy and Maria (Murphy) Wyman of Farmington, Me. She was born at Strong, that state, Jan. 28, 1855; was graduated from the State Normal school at Farmington, Me., and became a successful teacher. Mr. Sinclair was appointed postmaster at East Rochester, N. H., March 19, 1888. Resides East Rochester, N. H. No children.

2084. Silas Trufant Sinclair² [2061] (Moses², John², Adoniram², John², Robert¹). He was partially educated in the common school and graduated at the High school at Lisbon Falls, Me., in 1875. On Feb. 5, 1875, he located in East Rochester, N. H., and was employed as a weaver in the mill of the Cocheco Woolen Manufacturing Co., and in 1881 was promoted and became overseer of that room, having full charge of the work, which place he still holds.

He was born in Lisbon, Me., Jan. 8, 1857; married Dec. 1, 1878, Grace Ann, daughter of Richard and Elizabeth (Topham) Boocock. She was born Rochester, N. H., April 8, 1858. Her father was born at Stanningly, Yorkshire, England, Jan. 3, 1836. Her mother was born in the same town Sept. 30, 1836. Mr. Sinclair resides East Rochester, N. H.

CHILD BORN EAST ROCHESTER, N. H.

2085. Ethel Sinclair², b. Dec. 28, 1879.

CHAPTER X.

THOMAS SINCLAIR OF COLUMBIA, ME., AND HIS
DESCENDANTS.

2086. Thomas Sinclair¹. He is said to have been born in New Hampshire, but is more likely to have been an offshoot of the Vermont branch of the New Hampshire family. About the year A. D. 1800 he settled in Robinson, Maine, where several of his children were born. He was a farmer. He removed to Columbia, Me., and was killed there about 1830 while stoning up a well.

He married Dolly, or Martha, daughter of Gideon Allen, who died in that town. They were attendants and perhaps members of the Baptist church. It is said he was a soldier in the 1812-15 war with Great Britain.

CHILDREN.

2087. Daniel Sinclair² (2096), b. Robinson, Me., June, 1803; d. Columbia Falls, Me., Sept. 1887.
 2088. Isaac Sinclair²; lived in Columbia, Me. He m. Rebecca Foss of Mansfield, Me.; both are deceased; no children.
 2089. Martha Sinclair²; m. James Hinkley; res. Jonesport, Me.; four children.
 2090. Anna Sinclair²; m. Alexander Tenney; both deceased; res. Columbia, Me. Children:
 1. Prudence Tenney²; m. John West.
 2. Lydia Tenney²; m. Mr. Norton, and lived at Jonesport, Me.
 2091. Susan Sinclair²; d. young.
 2092. Judith Sinclair²; m. Pierpont Smith of Indian River, or Addison, Me.; both deceased; no children.
 2093. William Sinclair² (2103); m. Mary Phillips; res. Columbia, Me.
 2094. Hannah Sinclair²; m. William (or Amaziah) Bracey of Cherryfield, Me.
 2095. Huldah Sinclair² (2110); m. David Floyd; res. Centreville, Me.

2096. Daniel Sinclair² [2087] (Thomas¹). He was born Robinson, Me., June, 1803, and died at Columbia Falls, Me., September, 1887. He was a farmer. He married Lovicy Leighton of Little River, afterwards Columbia, Me., who was born June 19, 1807, and who died about 1853. They were members of the Baptist church, and their home was at Columbia Falls, Me.

CHILDREN.

2097. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair² (2114), b. Columbia, Me., April 24, 1838; res. Columbia Falls, Me.
 2098. Anna Jerusha Sinclair², b. Columbia, Me., Dec. 2, 1839; single; res. Sandwich, Mass.
 2099. Amanda Hathaway Sinclair², b. Columbia, Me., Feb. 4, 1843; single. Has resided since 1863 in Salem, Mass.; res. 24 Central street.

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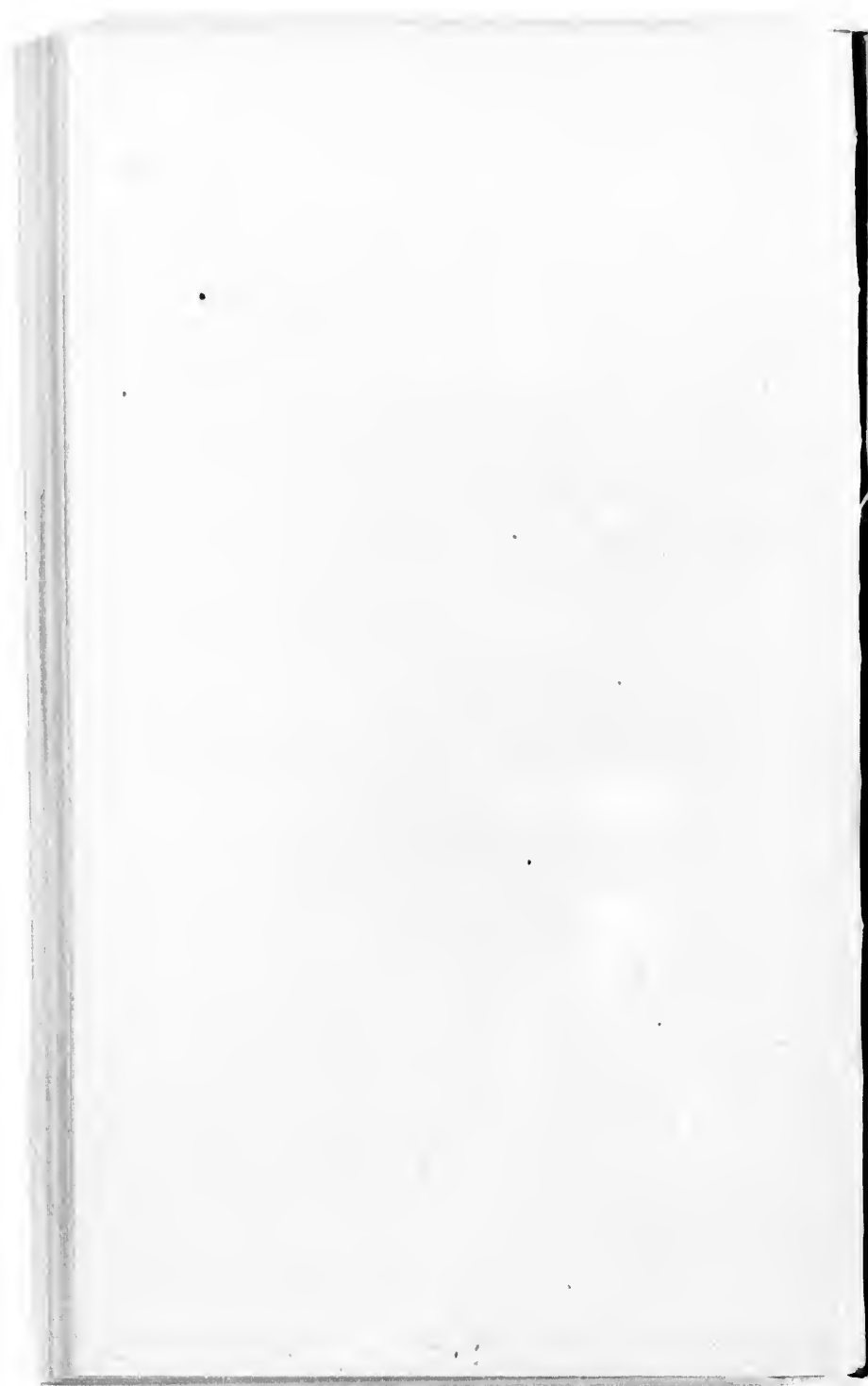
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2100. Almond Rowell Sinclair³, b. Columbia, Me., about 1845; died in young manhood, being drowned at Columbia Falls, Me., aged about 24 years.
2101. George Lenuel Sinclair³, b. Columbia, Me., Feb. 13, 1848; res. in Columbia, Me., till Nov., 1883; since then in Salem, Mass., 24 Central street; single.
2102. Isora Thelma Sinclair³, b. Columbia, Me., May 5, 1841; single; res. No. 7 Central street, Salem, Mass.

2103. William Sinclair² [2093] (Thomas¹). He was born Columbia, Me., and resided there the most part of his life. He married Mary Phillips, now deceased. He was a farmer and resides with his daughter in Harrington, Me. He was a member of the first Maine Heavy Artillery.

CHILDREN.

2104. Mary Sinclair²; m.; res. Harrington, Me.
2105. Joseph Sinclair²; res. Harrington, Me.
2106. George Sinclair²; res. Columbia, Me.
2107. Arvilla Sinclair².
2108. William Sinclair².
2109. Adella Sinclair².

2110. Huldah Sinclair² [2095] (Thomas¹). Her father lived in Columbia, Me. She married David Floyd of Centreville, Me. Their children are all deceased except the following:

CHILDREN BORN COLUMBIA, ME.

2111. Orville Floyd³.
2112. Warren Floyd³.
2113. Rollo Floyd³. He m. Theodocia Allen and joined the ill-fated Jaffa Colony, which went to Palestine and suffered untold privations. He lives at Jaffa and acts as a guide to tourists in the Holy Land, and has a fine reputation. So far as known he is the first person who drove a wheeled vehicle from Jaffa to Jerusalem.

2114. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair² [2097] (Daniel¹, Thomas²). He was born at Columbia, Me., April 24, 1838; married March 25, 1860, Margaret A. Cummings, who was born Jonesport, Me., Nov. 6, 1839, and died at Columbia Falls, Me., Aug. 14, 1886. She was daughter of Ichabod and Catherine (Skinner) Cummings. He is a farmer and resides at Columbia Falls.

CHILDREN BORN COLUMBIA, ME.

2115. Bremen Elliot Sinclair⁴, b. July 2, 1861; educated at Bates college, Lewiston, Me.; teacher; res. Columbia Falls, Me.
2116. William Lander Sinclair⁴, b. May 22, 1864; res. Columbia Falls, Me.
2117. Katy Lovley Sinclair⁴, b. Nov. 7, 1865; graduated at Normal school, Salem, Mass.; teacher; res. Columbia Falls, Me.
2118. Irving Leslie Sinclair⁴, b. Feb. 11, 1868; at home.
2119. Amanda Hathaway Sinclair⁴, b. June 9, 1871; res. Columbia Falls, Me.
2120. Thomas Jefferson Sinclair, Jr.⁴, b. June 29, 1873; res. Columbia Falls, Me.
2121. Guy Vincent Sinclair⁴, b. April 10, 1878; at home.
2122. Maggie A. Sinclair⁴, b. April 7, 1880; at home.
2123. Roy Leighton Sinclair⁴, b. June 15, 1882; at home.

CHAPTER XI.

JOHN SINCLAIR OF VIRGINIA AND HIS DESCENDANTS.—GEORGE SINCLAIR OF HANOVER, OHIO, IN REVOLUTIONARY WAR.—CAPT. JOHN SINCLAIR OF PORTSMOUTH, N. H., IN WAR OF 1812-15.—GEORGE ST. CLAIR OF NEW YORK, N. Y., IN WAR OF 1812-15.—ALEXANDER ST. CLAIR OF PARIS, FRANCE, AND ALBION, N. Y.—SAMUEL FLEMING SINCLAIR OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—ALEXANDER DOULL SINCLAIR OF THE LYBSTER BRANCH IN SCOTLAND.—JOHN SINCLAIR AND HIS DESCENDANTS OF ALLEGHANY CO., N. Y.

JOHN SINCLAIR OF VIRGINIA AND HIS DESCENDANTS.

2124. John Sinclair¹, the founder of this branch of the Sinclair family, was a Scotchman and came to the American colonies in 1747 with the families of Douglass, McDonald, Shepherd, and others. They were political exiles. They had united their destinies with the house of Stuart, and when the fortunes of that family went down in darkness and in blood on the terrible field of Culloden Moor, April 16, 1746, their native country was no longer a place of safety, and they fled to America, for the victorious King George II. showed no mercy to his adversaries.

Mr. Sinclair located near Leesburg, Va., on the Potomac river. He was a planter and led a life of quietness, sobriety, and honesty. The name of his wife is not known. His family was large, and he died upon his estate about the year 1800. The larger part of the members of the family in Virginia are members of the Baptist church, while those who reside in Illinois are members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

CHILDREN.

- 2125. Amos Sinclair²; farmer; res. about ten miles from Leesburg, London co., Va.
- 2126. John Sinclair² (2132); removed to Jacksonville, Ill.
- 2127. Samuel Sinclair².
- 2128. George Sinclair² (2140); d. between 1820 and 1828, near Leesburg, Va.
- 2129. Sally Sinclair²; m. Mr. Craven; res. near her brother, Amos Sinclair, in Loudon co., Va.
- 2130. Jemima Sinclair²; m. Mr. Hawlings, and d. in 1883 near Leesburg, Va.
- 2131. Jane Sinclair²; m. Mr. Smith; res. near Waterford, Loudon co., Va.

2132. John Sinclair² [2126] (John¹). He was born in Virginia, and removed to Tennessee, then to Kentucky, and later to Jacksonville, Morgan co., Ill., in 1835. He married Rachel Steer.

CHILDREN.

2133. John Sinclair²; was Methodist clergyman in the early conference of Illinois, and died in 1858, leaving no heirs.

2134. William Sinclair².

2135. Watson Sinclair²; farmer, and died in 1879 or 1880, leaving a large family. His first wife was Miss Morrison; 2 children. His 2d wife was Miss Maddox. He m. 3d Mrs. Kuns. Children:

1. Robert Sinclair²; is deceased.
2. Julia Sinclair²; res. Missouri.
3. Anna Sinclair²; m. Mr. Mason; is a widow and lives in Missouri.
4. Knotty Sinclair²; lives at Virginia, Ill. He m. Miss Stout.
5. Low Sinclair².
6. Newton Sinclair².
7. Myra Sinclair².
8. Addie Sinclair².

2136. Samuel Sinclair²; farmer; he was born in Tennessee, July 17, 1808; d. May 8, 1868. Children:

1. Sally Sinclair²; m. John Beggs; res. Ashland, Ill.
2. Elizabeth Sinclair²; m. Mr. Carrell; res. Ashland, Ill.
3. Mary Sinclair²; m. Levi Letherman; res. Ashland, Ill.
4. Samuel Watson Sinclair²; res. Ashland, Ill.
5. William Sinclair²; res. Ashland, Ill.

2137. Mary M. Sinclair²; m. Mr. Thompson; res. Georgetown, Ky.

2138. Elizabeth Sinclair²; m. Mr. Boise; res. near Jacksonville, Ill., and d. about 1879.

2139. Amos Sinclair²; res. near Ottawa, Ill.

2140. George Sinclair² [2128] (John¹). He was born near Leesburg, Va. He became a planter, owning some 600 acres of land; was a person of remarkable self-control, was prudent in all things, and carefully reared his children under Christian influences. Only three of his ten children arrived at maturity. He married Margaret Craven, and resided near Leesburg, Va.

CHILDREN.

2141. Eleanor Sinclair², b. Nov. 18, 1801; m. Charles Guillette, and lives in the stone house on the old Sinclair homestead, near the Chanocacy Aqueduct, on the Potomac river, near Leesburg, Va. This farm has for over a century been the home of the Sinclairs.

2142. George Sinclair² (2144), b. May 18, 1806; res. Charlottesville, Va.

2143. Samuel Sinclair² (2152), b. near Leesburg, Va., June 8, 1808; d. Springfield, Ill., Feb. 7, 1888.

2144. George Sinclair² [2142] (George², John¹). He was born near Leesburg, Va., May 18, 1806, and resided until after his marriage in Loudon co., Va. He then removed to Albermarle co., town of Charlottesville, where he died Dec. 31, 1851. He married Ruth Ann Belt, who was born May 12, 1812.

ANTS.—GEORGE SINCLAIR
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FLAND.—JOHN SINCLAIR
N. Y.

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CHILDREN.

2145. George Alfred Sinclair¹ (2166), b. near Leesburg, Va., Dec. 17, 1831; res. Charlottesville, Va.
 2146. John Campbell Sinclair¹; farmer; res. Charlottesville, Va.
 2147. Samuel James Sinclair¹, b. Dec. 31, 1833; d. Sept. 10, 1858.
 2148. Charlotte Ellen Sinclair¹, b. Oct. 28, 1836; m. Rev. Dr. John A. Broades, a Baptist clergyman; res. Louisville, Ky.
 2149. Virginia Lucretia Sinclair¹, b. March 7, 1843; m. Dr. William A. Hawes; res. 745 Lexington ave., New York, N. Y.
 2150. Charles Gullette Sinclair¹, b. July 23, 1845; farmer; res. Charlottesville, Va.
 2151. Cephas Hempton Sinclair¹, b. Dec. 4, 1847. Is in the United States Coast Survey. He m. Julia Farish; res. Sacramento, Cal.

2152. Samuel Sinclair² [2143] (George², John¹). He was born near Leesburg, Va., June 8, 1808; married Oct. 28, 1834, Euphemia, daughter of Josiah and Elizabeth (Shepherd) Craven, who died April 23, 1861, at Sinclair, Morgan co., Ill. He married 2d, Oct. 21, 1863, Dolly, daughter of Charles Beggs, born Rockingham co., Va., Oct. 30, 1775, and died Oct. 19, 1869, in Morgan co., Ill. (Charles Beggs was son of Thomas and Sarah (Barnes) Beggs, and grandson of James Beggs, born in Ireland, and who lived in New Jersey.)

Mrs. Sinclair was born in Charlestown, Clark co., Indiana, and in 1889 resided in Springfield, Ill. Mr. Sinclair died in Springfield, Ill., Feb. 7, 1888, where he had lived for five years. He had formerly resided for nineteen years near Ashland, Cass co., Ill., and for twenty-eight years near Sinclair, Morgan co., Ill. He was a farmer and stock raiser.

CHILDREN.

All born at Sinclair, Ill., except the two younger, who were born near Ashland, Ill.

2153. George Sinclair⁴, b. Aug. 20, 1835; m. Feb. 16, 1859, Sarah Gaines; farmer; res. Princeton, Minn., where he d. Dec., 1874. He was a soldier in the Union army during the Rebellion. Mrs. Sinclair and her family reside in Princeton, Minn. Children:
 1. Lovicy Sinclair⁵.
 2. Maggie Sinclair⁵.
 3. Charles Sinclair⁵.
 2154. Samuel James Sinclair⁴, b. May 2, 1837; d. Sinclair, Morgan co., Ill., Sept. 2, 1838.
 2155. Ellen Craven Sinclair⁴, b. Jan. 28, 1839; m. May, 1870, Samuel Luckett Hamilton, grain merchant; res. Ashland, Ill., where she d. Dec. 1, 1881. Children:
 1. Charles Hamilton⁵.
 2. Samuel Hamilton⁵.
 3. Lloyd Hamilton⁵.
 4. Euphemia Hamilton⁵.
 2156. Peter Akers Sinclair⁴, b. Sept. 26, 1840; m. April 16, 1865, Emma Tyron; farmer. He was a Union soldier in the late war; res. Ashland, Ill. Children:
 1. Samuel Sinclair⁵.
 2. Lyle Sinclair⁵.
 3. Alice Sinclair⁵.
 4. Verne Sinclair⁵.
 5. Roscoe Sinclair⁵.

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2177] GEORGE A. SINCLAIR, OF CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. 345

2157. Virginia Frances Sinclair¹, b. Sept. 29, 1842; m. March 23, 1862,
 Howard M. Atkins, Attorney-at-law; res. Elk River, Minn.
 Children:

1. Sinclair E. Atkins⁵.
2. Malcolm Atkins⁵.
3. Avery Atkins⁵.
4. Planche Atkins⁵.
5. Ruth Atkins⁵.

2158. Henry Clay Sinclair¹, b. June 14, 1844; m. Jan., 1872, Lucy E.
 Beggs; farmer; res. Ashland, Ill., and later at Menoken, Dakota,
 and d. at Royalton, Minn., Feb. 23, 1888.

2159. Amanda Crawford Sinclair¹, b. June 11, 1846; d. nt Sinclair, Ill.,
 Aug. 14, 1847.

2160. Mary Elizabeth Sinclair¹, b. Sept. 15, 1848; m. Jan. 1, 1872, Dr. N.
 M. Galley; res. Ashland, Ill. Children:

1. Byron Galley⁵.
2. Darwin Galley⁵.
3. Eugene Galley⁵.
4. William Watson Galley⁵.
5. Rowena Sinclair Galley⁵.

2161. James Samuel Sinclair¹, b. Sept. 15, 1848; m. October, 1890, Tella
 Scott. He was a Union soldier and aided in the overthrow of
 the slaveholders' rebellion; fruit farmer; res. Seattle, Washing-
 ton. Children:

1. Charles Sinclair⁵.
2. Scott Sinclair⁵.
3. Sadie Sinclair⁵.

2162. Ruth Ann Sinclair¹, b. Aug. 28, 1850; m. July 10, 1883, Samuel L.
 Hamilton, grain merchant; res. Ashland, Ill. Child:

1. Louise Hamilton⁵.

2163. John Sinclair¹, b. May 22, 1853; m. March 31, 1881, Virginia
 Bowers; fruit farmer; res. San. Delgo, Cal.

2164. Emma Louise Sinclair¹, b. Aug. 30, 1865; res. West Springfield,
 Ill.

2165. Margaret Sinclair¹ b. Nov. 11, 1869; res. West Springfield, Ill.

2166. George Alfred Sinclair¹ [2145] (George³, George², John¹).
 He was born Dec. 17, 1831, near Leesburg, Loudon co., Va.; was
 married March 24, 1868, to Glenna Frances Dillard, born Sept. 26,
 1844; resided at Lynchburg, Va. She was daughter of Joseph P. Dil-
 lard. Is a brick and lumber dealer, and resides Charlottesville, Va.

CHILDREN. All reside at Charlottesville, Va.

2167. George Burnly Sinclair⁵, b. April 28, 1869.
2168. Ruth Sinclair⁵, b. Nov. 20, 1870.
2169. Pearl Virginia Sinclair⁵, b. Dec. 9, 1872.
2170. Mary Custis Sinclair⁵, b. Feb. 22, 1874.
2171. Alfred Belt Sinclair⁵, b. Feb. 29, 1876; d. May 29, 1877.
2172. John A. Broadus Sinclair⁵, b. March 25, 1879.
2173. Glenna Frances Sinclair⁵, b. April 19, 1889.
2174. Bessie Belle Sinclair⁵, b. July 5, 1884.
2175. Charles Samuel Sinclair⁵, b. March 15, 1885.
2176. Percy Sinclair⁵.
2177. Oliver Sinclair⁵.

IN WAR OF THE REVOLUTION.

2178. George Sinclair on the 18th of September, 1777, at Philadelphia, Penn., enlisted as a seaman on frigate *Washington*, commanded by Capt. Thomas Reed; then enlisted for one year on *Hell Cat*, commanded by Captain Robert French. The vessel was burned at Mud Island. Was then a steward on ship *Repulse*, commanded by Capt. Peter Brewster. This vessel was burned by the Americans. He enlisted May, 1778, at Mt. Holly, Burlington co., N. J., in Capt. Samuel Riddings' company, 2d Regt., commanded by Colonel Shreve, and served till March 1, 1783; then drafted into Capt. Abel Wyman's company, Colonel Ogden's Regt., the 1st, and discharged June 3, 1783. He was in the battles of Monmouth and Springfield, N. J., and was at the capture of Lord Cornwallis and the British army Oct. 19, 1781.

He was a resident of Hanover, Butler co., Ohio, July 17, 1820, and was 66 years of age. It is thought that his descendants are still in that place.

OTHER SINCLAIRS. — CAPT. JOHN SINCLAIR. — 1812-15 WAR.

2179. Capt. John Sinclair had in the 1812-15 war with Great Britain been an under officer or seaman of Capt. Thomas Shaw, who commanded the privateer *Portsmouth*, "The Dandy of the Seas." This craft had sailed from Portsmouth, N. H., and had made great havoc on the British merchant ships on the high seas.

Mr. Sinclair had been with Captain Shaw throughout all the cruises of the ship, aided in capturing its prizes, and shared in glories of those conflicts and successes. He succeeded Captain Shaw in the command on November, 1814, and on that day put out to sea from Portsmouth harbor. On Nov. 13, when near Cape Sable, he recaptured the schooner *Nancy* of Newburyport, Mass. On the 28th he captured the British *Ocean* with timber for Glasgow; they took out provisions and burned her. On same day he captured the brig *Langton* from Richebucto, N. S., with timber for Scotland. He parolled the crews of the two vessels and gave up the latter one, after obtaining £700 sterling as ransom. He had a variety of adventures till Dec. 14, which is the last we hear of him.

The author is not informed as to the family to which Capt. John Sinclair belonged.

WAR OF 1812-15.

2180. George St. Clair¹, born at New York, N. Y., about 1761; enlisted Sept. 28, 1812, in Capt. George McGlassin's company, 15th Regt., U. S. Infantry. Was wounded in the battle of Little York, Upper Canada, April 28, 1813; discharged May 28, 1815.

2181. Samuel Sinclair was a private in Capt. Joseph Smith's company, of the 4th Regt. of Detached Militia; enlisted Sept 14, 1814; served 18 days. Regiment was stationed at the Rope walk in Portsmouth, N. H., near the Arsenal.

He married Oct. 4, 1880, Ingeborg, daughter of the late Judge George Juergensen of Kiel, Schleswig, Holstein. She was born there Dec. 27, 1848.

CHILDREN.

2191. Ingeborg Margaret Sinclair¹, b. Boston, Mass., Nov. 1, 1882.
2192. Edith Ella Sinclair¹, b. Boston, July 31, 1884.

JOHN SINCLAIR OF NEW YORK.

2193. John Sinclair¹; was *first called Peter*. His mother died when he was quite young. His father's Christian name not known; married again and they had one daughter. Peter Sinclair was bound out to service when quite young, and was treated so unkindly by the people with whom he lived that he ran away from them and to escape detection changed his name to John Sinclair, by which he was ever after known. He was a soldier in the war of 1812. Tradition says that he was born in New Hampshire, and that his father, whose name is said to be John Sinclair, with a brother came from Scotland, and lived in New Hampshire. This John Sinclair served in or through the Revolutionary War—according to tradition. Appearances (but no proof) indicate that he was a descendant of John Sinclair of Exeter, N. H., and it is not improbable that he was an offshoot of one of those New Hampshire Sinclairs who migrated to Essex, Vt., and vicinity, of some of whose sons we have no account.

The subject of this sketch married Phebe, daughter of Major Quigley of the Revolutionary army, a resident, perhaps, of Trenton, N. J., and had nineteen children, fifteen of whom lived to mature life, married, and had families. Mr. Sinclair lived in Allegheny co., N. Y., and in Seneca county, and other places. Mrs. Sinclair died in Branch co., Mich. He was a farmer, and died in Allegheny co., N. Y.

CHILDREN.

2194. Thomas Sinclair². He m. ——— and had three children. A daughter was named Maria Sinclair.
2195. Catherine Sinclair²; m. Marquis Hatch.
2196. Polly Sinclair²; m. Samuel Sisson; she m. 2d Daniel Sisson.
2197. Daniel Sinclair² (2214), b. near Seneca Lake, Seneca co., N. Y., May 10, 1801; d. in Waverly, Ohio, June, 1870.
2198. Anna Sinclair²; m. Mr. Harris; had sons:
1. Hyram Harris³.
2. Albert Harris³.
2199. Jane Sinclair²; m. Mr. Perry.
2200. Betsey Sinclair²; m. Mr. Perry.
2201. John Sinclair²; m.; had son Thomas Sinclair.
2202. Amanda Sinclair²; m. Mr. Burlingame.
2203. Rhoda Ann Sinclair²; m. Mr. Hill; had children:
1. Eliza Hill³.
2. John Wesley Hill³.
3. Anna Hill³.
2204. Sally Sinclair²; m. Mr. Mackay; had children:
1. Alvira Mackay³.
2. Erwin Mackay³.

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2205. Peter Sinclair²; m; had children:

1. George Sinclair³.
2. Benoni Sinclair³.
3. William Sinclair³.
4. Warren Sinclair³.
5. Mary Sinclair³.

2206. Elisha Sinclair²; m.; had children:

1. Phebe Sinclair³.
2. Maria Sinclair³.
3. Marion Sinclair³.

2207. Cornellus Sinclair² (2217), b. near Seneca Lake, Seneca co., N. Y.;
res. Partello, Calhoun co., Mich.

2208. Benoni Sinclair²; m.; had children.

2209. Lorenzo Sinclair².

2210. Flora Sinclair².

2211. Isaac Sinclair².

2212. Phebe Sinclair².

2213. Toca Sinclair².

2214. Mary Sinclair².

2214a. Daniel Sinclair² [2197] (John¹). He was born near Seneca lake, Seneca co., N. Y., May 10, 1801; died in Waverly, Ohio, June, 1871. He married Harriet R. Fowler in Rochester, N. Y., July 4, 1835. He left his father's home when a youth and drifted away, and in a great measure lost track of the other members of the family. He was a hard working farmer, who never had educational advantages. Mrs. Sinclair died in Rochester, N. Y., April 24, 1840, and Mr. Sinclair remained a widower the rest of his life.

CHILDREN.

2215. Daniel M. Sinclair² (2224), b. Rochester, N. Y., April 8, 1836;
clergyman of M. E. church; res. Richland Centre, Wis.

2216. Harriet A. Sinclair², b. Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 12, 1837; m. Sept.,
1858, Truman Allen, in Clarkson, Monroe co., N. Y. They have
had six children, four of whom are still living; res. Waverly,
Van Buren co., Mich.

2217. Cornelius Sinclair² [2207] (John¹). He was born in Seneca co., N. Y., Jan. 25, 1822; married Nov. 30, 1845, Emily, daughter of Samuel and Almira (Emerson) Nye of Eden, Erie co., N. Y., where she was born. She was granddaughter of James and Rhoda (Ross) Nye, of Eden, N. Y. Her father was a native of Rhode Island.

Mr. Sinclair lived in Branch co., Mich., fourteen years, and for thirty-six years in Calhoun co., Mich., in the town of Partello. He is a farmer, and was a soldier in the late war.

CHILDREN.

2218. Mary Ettie Sinclair², b. Branch co., Mich., May 17, 1847; m. Jan.
12, 1868, Edway Page; res. Muskegon, Michigan.

2219. Edgar Lafayette Sinclair², b. Branch co., Mich., Oct. 21, 1851; m.
Nov. 8, 1874, Gertie Ketchledge; res. Shepherd, Mich.

2220. Maria Avasia Sinclair², b. Calhoun co., Mich., July 30, 1854; m.
Jan. 10, 1875, E. Clark, farmer; res. Calhoun co., Mich.

2221. Mazilla Sinclair², b. Calhoun co., Mich., Dec. 7, 1859; d. April, 1863.
 2222. Emma May Sinclair², b. Calhoun co., Mich., July 10, 1866; m. Oct. 27, 1888, Ellsworth Collins, farmer; res. Partello, Calhoun co., Mich.
 2223. Rollie Owen Sinclair², b. Calhoun co., Mich., Oct. 23, 1869.

2224. Daniel Merritt Sinclair² [2215] (Daniel², John¹). Rev. Daniel M. Sinclair was born in Rochester, N. Y., April 5, 1836, and was brought up in the towns of Greece and Clarkson, Monroe co., N. Y. Was educated in the common schools, at the academy in Clarkson, N. Y., and at the seminary in Brockport, Monroe co., N. Y. He is a Methodist Episcopal clergyman; was licensed as a local preacher in 1857, and has been an itinerant preacher since 1858. He has filled appointments at Brockton, Rochester, Binghampton, Saratoga Springs, and New York City, N. Y.; at Elgin and Aurora, Ill.; White Water, Plattville, and Argyle, Blackearth, Lodia, Wis.; and in 1889 was at Richland Centre, Wis. He has at different times served as presiding elder, 13 years in all, and is a member of the West Wisconsin Conference. He married April 17, 1860, in Buffalo, N. Y., Mary Ellen Swazey, born Windsor, Broome co., N. Y., Oct. 9, 1838. She was daughter of Stephen and Mary Ann (Stowe) Swazey. She was granddaughter of Stephen Swazey of Long Island, N. Y.

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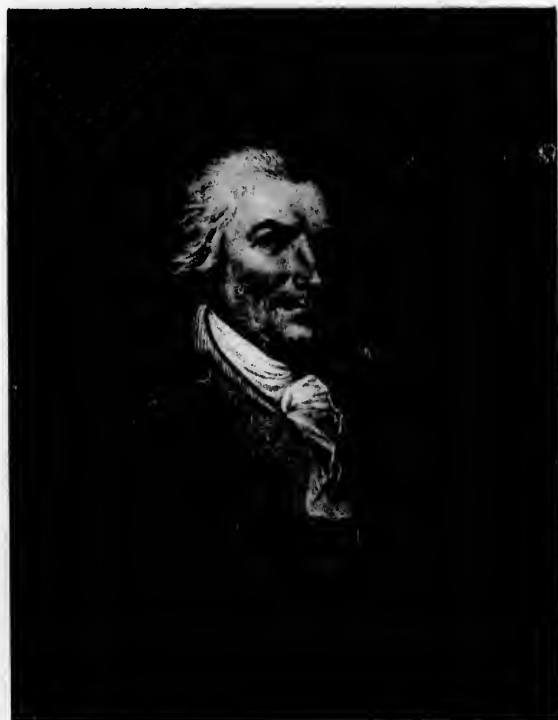
2225. Benjamin R. Sinclair², b. Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 23, 1861; d. there Feb. 13, 1862.
 2226. William B. Sinclair², b. Binghampton, N. Y., Aug. 3, 1864; res. Ledgerwood, North Dakota; is station agent. He m. April 11, 1889, Eva M. Stair.
 2227. Charles S. Sinclair², b. Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Dec. 26, 1866; druggist; res. Dundee, Ill. He m. July 2, 1890, Estella L. Morgan.
 2228. Ellen M. Sinclair², b. Aurora, Kane co., Ill., Feb. 20, 1872; res. Boscobel, Grant co., Wis.

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MAJOR-GENERAL ARTHUR ST. CLAIR.

To General Hull I shall afford at the
Information and Assistance in my Power, and I shall
attend the Court Martial, as an Evidence whenever
I receive Notice of its being convened.

I have the honor to be

Dear

Yours Excellency

Most obedient Servant

A. M. St. Clair

CHAPTER XII.

HISTORY OF GEN. ARTHUR ST. CLAIR AND HIS
DESCENDANTS.

2229. Gen. Arthur St. Clair¹* was born in Thurso, county of Caithness, Scotland, March 23, 1736. In that most northern town of the mainland of Scotland, swept by some of the fiercest and chilliest of ocean winds, he spent the years of his childhood and youth. "His father, being a younger son, possessed neither lands nor title, and died at an early age from the effects of a life of idleness and pleasure." In his other parent (whose maiden name is believed to have been Murray) Arthur St. Clair was more fortunate, as she supplied not only the affection and tender care of a devoted mother, but also the aid and counsel which had been due from the father.

He was educated at the university of Edinburgh, Scotland; was indentured to the famous physician, Dr. William (or John) Hunter of London, but inheriting the martial spirit of his race, he abandoned medicine. His mother died in the winter of 1856-57, and immediately after he purchased a commission as Ensign in the Royal regiment of Foot, bearing date of May 13, 1757. He was then twenty-one years of age. He came to America with Admiral Edward Boscawen's fleet. He served under Gen. Jeffrey Amherst at the capture of Louisburg, July 26, 1728, and under Gen. James Wolfe at Quebec, Sept. 30, 1758, and under the latter commander in the victorious battle on the Plains of Abraham, Sept. 13, 1759. He was made a lieutenant April 17, 1759, which position he resigned April 16, 1762.

After the siege of Quebec he obtained a furlough and repaired to Boston, Mass. He had formed an attachment to Miss Phebe, daughter of Balthazar and Mary (Bowdoin) Bayard. Her mother was a half-sister of Gov. James Bowdoin, and granddaughter of James Bowdoin, a wealthy citizen.

*His father was William Sinclair of Thurso, Scotland, son of James of Thurso, son of James Second of Assery, son of John First of Assery, son of James First of Murkle, son of John Master of Caithness, son of George Sinclair, Fourth Earl of Caithness. See pedigree, No. 89, pp. 43-44, by which his ancestors are traced for more than a thousand years to Rogenwald.

Gen. Arthur St. Clair
most obscure ancestor
of the St. Clair family

On May 14, 1760, they were married in Trinity church in Boston, by Rev. William Hooper, rector. By this marriage St. Clair received £14,000 from his wife's grandfather*, James Bowdoin.

Mrs. St. Clair was born in Boston in 1745, and died at Chestnut Ridge, Penn. He lived for a time in Boston and its vicinity, and he bought, May 20, 1760, land and buildings on Hollis street, in Boston, of Francis Brindley of Roxbury, Mass. He soon after was a resident of Braintree, Mass., and was residing there on Aug. 16, 1763, when he sold 19 acres of land on Boston Neck and all interest in the Old George Tavern, so called, to Meletiah Brown of Boston. (From Suffolk County Mass. records, in Boston, Mass.) Resigning his British commission in 1764 he and his young wife removed to Bedford, Penn., and later to a fine landed estate in the picturesque Ligonier valley of western Pennsylvania, where several Scotch families of consequence had already settled. Here he had a great tract of land of 10,881 acres, 8,270 acres lying in Westmoreland county. (From the St. Clair papers, pp. 7 and 8.)

On May 21, 1766, he and his wife were living in St. Mary's co., Md. They returned to Pennsylvania, and he filled various offices. On April 5, 1770, he was appointed surveyor for district of Cumberland, and a member of the Governor's council the same year. After 1779 he lived at Plattstown, Penn., for several years.

At the opening of the Revolution he was appointed Colonel in December, 1775, in the American army. On Jan. 3, 1776, he became Colonel of the 2d Penn. regiment, and being ordered to Canada, joined Gen. John Sullivan after the disastrous affair at Three Rivers, and aided in saving the American army from capture. On March 9, 1776, he was made Brigadier-general, and joined General Washington in November, and was appointed to organize the New Jersey militia, and participated in the battles of Trenton and Princeton. On the 19th of February, 1777, he was appointed Major-general. He succeeded Gen. Horatio Gates in command at Fort Mifflin. This place he subsequently evacuated. As General Burgoyne bore down upon him with a superior force, a part of his force was attacked and defeated at Red Bank July 7, 1777. His reverses were a serious loss to our cause and deep

*Gen. St. Clair was by marriage a nephew of Gov. James Bowdoin of Massachusetts, as his wife's mother, Mary (Bowdoin) Bayard, was a half-sister of the Governor. The latter had an only son, Hon. James Bowdoin, the diplomatist, and an only daughter, Elizabeth Bowdoin, who married Sir John Temple, bart, and had two sons and two daughters. Her eldest daughter, Elizabeth Bowdoin Temple, married in 1786, Hon. Lindall Winthrop of Boston, Mass., and had a very numerous family, of whom the late Hon. Robert C. Winthrop of Boston was the youngest, and was long the only surviving son. Thus the wife of General St. Clair was an own cousin of Mrs. Sir John Temple, the grandmother of Hon. Robert C. Winthrop of Boston. The latter, many years ago, found among the papers of Gov. Bowdoin, a letter of General St. Clair, written to the Governor in 1777. It is one of interest, and published in the Proceedings of the Massachusetts Historical Society in 1863. (From a personal letter of Hon. Robert C. Winthrop.)

of Gov. James Bowdoin of Bowdoin Bayard, was a half-son, Hon. James Bowdoin, Beth Bowdoin, who married two daughters. Her eldest in 1786, Hon. Lindall Winous family, of whom the late youngest, and was long the St. Clair was an own cousin Hon. Robert C. Winthrop of the papers of Gov. Bowdoin Governor in 1777. It is findings of the Massachusetts letter of Hon. Robert C.

He was now an old man. His once valuable property had largely melted away; "It was forced to a sale, and the old soldier and his family were reduced to want. In a log house on a bleak ridge by the side of the old state road from Bedford to Pittsburg, and almost in sight of the broad acres which once were his, Lewis Cass found him at the age of four score supporting his family by selling supplies

to the wagoners who traveled that way. One day in August, 1818, when 82 years old, he was discovered lying insensible by the side of a rough and lonely road where he had fallen from his wagon while on the way to a neighboring town to procure some flour and other necessities. He never rallied from the shock and died Aug. 31, 1818."

In personal appearance General St. Clair was tall, dignified, with chestnut hair, handsome, with blue-grey eyes, and blonde complexion. He was accomplished, and an interesting conversationalist, and possessed honorable principles. During his long life in America he kept up a correspondence with relatives in Scotland. Among his correspondents was Sir John Sinclair of Ulbster castle in Thurso, and in Edinburgh. The home of Sir John at the castle was less than a mile from the early home of General St. Clair.

It is related by his descendants that in his poverty stricken old age some wealthy relatives in Scotland graciously invited him to return to his native land and they would care for him. He gently declined the offer, saying, he had made his choice, had fought against his native country, had cast in his lot with America, and must abide the result, and could not return to Scotland. He is buried at Greensburgh, Penn. The inscription on his monument with an inaccurate date* of age is as follows:

"The earthly remains of Gen. Arthur St. Clair are deposited beneath this humble monument, which is erected to supply the place of a nobler one due from his country."

"Died Aug. 31, 1818, in the 84th year of his age."

On the reverse side of the monument are these words:

"This stone is erected over the bones of their departed brother by the members of the Masonic Society in this vicinity."

CHILDREN.

- 2230. John Murray St. Clair², b. 1762; m. Jane Parker of Allegheny co., Penn., about 1783. He was a farmer. Res. at Chestnut Ridge, Penn., where he died March 29, 1844, aged 76 years, and is buried in cemetery at Ligonier, Penn. Had one child:
 - 1. Arthur St. Clair³; single; d. in 1862 in Atchinson, Kansas.
- 2231. Daniel St. Clair² (2237), b. 1764; res. Penn Square, Penn., and died there Jan., 1833. His home was near Norristown, Penn.
- 2232. Arthur St. Clair² (2251), b. 1766; m. Frances Lytle. He was a lawyer, and lived in Cincinnati, Ohio, and d. at an advanced age.
- 2233. Elizabeth St. Clair² (2258), b. at Ft. Ligonier, Penn., 1768; m. Capt. John Lawrence at Pottstown, Penn.; she m. 2d Colonel Vance, a lawyer.
- 2234. Louisa St. Clair² (2265), b. 1772; m. 1795, Samuel Robb, in Ligonier Valley, Penn. She d. May 27, 1840.
- 2235. Jane St. Clair² (2273), b. 1774; m. Samuel Jervis about 1800. He was of Paola, Penn.; res. Norristown, Penn., at one time. She d. at Chestnut Ridge, Penn.
- 2236. Margaret St. Clair², b. 1776; d. in her girlhood or young womanhood.

* The records of Gen. Arthur St. Clair and his descendants came to me in a very meagre and confused state. Dates furnished by different members of this branch were often contradictory. The printed matter is as full as was my information.

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2237. Daniel St. Clair^a [2231] (Gen. Arthur¹). Capt. Daniel St. Clair was born 1764; married Rachel Shannon in 1789. She was born Feb. 25, 1771*. He resided at Penn Square, Montgomery co., Penn., where he died Jan., 1833, aged 68 years, and is buried at Evansburg, Penn. He was a Justice of the peace, a lawyer, and a captain in the war of the American Revolution. Mrs. St. Clair was born near Penn Square, Penn., Feb. 25, 1771; died at Penn Square, Penn., Oct. 15, 1821. She was daughter of Dr. Robert and Sarah (Dewers) Shannon. Her father was born near Norristown, Montgomery co., Penn.; resided near Penn Square, and died at White Marsh, Penn., about 1820. Mr. St. Clair was a generous man and liberally aided his less fortunate relatives.

He resided in June, 1828, in Norristown, Montgomery co., Penn. He was a lieutenant and then a captain in the 2d regiment Penn. Line, commanded by Col. Thomas Craig. He served from 1777 to the end of the war. In the fall of 1807 he lost his commission as captain with other valuable papers, which were in a chest or trunk, by sudden freshet of the Ohio river. He was pensioned by the government, and on the 17th day of April, 1818, he was allowed twenty dollars per month, the pension certificate being signed by John C. Calhoun, Secretary of War.

In his declaration, claiming a pension, dated June, 1828, he signed his name D. S. Clair (not St. Clair). (From original papers as seen by the author in possession of Rachel St. Clair Jacoby.)

He and his sister, Mrs. Louisa (St. Clair) Robb, were administrators of his father's (Gen. Arthur St. Clair's) estate. On the 30th of August, 1818, he received of the Treasurer of Pennsylvania three hundred and fifty dollars of pension money due his father at the time of his death from the state of Pennsylvania, and four hundred dollars more on Nov. 24, 1818, from Richard M. Crain, Treasurer.

The following is the notice for the sale of General St. Clair's goods and personal property:

"FOR SALE.

"At public Vandue, at the late dwelling of General Arthur St. Clairs dec, on Friday the 13th Instant, Horses, Cattle, Sheep, a variety of Household goods, Sixty Volumes of Books of the best Selected Authors, both interesting & instructive, a pair of large Oxen well worth the Attention of Distillers to stall feed, and a variety of other Articles. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock said daye.

Chestnut Ridge
Nov. 6, 1818.

D. S. CLAIR }
&
LOUISA ROBB. }
Adm^{rs} & C."

CHILDREN.

2238. Arthur St. Clair^a, b. at Penn Square, Penn., Dec. 16, 1791. He m. Sarah Pugh, and res. on the home farm of his father at Penn Square, Montgomery co., Penn. There he was born, there he

* Mrs. St. Clair's brothers were born as follows:
Thomas Shannon, b. Nov. 14, 1773.
James Shannon, b. Oct. 24, 1778.

died in his venerable old age in 1875 in his eighty-fifth year. He was a farmer.

2239. Sarah St. Clair³, b. May 28, 1793; d. young.
 2240. Phebe St. Clair³ (2275), b. Aug. 15, 1794; m. March, 1823, David Boyd; res. in Philadelphia, Penn., where she d. in 1887, aged 93 yrs. Son:
 1. David Boyd, Jr.⁴; deceased; he m.; had 5 children.
 2241. Sarah St. Clair³, b. Nov. 25, 1795; d. young.
 2242. Robert St. Clair³, b. Aug. 8, 1798; lawyer; res. at Penn Square, Penn., where he died in 1834. No record of marriage given.
 2242a. William St. Clair³, b. May 4, 1800; d. young.
 2243. Sarah St. Clair³, b. June 15, 1801; res. at Penn Square and Ligonier, Penn., and d. at latter place in 1843.
 2244. Margaret Balfour St. Clair³, b. July 17, 1803; m. Richard Edey; res. Penn Square, Penn., and d. about 1870, at Bunker Hill, Illinois. Children:
 1. Daniel St. Clair Edey⁴; res. Makomas, Ill.
 2. Amelia Shannon Edey⁴; m. Mr. Fonnell; res. Varna, Ill.
 2245. James St. Clair³ (2277), b. April 25, 1805; m. 1835, Julia Edey; res. Penn Square, Penn., where he d. in 1841; a gentleman farmer.
 2246. Mary Ann St. Clair³, b. Dec. 26, 1807; d. young.
 2247. Rachel St. Clair³, b. May 10, 1810; d. young.
 2248. Louisa St. Clair³, b. Dec. 23, 1811; m. Mr. Kneit. She m. 2d Mr. Ferguson; res. Philadelphia and Johnstown, Penn., and d. about 1870 at McKays Port, Penn.
 2249. Daniel St. Clair³, b. Aug. 13, 1813; d. young.
 2250. Daniel St. Clair³, b. June 3, 1815; d. young.

2251. Arthur St. Clair, Jr.², [2232] (Gen. Arthur¹). He was born in 1766; married Frances Lytle, or Frances Stall. He was a lawyer.

CHILDREN.

2252. Arthur St. Clair³; m. Mary, sister of Senator Lane. They had no children, and are deceased.
 2253. John St. Clair³ (2280), b. March 2, 1806; m. Ann Croocker of Madilla, N. Y., Aug. 26, 1827.
 2254. Margaret Balfour St. Clair³; m. George W. Tabscott; deceased. They had children. Her child Laura Tabscott m. Dr. C. E. Paddock.
 2255. Frances M. St. Clair³; she m. Mr. Mayo.
 2256. Laura St. Clair³; single.
 2257. Eliza St. Clair³; single.

2258. Elizabeth St. Clair² [2233] (Gen. Arthur¹). She was born at Fort Ligonier, Penn., in 1768; married in 1790 Capt. John Lawrence at Pottstown, Penn.

CHILDREN.

2259. Mary Lawrence³, b. 1791; m. Capt. Samuel C. Vance, who was commissioned by General Washington, and commanded Fort Washington, near Cincinnati. He laid out the town of Lawrenceburg, Ind., giving it his wife's maiden name, and built an attractive home, where he d. about 1830. They had four children who grew up:
 1. Arthur Vance⁴; m. Lavinia, sister of Governor Noble of Indiana; res. Lawrenceburg, Ind., and Cincinnati, Ohio; 9 children; six are living in or near Indianapolis, Ind.;

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- i. Martha Vance⁵; m. Mr. Springer.
- ii. Margaret Vance⁵; m. Mr. Marshall.
- iii. Louisa Vance⁵; m. Mr. Craig.
- iv. Thomas Vance⁵.
- v. Noble Vance⁵.
- vi. Harry Vance⁵.
2. Margaret Vance⁴; m. Lazarus Noble: 1 son. She m. 2d Judge Betholt Morris, and had 4 children; two grew up. Children:
 - i. William Noble⁵. His children res. in Indianapolis, Ind.
 - ii. Samuel Morris⁵; m. Jennie, sister of President Harrison; 2 children. He m. 2d her sister, Anna Harrison; 7 children; res. Minneapolis, Minn. Children by 1st wife: Harry Morris⁵; Elizabeth Morris⁵.
 - iii. Clara Morris⁵; m. Frederick Guiser of Lexington, Ky. She d. 1864. Children: Morris Guiser⁵; Clara Guiser⁵.
3. Catherine Vance⁴, b. Lawrenceburg, Ind., Dec. 31, 1804; m. Nov. 28, 1826, in Lawrenceburg, Ind., Dr. Thomas Butler Pinckard (a grandnephew of Pres James Monroe). He was b. in King George co., Va., Jan. 12, 1797; went to Lexington, Ky., about 1812. Practised his profession in Lawrenceburg, Ind., Lexington, Ky., and in New Orleans, La. He d. Oct. 14, 1860, in Lexington, Ky.; she d. May 5, 1839, in Lexington, Ky. Children:
 - i. George Vance Pinckard⁵, b. Jan. 13, 1828, at Lawrenceburg, Ind.; d. Nov. 1, 1833, in Lexington, Ky.
 - ii. Mary Elizabeth Pinckard⁵, b. Vicksburg, Miss., Feb. 5, 1830.
 - iii. Margaret St. Clair Pinckard⁵, b. Lawrenceburg, Ind., March 11, 1832.
 - iv. Catherine Lawrence Vance Pinckard⁵, b. Lexington, Ky., Sept. 1, 1834; m. Alvin C. Greenleaf of Pasadena, Cal. Their children are: 1. Katie St. Clair Greenleaf⁵, who m. Mr. Locke, and res. Pasadena, Cal. Child: Preston E. Locke⁷. 2. Margaret Pinckard Greenleaf⁵.
 - v. William Monroe Pinckard⁵, b. Lexington, Ky., Jan. 1, 1837.
 - vi. Thomas Samuel Pinckard⁵, b. Lexington, Ky., April 26, 1839; d. in New Orleans, La., Oct. 1, 1858.
4. Lawrence Vance⁴; m. Mary Bates of Indianapolis, Ind., in 1838, and had 6 children; three still living.
 - i. Samuel Vance⁵; res. Florida.
 - ii. Mary Vance⁵; m. Mr. Rorison; res. Ft. Wayne, Ind.
 - iii. Lawrence Vance⁵; res. San Diego, Cal.
 - iv. George Vance⁵; killed during the late war.
 - v. Harry Vance⁵; deceased.
 - vi. Arthur Vance⁵; deceased.
2260. Catherine Lawrence⁵; m. Major Randolph, who was killed at the battle of Tippecanoe. Child:
 1. Mary Randolph⁴; m. William Sheets of Indianapolis, Ind.
2261. Elizabeth Lawrence⁵; d. unmarried.
2262. John Lawrence⁵.
2263. Thomas Lawrence⁵.
2264. James Lawrence⁵.

2265. Louisa St. Clair² [2234] (Gen. Arthur¹). She was born in 1772. Professor Hildreth in his Pioneer History (p. 262, which is quoted in Vol. I., pp. 160-161, of the St. Clair papers) describes her as "a healthy, vigorous girl, full of life and activity, every way calculated for a soldier's daughter; fond of frolic, and ready to draw

amusement from all and everything around her. She was a fine equestrienne, and would mount the most wild and spirited horse without fear, managing him with ease and gracefulness; dashing through the open woodlands around *Campus Martius* at full gallop, leaping over logs or any obstruction that fell in her way.

"She was one of the most rapid skaters in the garrison; few, if any, of the young men equalling her in speed and activity, or in graceful movements in this enchanting exercise. Her elegant person and neat dress showing to much advantage called forth loud plaudits from both young and old. The broad sheet of ice on the Muskingum, near the garrison, for a few days in the winter afforded a fine field for this healthy sport. She was also an expert huntress; and would have afforded a good figure for Diana in her rambles through the woods had she been armed with the bow instead of the rifle. Of this instrument she was a perfect mistress; loading and firing with the accuracy of a backwoodsman, killing a squirrel from the highest tree, or cutting off the head of a partridge with wonderful precision. She was fond of roaming in the woods, and often went out alone into the forest near Marietta, fearless of the savages that occasionally lurked in the vicinity. She was as active on foot as on horseback, and could walk for several miles with the rapidity of a ranger. Her manners were refined; her person beautiful, with highly cultivated intellectual powers, having been educated with much care in Philadelphia. Born with a healthy, vigorous frame, she had strengthened both her body and mind by these athletic exercises when a child; probably first encouraged by her father, who had spent the larger portion of his life in camps. She was one of those rare spirits so admirably fitted to the times and the manners of the day in which she lived."

In her eighteenth year she exhibited a disposition of bravery rarely equaled in the history of brave women, and her reported ride into the camp of the famous Indian chief Brant in 1788, and among his warriors, was one of the most romantic and daring episodes of the Indian war.

Young Brant, son of the famous chief of that name, came down the Tuscarawas and Muskingum trail in 1788 with two hundred warriors and camped at Duncan's Falls, nine miles below Zanesville, Ohio, and by a runner informed General St. Clair that they desired the treaty preliminaries to be negotiated at that place. The General suspected this to be a plot to make him a prisoner, and so sent word back to Brant that he would soon reply to him by a ranger. Hamilton Kerr was dispatched to reconnoiter and to deliver St. Clair's letter. A short distance above Waterford Kerr discerned tracks, and creeping cautiously to a bluff, he heard the merry laugh of a woman. With speechless amazement he saw Louisa St. Clair dressed in Indian style, with a short rifle slung to her body, and mounted upon a pony. She assured him of her fixed purpose to visit Brant at Duncan's Falls. Expostulations failed to change her purpose. That night she ate her supper of dried deer's meat, and slept seated

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him to hide until her return, dashed off upon her pony into the Indian
camp, and was soon a prisoner. She asked for Brant, who appeared
in war panoply, but was abashed at her presence. She handed him
the letter, remarking they had met before,—he as a student on a
visit from college, and she as the daughter of Major-general St. Clair
at school. He bowed, being educated, read the letter, and evinced
much excitement. Louise St. Clair, perceiving this, said she had
risked her life to see him, and asked for a guard back to Marietta.
Brant replied: "I guard the brave and will accompany you home."
On the evening of the third day they, with Kerr, arrived at the Fort,
where she introduced Brant to her father, and related the incidents
of her journey, till then unknown to any at the Fort. Brant, after
some hours was courteously escorted out of the lines, and soon after
with his warriors went up the valley without a treaty, but deeply in
love with the brave and beautiful Louisa St. Clair, and it is said that
he wished to marry her. It has been asked: "Had General St. Clair
given his daughter in marriage to Brant, would the alliance have
averted war?"

She was her father's secretary in 1791-92, while he was Governor
of the Northwest Territory. She lived at Ligonier, Penn., in her
married life. She married Samuel Robb in 1795. Her father lived
with her in the last of his life. She died there May 27, 1840, aged
67 years.

CHILDREN.

- 2266. Margaret Robb^a, b. 1796; d. in infancy.
- 2267. Margaret Balfour Robb^a (2283), b. 1798; m. William T. Baldrige;
d. April 1, 1845.
- 2268. Arthur St. Clair Robb^a, b. 1800. He left his home on April 15, 1828,
and his parents never afterward heard from him.
- 2269. George Washington Robb^a (2286), b. 1803; m. Christina Palmer in
1828; d. Oct. 8, 1866.
- 2270. Ellen Douglas Robb^a (2293), b. 1805; m. Robert Graham Jan. 29,
1828.
- 2271. John Murray Robb^a, b. 1807. He enlisted in the war with Mexico,
and d. at New Albany, below New Orleans, La., in 1847.
- 2272. Mary Louisa Robb^a (2300), b. Sept. 10, 1810; m. John Sutton of
Somerset, April 15, 1828. She m. 2d John Wineland.

2273. Jane St. Clair^a [2235] (Gen. Arthur¹). She was born in
1774; married about 1800 Samuel Jarvis.

CHILD.

- 2274. Phebe Jarvis^a b. 1802; m. Dr. David Baldrige in 1827; she d. in
1878 or '79. Children:
1. Charles Baldrige^a, b. Dec., 1828; m. Letitia Duffy in 1876.
No children.
- 2. William Baldrige^a, b. 1829; m. 1857 Margaret H., and has
a large family.
- 3. Mary Jane Baldrige^a, b. 1832; m. John King in 1856, and has
two sons living.

2275. Phoebe St. Clair^a [2240] (Arthur², Gen. Arthur). She was born Aug. 15, 1794; married March, 1823, David Boyd, a native of north of Ireland. He came to Philadelphia, Penn., when a boy. Resided in Philadelphia, Penn., where she died in 1887, aged 93 years.

CHILD.

2276. David Boyd, Jr.⁴; m. Alida Vischer Knickerbocker. She m. 2d Mr. Davis; res. Wayne, Delaware co., Penn. Children:
1. Arthur St. Clair Boyd⁶, b. Aug. 22, 1870; deceased.
 2. David Knickerbocker Boyd⁶, b. Jan. 5, 1872.
 3. Lawrence Vischer Boyd⁶, b. Aug. 20, 1873.
 4. Phoebe Amelia Boyd⁶, b. Dec. 29, 1874.
 5. Alida May Boyd⁶, b. May 24, 1876.
 6. Rowland Carlisle Boyd⁶, b. July 24, 1878.

2277. James St. Clair^a (2245) (Capt. Daniel², Gen. Arthur¹). He was born April 25, 1805. He married 1835 Julia Edey, born in Philadelphia, Penn., June, 1808; resided near Penn Square, Penn., and died at Sumneytown, Montgomery co., Penn., Aug. 3, 1882. She was daughter of Richard L. A. Edey of Bridgetown, the island of Barbadoes, West Indies, who married Julia, daughter of John and Joanna Stewart of Nova Scotia, and lived in Philadelphia and Penn Square, Penn., and died near the latter place February, 1824, in the 45th year of his age. The mother of Mrs. Stewart was Eleanor Phillips. The records of the Stewarts can be found in St. Michael's church records at Bridgetown, Barbadoes. Mr. St. Clair was a gentleman farmer; resided at Penn Square, Penn., where he died Aug. 11, 1841.

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2278. Rachel St. Clair⁴, b. 1837; m. July 26, 1860, William A. Jacoby; res. Sumneytown, Penn.
2279. Julia Edey St. Clair⁴, b. 1840; m. June 14, 1864, Rev. John W. Gadenham; res. Philadelphia, and she d. at Norristown, Penn., June 9, 1865.

2280. John St. Clair^a [2253] (Arthur, Jr.², Gen. Arthur¹). He was born March 2, 1806; married Aug. 26, 1827, Ann Crooker of Madilla, N. Y. She was born July 27, 1810; deceased.

CHILDREN.

2281. Mary St. Clair⁴; d. aged 14 years.
2282. William H. St. Clair⁴ (2312), b. in Cincinnati, Ohio, May 23, 1828; res. Effingham, Ill.

2283. Margaret Balfour Robb^a [2267] (Louisa St. Clair^a, Gen. Arthur¹). She was born 1798; married July 26, 1818, William T. Baldrige. She died April 1, 1845.

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CHILDREN.

2284. Louisa St. Clair Baldrige¹; she m. Aug. 7, 1838, Jacob McCall, who
d. 1879. She lives in Lawrence, Kan., 736 Mississippi st. Children:
1. Charles McCall².
2. Belle McCall².
3. Inez McCall².
2285. Mary Elizabeth Baldrige¹, b. Aug., 1821; m. Hon. James H. Lane
Nov. 4, 1841. She d. July 21, 1883; 7 children, only three names
have been furnished me:
1. James H. Lane, Jr.².
2. Annie Eugenie Lane²; m. Mr. Johnson; res. 338 Olive st.,
Kansas City, Mo.
3. Thomas Alfred Lane².
2286. William W. Baldrige¹, b. 1823; m. —; no children. He d. in
1848.
2287. George Washington Baldrige¹, b. Aug., 1830; m. Susan Johnson in
1853, and d. in 1860. They had a son:
1. George W. Baldrige, Jr.²; res. St. Louis, Mo.
2288. Ellen Rebecca Baldrige¹, b. May, 1832; d. in 1843.
2289. Alfred Baldrige¹, b. April, 1834; res. Louisa co., Iowa.

2289a. George Washington Robb² [2269] (Louisa St. Clair², Gen.
Arthur¹). He was born 1803; married Christina Palmer in 1828.
He died Oct. 8, 1866.

CHILDREN.

- 2289b. Louisa Robb¹, b. 1829; m. Frederick Poreh; and has two children.
Res. Pleasant Unity, Penn.
2289c. Ellen Robb¹, b. 1832; m. Peter Bitner May 10, 1854. Two children
living.
2289d. George Washington Robb, Jr.¹, b. 1834; m. Ellen Pry; res. Severn,
Kansas.
2290. Chauncey Dill Robb¹, b. 1837; m. Bettie Pry; no children.
2291. Bettie Robb¹, b. Nov. 20, 1839; m. 1861 Col. George Covode. She
d. March, 1876, leaving a daughter who is married and lives in
Washington, D. C.
2292. John Robb¹, b. 1842; d. 1866; single.

2293. Ellen Douglas Robb² [2270] (Louisa St. Clair², Gen.
Arthur¹). She was born 1805; married Jan. 29, 1828, Robert
Graham. Her death occurred in 1862.

CHILDREN.

2294. Louisa St. Clair Graham¹, b. March, 1829; d. in infancy.
2295. James McKelheny Graham¹, b. 1832; m. Amanda Gerigny in 1860;
res. St. Joseph, Mo. Children:
1. Harry Graham².
2. Nellie Graham².
3. Herman Graham².
4. Arthur Graham².
2296. Elizabeth Graham¹, b. 1835; d. unmarried in 1871.
2297. Robert St. Clair Graham¹, b. 1837; m. 1867 Jennie Grimes, and d.
March 17, 1881. He was a Judge and lived in Kansas. No
children.
2298. Louisa Graham¹, b. March 31, 1840; m. 1864 Jesse Crall of Atchison,
Kansas. Two children living.
2299. Fanny Ellen Douglas Graham¹, b. 1843; d. 1874; single.

2360. Mary Louisa Robb* [2272] (Louisa St. Clair², Gen. Arthur¹). She was born Sept. 10, 1810; married John Sutton of Somerset, Penn., April 15, 1828, who died May 23, 1830. They had one son. She married 2d, March 27, 1832, John Wineland, born Feb. 27, 1810; died June 3, 1888. She died June 2, 1887, near Youngstown, Penn., aged 76 yrs. 8 mos. 22 days. Another has thus written of her: "The brave patriotic spirit of her ancestry imbued the whole family." Four of her sons served in the Union army in the late war. Her devotion to her country was second only to her devotion to her God and her unbounded charity for all. Of all upon whose heart God laid His hand and sacredly ordained to motherhood, none filled the measure of their duty more completely. Of all the tired, weary souls whom God calls home, none ever found sweeter rest.

CHILDREN.

2301. William Henry Sutton Wineland⁴, b. Oct. 21, 1829; d. March 4, 1840.
 2302. George W. Wineland⁴, b. March 5, 1832; m. Oct. 14, 1857, Caroline Owens, and has 5 children; farmer; res. Wall station, Allegheny co., Penn. Children:
 1. John Albert Wineland⁵.
 2. Mary Elizabeth Wineland⁵.
 3. Ellen Douglas Wineland⁵.
 4. Winfield Scott Wineland⁵.
 5. Florence Gertrude Wineland⁵.
 2303. John Albert Wineland⁴, b. Nov. 1, 1836; m. Sept. 8, 1859, Susan Zimmerman; res. Gallon, Ohio. Children:
 1. Nina St. Clair Wineland⁵.
 2. Maud Wineland⁵.
 3. Mabel Marden Wineland⁵.
 4. John Henry Wineland⁵.
 5. Maggie Wineland⁵.
 2304. David Baldrige Wineland⁴, b. May 20, 1839. He served four years during the Rebellion in the Union army; was a captain. He m. Feb. 21, 1871, Lavina R. Dodds. He d. Dec. 18, 1881, leaving a wife and three children. Children:
 1. Maud St. Clair Wineland⁵.
 2. Boyd McVey Wineland⁵.
 3. Mary Lane Wineland⁵.
 2305. Daniel St. Clair Wineland⁴, b. April 14, 1841; m. April 20, 1869, Mary Angeline Mears, and has 7 children; res. Pittsburgh, Penn. Children:
 1. William Clark Wineland⁵.
 2. David Young Wineland⁵.
 3. May Agnes Wineland⁵.
 4. Harvey Sutton Wineland⁵.
 5. Della Sherwood Wineland⁵.
 6. George Cassidy Wineland⁵.
 7. Claire Addison Wineland⁵.
 2306. Mary Elizabeth Wineland⁴, b. June 27, 1843; d. Dec. 30, 1856.
 2307. Robert Graham Wineland⁴, b. Feb. 27, 1844; d. Aug. 10, 1847.
 2308. Margaret Balfour Wineland⁴, b. Sept. 8, 1848; d. May 30, 1875.
 2309. Winfield Scott Wineland⁴, b. Jan. 22, 1851; d. Aug. 7, 1851.
 2310. Henry Clay Wineland⁴, b. Jan. 22, 1851. He married in Dallas, Texas, Feb. 27, 1889, Julia V. Kennedy; res. Dallas, Texas. Child:
 1. Harry Wray Wineland⁵.
 2311. Ellen Douglas Wineland⁴, b. May 4, 1854; unmarried. She res. Youngstown, Penn.

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2820] WILLIAM H. ST. CLAIR, OF EFFINGHAM, ILL.

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2812. William H. St. Clair⁴ [2282] (John³, Arthur, Jr.², Gen. Arthur¹). He was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, May 23, 1828. He married Eliza Ann Jackson Aug. 11, 1857; she is deceased. Physician. Resides Effingham, Illinois.

CHILDREN.

- 2313. Arthur St. Clair⁵; deceased.
- 2314. John St. Clair⁵; deceased.
- 2315. William St. Clair⁵.
- 2316. Charles St. Clair⁵.
- 2317. May St. Clair⁵.
- 2318. Laura St. Clair⁵.
- 2319. Carrie St. Clair⁵.
- 2320. Birdie St. Clair⁵; res. Effingham, Ill.

CHAPTER XIII.

THE SINCLAIRS OF NORTHUMBERLAND CO., PENN., AND
THE SINCLAIRS OF TIRREE, ARGYLESIRE, SCOTLAND, OF
PENNYCUICK, SCOTLAND, AND OF NEW HAVEN, CONN.

THERE were four brothers and one sister of this branch of the Sinclair family. Their names were Duncan Sinclair, Neale Sinclair, John Sinclair, Archie Sinclair, Margaret Sinclair. They were all born in Scotland; their native place is not known, as their old Sinclair records have been lost. The father of these children had but one brother. The Sinclairs fled from Scotland to the north of Ireland to escape religious or political persecution. They went there about 1762 and lived some twelve years, when the two eldest sons, Duncan Sinclair and Neale Sinclair, came to America in 1772, just previous to the Revolutionary war. John Sinclair, a son of Neale Sinclair, a few years ago lived near Milton, Penn. John Sinclair, Archie Sinclair, and their sister, Margaret Sinclair, who it is believed was then married to a Mr. Robert Johnson, a teacher, came later. Mr. Johnson was a native of Scotland; settled in Washingtonville, Penn., and was a teacher and farmer. He died about 1801. He had two daughters and a son. Their youngest daughter married her own cousin, Robert Templeton Sinclair. (See his family, No. 2323.)

2321. Duncan Sinclair¹, one of the five children, was born in Scotland, place unknown, in 1753. By trade a weaver. He came to America with his brother, Neale Sinclair, in 1772, when about 20 years of age. He served 3 years as a volunteer in the Revolutionary war, General Green being his division commander. He crossed the Delaware river in the night preceding Washington's victory at Trenton. After the war he settled in Pennsylvania, at or near Derry, or Washingtonville. He lived in Northumberland co., Penn., and in 1799 he removed to Ontario county, that portion which is now Livingston county, in New York. He was one of the first members of the organized Presbyterian church in the town of Geneseo; was one of the first elders, and held the place for many years. He married in Pennsylvania Hannah Templeton. He died in Geneseo, N. Y., Jan. 5, 1833.

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2322. Robert Templeton Sinclair² (2323), b. Derry, Penn., in 1797; res. Genesec, N. Y.

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2838] ROBERT TEMPLETON SINCLAIR, OF GENESEO, N. Y. 365

2323. Robert Templeton Sinclair² [2322] (Duncan¹). He was born in Derry, Penn., in 1797; went with his parents in 1799 to Geneseo, N. Y., which was his home till death; farmer. He owned the homestead near Lakeville, in Geneseo, overlooking Conesus lake. He married May 10, 1821, his cousin, Margaret Johnson, born in Washingtonville, Penn., March 28, 1799. She d. in Geneseo, N. Y., Nov. 15, 1881.

CHILDREN BORN GENESEO, N. Y.

2324. James Sinclair², b. April 14, 1822; m. Aug. 18, 1851, Emma Corwin. He was a clergyman; res. Smithtown, L. I., where he d. Feb. 5, 1882.
2325. Nancy Sinclair², b. April 6, 1824; m. Oct. 6, 1843, James Haynes; 3 children. She m. 2d, Jan. 3, 1859, Revilo Bigelow, who was b. in Geneseo, N. Y., Oct. 9, 1820. (He was son of Epaphroditus and Sarah (Phelps) Bigelow. His father was a native of Marlborough, Conn., and was son of Daniel Bigelow, and grandson of David Bigelow of Colchester, Conn.) Mr. Bigelow is a farmer, and lives in Geneseo, N. Y. Children b. Geneseo, N. Y.:
1. Frances Haynes², b. June 18, 1846; m. Byron L. Denison; res. Rochester, N. Y.
 2. John Henry Sinclair², b. Jan. 9, 1878, Helen M. Boyd; farmer; res. Geneseo, N. Y.
 3. James Charles Gaylord Haynes²; m. Dec. 25, 1883, Henrietta Rorbach; trader; res. Geneseo, N. Y.
- BY SECOND MARRIAGE.
4. Vara Adelaide Bigelow², b. Nov. 5, 1860; stenographer; res. Fifth Avenue hotel, N. Y., N. Y.
 5. Flnette Bigelow², b. Oct. 18, 1867; teacher; res. Geneseo, N. Y.
2326. John Henry Sinclair², b. Nov. 2, 1826; m. Fannie Corwin. He was a clergyman; res. Richmond, Staten Island, N. Y., and d. Oct. 31, 1883.
2327. Robert Templeton Sinclair², b. Jan. 28, 1828; m. Elizabeth Haynes; farmer; res. Geneseo, N. Y.
2328. Mary Sinclair², b. Dec. 21, 1830; d. in Geneseo, N. Y., Oct. 16, 1849.
2329. Elizabeth Finney Sinclair², b. Aug. 24, 1836; m. Sept. 21, 1855, Zerah Blakely; missionary; res. Scotland, South Dakota.
2330. Margaret Hannah Sinclair², b. Oct. 22, 1838; teacher; res. Geneseo, N. Y., where she d. Nov. 22, 1866.
2331. Edward Payson Sinclair², b. June 14, 1841; res. New York, N. Y.

THE SINCLAIRS OF TIREE, SCOTLAND.

The Sinclairs of Tiree, an island in Argyleshire, Scotland, came from the county of Caithness, and their pedigree can be traced by Rev. Brevard D. Sinclair of Seattle, Washington, back to the early Sinclairs or St. Clairs in Scotland.

2332. Donald Sinclair¹ lived in county of Caithness, but removed to the island of Tiree, where he was factor for MacLean of Kingerloch, who owned the island. He had a son:

2333. Donald Sinclair², also of Tiree. Donald had a son:

* Mr. Francis McD. Sinclair, a cousin of Miss Vara A. Bigelow, lives at 140 Baxter street, N. Y., N. Y.

2334. Peter Sinclair^d, of T'ree, who was a respectable farmer. He was born at T'ree, Scotland, in 1758; married Margaret Campbell. He died at T'ree about 1834. The latter had a son:

2335. Rev. John Campbell Sinclair^d, who was born in the island of T'ree Aug. 15, 1797. He studied in the universities of Edinburgh and Glasgow, Scotland, and graduated at the latter place as a ripe scholar. He studied theology under Rev. John Dick, D. D. In 1838 he and his family emigrated to Pictou, Nova Scotia, and he became a minister of the Presbyterian church, where he was one of its most popular clergymen. He preached at Roger's Hill, Middle River, and Little Harbor, N. S. Resided at Little Harbor. He preached at Alberton and West Point, Prince Edward Island, from 1843 to 1852. In 1852 he removed to Newburyport, Mass., and soon after located in Pittsburg, Penn., and labored among the foreign population successfully. In 1858 he received urgent calls to the churches of Galatia and Langstreet, N. C., which he accepted. He labored with great acceptance among the people who had come from the Highlands of Scotland. His fluency as a Gaelic scholar and preacher made him very attractive to thousands of his Scotch countrymen, and their descendants. After the war he labored among the Freedmen until 1869, when his voice suddenly failed, caused by outdoor preaching. After 1870 he lived with his son, Rev. Alexander Sinclair, and son-in-law, Rev. D. A. Cunningham, D. D., in Wheeling, West Virginia, where he died on Tuesday morning, April 23, 1878.

Mr. Sinclair married at Scalastil House, in the island of Mull, Argyleshire, Scotland, in 1822, Mary Julia McLean, daughter of John and Margaret (McLean) McLean. She was an orphan and lived with her cousins, on her father's side, at Scalastil House. Sir Archibald McLean and Sir Hector McLean, Major-generals in the British army, were her cousins. She died in Pittsburg, Penn., May 24, 1854, and is buried in the Allegheny cemetery.

CHILD BORN T'REE, SCOTLAND.

2336. Rev. James Sinclair^d; was b. in T'ree, Scotland, and came to America with his parents. He entered the Western Theological seminary of Allegheny City, Penn., in 1854; graduated in 1857, and was called to the Presbyterian church at Smyrna, North Carolina, that year, and became pastor. In 1861 he was made Chaplain of the Fifth North Carolina Infantry by Jeff Davis. He commanded half of the regiment at Bull Run, and in December, 1861, was made Colonel of the 35th Regt., North Carolina. After the battle of Newberne, N. C., he became disgusted with the manner the war was conducted, resigned his position, and retired to his home. He became an ardent Republican after the collapse of the Rebellion; was elected to the Legislature of North Carolina, and was appointed United States assessor in the district of Cape Fear by President Grant. He m. in Prince Edward Island, in 1848, Mary, dau. of Samuel McPherson. She d. in September, 1859. He m. 2d, in 1860, Mary E., daughter of Dr. Edward McQueen of Lumberton, N. C., and had 2 children. He d. at Monroe, N. C., Aug. 5, 1877, and is buried at Lumberton, N. C. Children:

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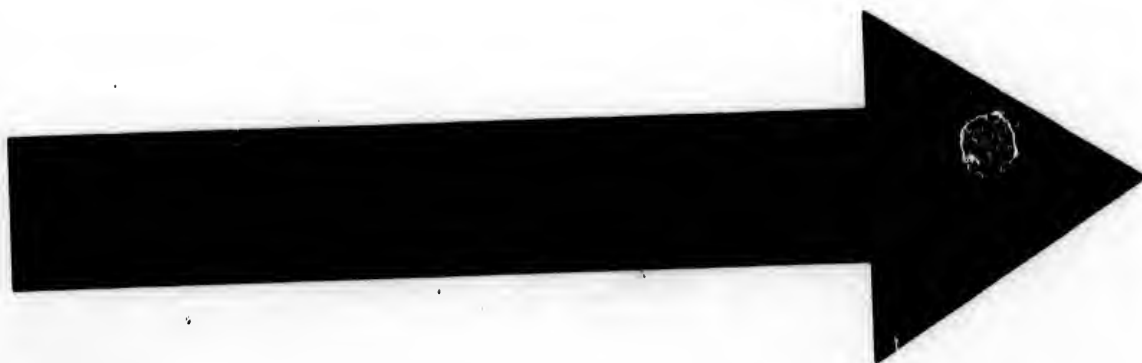
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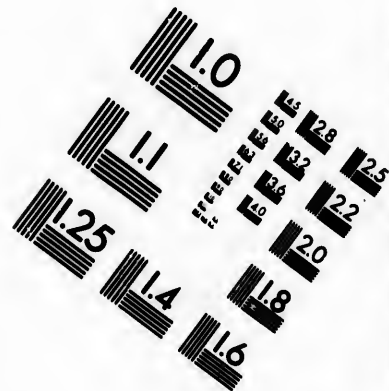
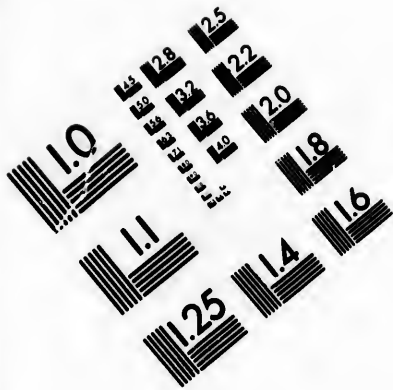
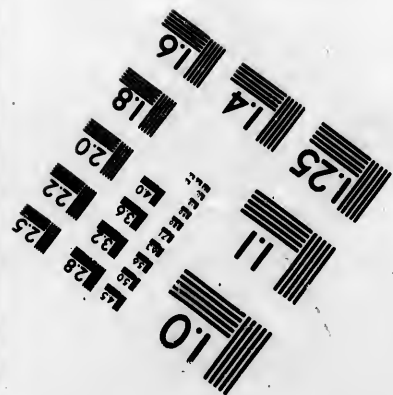
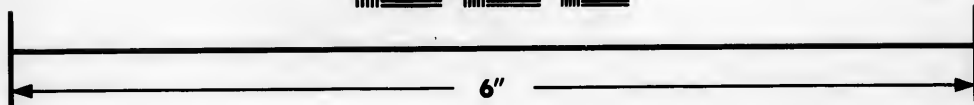
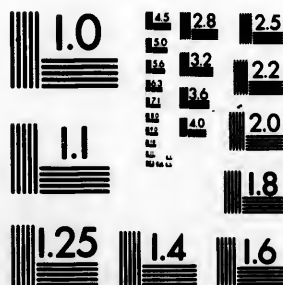


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1. James John Sinclair.⁶
2. Julia Sinclair⁶; m. Samuel T. Neill; an attorney; res. Titusville, Penn.
3. Alexander Sinclair⁶.
4. Mary Ellen Sinclair⁶, b. 1857 in Sharpsburg, Penn.
5. Sarah Elizabeth Sinclair⁶, b. 1857 in Sharpsburg, Penn.

BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

6. Edward Sinclair⁶.
7. Cunningham Sinclair⁶.
8. Annie Sinclair⁶; m. Aug. 24, 1858, Rev. D. A. Cunningham, D. D., of Wooster, Ohio, but had no children. Dr. Cunningham was once of Bridgewater, Penn., and Wheeling, West Virginia.
9. Margaret Sinclair⁶; m. John Q. McDougald of Fayetteville, N. C. Children:
 - i. Mary Ellen McDougald.
 - ii. Maggie McDougald⁷.
10. Rev. Alexander Sinclair⁶, b. in Mull, Scotland, March 14, 1834. He entered the Western Theological seminary at Allegheny, Penn., in January, 1854, and graduated in 1856; was ordained the same spring as pastor of the Presbyterian church in Sharpsburg, Penn. In 1857 he was called to the First Presbyterian church in Charlotte, N. C., and was installed in the fall of that year. He m. Nellie Plummer of Newburyport, Mass.; no children. He m. 2d Mary Laura, dau. of Adam Brevard Davidson of Charlotte, N. C. He d. in Salisbury, Md., Feb. 22, 1885. Children:
 - i. Brevard Davidson Sinclair⁷, b. Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 31, 1859. Became a lawyer, then studied for the ministry, and lived in Newburyport, Mass., in 1892. To his "An Historical Account of the Genealogy of the Children and Grandchildren of Rev. John Campbell Sinclair" I am indebted for this information of this branch of the Sinclair family. He m. Oct. 26, Tabulah Rice Bair, b. Lexington, Mo., Oct. 28, 1859; res. Seattle, Washington. Children: 1. Brevard Davidson Sinclair⁸, b. July 30, 1888. 2. Alexander Malcolm Sinclair⁸, b. Newburyport, Mass., Oct. 5, 1889. 3. Robert Augustus Sinclair⁸, b. Newburyport, Mass., May 27, 1891.
 - ii. Mary Duart Sinclair⁷, b. July 28, 1861.
 - iii. John Campbell Sinclair⁷, b. Oct. 11, 1863; d. Sept. 11, 1864.
 - iv. Alexander McLean Sinclair⁷, b. Sept. 30, 1866; d. Nov. 9, 1866.
 - v. Alexander Peter Sinclair⁷, b. Nov. 27, 1867.
 - vi. Laura Virginia Sinclair⁷, b. Aug. 20, 1870.
 - vii. Richard Springs Sinclair⁷, b. April 6, 1873; d. Dec. 3, 1873.
 - viii. Annie Harley Sinclair⁷, b. Feb. 3, 1875.

2337. Peter J. Sinclair, born in Scotland, and came to America with his parents. He married in Pittsburg, Penn., Ellen, daughter of John L. Arthur of that city. She died in Pittsburg in 1873. He married 2d in September, 1874, Margaret Carson of Pleasant Gardens, Marion co., N. C. He was a lawyer by profession; a major in the Southern army. After the war he resumed the practice of law.

CHILDREN.

2338. John C. Sinclair.

BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

2339. Maggie Carson Sinclair.

2340. James Alexander Sinclair.

THE SINCLAIRS OF PENNYCUICK, SCOTLAND, AND NEW HAVEN, CONN.

2341. James Sinclair¹ was born in the parish of Pennyquick, Scotland, and there he spent his life. This was only nine miles from Edinburgh, and only three miles distant from Roslin castle, the celebrated home of Sinclairs for many generations, and where they lived almost in regal state. He married Martha Hartley in 1798.

CHILDREN BORN IN PENNYCUICK, SCOTLAND.

2342. Alfred Sinclair², b. Jan. 26, 1799; d. 1799.
 2343. Thomas Sinclair² (2333), b. Oct. 6, 1800; m. Margaret Robertson.
 2344. Katherine Sinclair², b. Sept. 23, 1802.
 2345. James Sinclair², b. June 25, 1804; d. March 28, 1806.
 2346. James Sinclair², b. Jan. 13, 1807.
 2347. { Hannah Sinclair², b. April 11, 1809; d. in infancy.
 2348. { Jeremiah Sinclair², b. April 11, 1809.
 2349. Robert Sinclair², b. May 9, 1810; m. Anne Robertson.
 2350. Martha Sinclair², b. Jan. 28, 1812; m. David Hunter.
 2351. Mary Sinclair², b. June 3, 1814; m. John Richardson.
 2352. Isabel Sinclair², b. about 1816; m. John Forsyth.

2353. Thomas Sinclair² (James¹). He was born in Pennyquick, Scotland, and there on the 13th of May, 1825, he married Margaret Robertson, who died April 11, 1844, aged 37 years, leaving a numerous family. He married 2d Janet Cornell of Pennyquick, who was the mother of several children. None of his children came to America except his daughter Anne, and his sons James and Alexander Brown Sinclair. The others lived in Pennyquick.

CHILDREN BORN PENNYCUICK, SCOTLAND.

2354. Anne Sinclair³, b. May 20, 1826; d. Feb. 2, 1828.
 2355. James Sinclair³, b. July 11, 1827; m. Eliza Lindsley. She d. in Scotland. He m. 2d Margaret Brown. He d. 1876. James Sinclair was the first of the family to come to the United States. He came about 1855, and was at Niagara Falls, N. Y., and in the South for a time, and finally located in New Haven, Conn. In 1858-59 he was in the employ of Joseph Parker, one of the oldest blotting-paper manufacturers in the country. He did much to make it a success, and was a member of the firm at his death in 1876. His widow res. in New Haven, Conn. No children.
 2356. Anne Sinclair³, b. Jan. 21, 1829; m. Frank Mackin. He is deceased, and she lives in Cleveland, Ohio.
 2357. Thomas Sinclair³, b. July 26, 1830; m. Elizabeth Thompson. Both are deceased.
 2358. Jeremiah Sinclair³, b. Nov. 18, 1831; d. 1894.
 2359. Margaret Sinclair³, b. Feb. 20, 1833; m. Thomas Dickson. Both are deceased.

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2360. Hugh Sinclair³, b. July 12, 1834; m. Christiana Fluer.

2361. John Sinclair³, b. Oct. 22, 1835; m. Mary Balne, and both are dec'd.

2362. Alexander Brown Sinclair³ (2371), b. Sept. 5, 1837; res. New Haven,
Conn. He m. Augusta Clark.

2363. Martha Sinclair³, b. Nov. 16, 1838; m. George Leighton. She is
deceased.

2364. Elizabeth Sinclair³, b. July 27, 1840.

2365. David Sinclair³, b. Oct. 11, 1841, and is deceased.

2366. Christiana Sinclair³, b. Dec. 17, 1842; d. 1845.

CHILDREN BY SECOND WIFE.

2367. Allison Sinclair³, b. July 1, 1848.

2368. Robert Sinclair³, b. July 6, 1850.

2369. Isabel Sinclair³, b. May 30, 1852.

2370. Henry Sinclair³, b. April 5, 1854.

2371. Alexander Brown Sinclair³ (2362) (Thomas², James¹).
He was born Sept. 5, 1837, in Pennycuick, Scotland, which had been
the home of the family for a long time. He came to the United
States in 1857. Since the war he and some of his family were
engaged in the paper business. He married Augusta Clark Jan. 20,
1861. Resided New Haven, Conn.

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2372. Isabel Arlinda Sinclair⁴, b. Trenton, N. J., Oct. 19, 1861; m. John
Henry Cannon; res. New Haven, Conn.

2373. Thomas Sinclair⁴, b. March 16, 1863.

2374. William Sinclair⁴, b. Sept. 5, 1865; d. 1865.

2375. James Sinclair⁴, b. May 18, 1866; res. Westville, New Haven, Conn.
To him I am indebted for facts concerning this branch of the
family.

2376. Alexander B. Sinclair⁴, b. May 24, 1872.

THE SINCKLERS OF THE ISLAND OF BARBADOES, WEST INDIES.

2377. James Sinckler¹ was a planter in the island of Barbadoes
in 1782. He died in 1788. In his will, which was proved and
recorded Nov. 4, 1788, he signed his name James Sinckler. His
wife was Mary ———. He left his property mostly to his son
James Sinckler².

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2378. James Sinckler² (2381).

2379. William Sinckler².

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2381. James Sinckler² [2378] (James¹). He inherited the most
of the real estate of his father. He died in 1807, and his will was
proved and recorded on the 17th of November, 1807. He signed
his name to his will as "James Sinckler." His son,

2382. James William Sinckler², who was a medical man, spelled
his name in the same manner. All these wills with signatures are in
the Public Records office in Barbadoes. His son,

2383. James William Sinckler⁴ spelled his name in the same manner. A nephew of the latter is

2384. Edward Goldburn Sinckler⁵, J. P. of Melrose Villa, Collymore Roek, South Michael's Parish, of Barbadoes, West Indies, follows the custom of his family. For more than a century this family has adopted this form of orthography. Mr. Sinckler is a public officer, and has a record of the Sincklers of Barbadoes, many of whom have come to the United States. Only this brief record reached me in time for insertion in this book.

THE SINKLERS OF BARBADOES, WEST INDIES.

2385. Powell Sinkler¹, who died in 1747, lived in Barbadoes. His name in his will is written thus: "Powell (his mark .X.) Sinkler." A crest is affixed to the will, which is said to resemble the arms of the Sinclair family of Stirkoke, Scotland.

CHILDREN.

2386. Thomas Sinkler².

2387. Woodroffe Sinckler². He m. a Miss Howard, and d. in 1807.

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CHAPTER XIV.

THE CILLEY, SEALEY FAMILY*.

AMONG the earliest settlers of New Hampshire were the Sealeys or Cilleys of the Isle of Shoals. Jenness, in his "Historical Sketch of the Isle of Shoals," thus speaks of them:

"The three brothers, William, Richard, and John Sealey, were also among the more distinguished of the early settlers there, where for many years they occupied chief positions as magistrates, constables, deputies, and merchants." They were early upon that island in the sea, and are presumed to be sons of Capt. Robert Seeley of Watertown, Mass., who was in that town in 1630. A supposed companion emigrant of Winthrop to America, who afterwards settled in Connecticut, and whose estate was administered upon in 1668.

It is evident that they came from the same locality in England that Capt. Robert Seeley came from, and, like him, were strongly opposed to the church of England, and apparently were in full accord with the faith of the Puritans, as shown in the language of various petitions.

This name, like many others, has undergone some changes. Sealey and Cilley are different forms and ways of spelling the same patronymic. While Sealey was the form adopted by the members of the little community on the Isle of Shoals, yet *Cilley* was the form adopted by a descendant of one of the brothers, Gen. Joseph Cilley of Revolutionary fame. He was a grandson of Thomas Sealey of Hampton, N. H., and in his will spelled his name Cilley, and this form has been adopted generally by the family. Of the three brothers

1. John Sealey's¹ name is first mentioned on the 28th of the 8th month, 1647. He died before 1670, and his estate was administered by his brother, William *Sealy*. He had been only a short time at the Shoals, then one of the most flourishing portions of New England, but he had previously lived in Essex co., Mass., "in Newbery, Mass.," and in Portsmouth, N. H.

2. William Sealy¹ probably lived upon the island until his death, which occurred between Aug. 1, 1671, and Dec. 13, 1671. He acted as an appraiser on the estate of Phillip Babb Aug. 1, 1671.

*I am indebted for the most of my information of this family to Gen. Jonathan Prince Cilley of Rockland, Me., who has published a "History of the Cilley Family."

He was "grand jurymen" June 30, 1656, July 5, 1660. "Was constable ye Isle of Shoals 25th of June, 1665." Had several suits in the courts of justice at Saco and Wells, Me., on July 5, 1661, July 6, 1661, July 7, 1664, and Oct. 12, 1669, and was called Ensigne in a petition.

3. Richard Sealey¹, the last of the three brothers, appears twice upon the records; once on a petition to the Court of Boston, Mass., March 3, 1653, and once as a magistrate, May 18, 1653. He left the Isle of Shoals and removed to Hampton, N. H., probably before 1660. There he fixed his home.

CHILDREN.

4. Martha Sealey²; m. John Cluff Jan. 15, 1686.
5. Thomas Sealey² (7); m. Mary Stanyan before 1697.
6. Benoni Sealey².

7. Thomas Seally² [5] (Richard¹). He was a sea captain, and lived at Hampton Falls and Nottingham, N. H., and at Andover, Mass., with his son Thomas Seally for a time, and died at the home of his son Joseph Seally, in Nottingham, whither he had gone from Andover on a visit. He married Ann, daughter of John and Mary (Bradbury) Stanyan.

CHILDREN.

8. Mary Seally³, b. July 2, 1697; m. Daniel I overing Dec. 14, 1724.
9. John Seilea³, as he spelled his name, was born June 6, 1699; m. Elizabeth E. Gildden, daughter of John Gildden of Exeter, N. H., and removed to Biddeford, Me., in 1734-5.
10. Abigail Seally³, b. April 19, 1700.
11. Joseph Ceilley³ (14), as he spelled his name, was b. Oct. 6, 1701. Res. in Nottingham, N. H., and was the father of Mary Cilley, who m. Col. Richard Sinkler of Barnstead, N. H. (See page 95.)
12. Annie Seally³; m. Jan. 8, 1719, Samuel Blake.
13. Thomas Seally³; m. March 7, 1729, Abigail Knowlton.

14. Joseph Ceilley³ [11] (Thomas², Richard¹). Capt. Joseph Ceilley of Hampton, N. H., married Alice Rawlins* of Exeter, N. H., in 1729. She was born in 1701, and died in the winter of 1801. In 1729 or '30 Captain Ceilley removed to Nottingham, N. H., with whose interests he became intimately associated. He was one of its early settlers. Was a farmer, an agent for the proprietors of the grant and a captain in the militia.

* She was daughter of Benjamin³ and Elizabeth Rawlins of Exeter, N. H. Her father was one of the original proprietors of Gilmanton, N. H., in 1727. His will was made Sept. 7, 1736; proven April 30, 1740.

This Benjamin Rawlins³ was son of Thomas³, who lived at that part of old Dover called Bloody Point, now Newington, and removed to Exeter after 1668, where he lived till his death. Rebellious blood flowed in his veins, which caused him trouble, and he was once charged with high treason. He married about 1670 Rachel, daughter of Moses and Alice Cox of Hampton. (Moses Cox was born 1594; died at Hampton May 28, 1687, aged 93 years.) He died before Nov. 7, 1706, when his inventory was returned. Thomas² was son of James Rawlins¹, first generation in America,

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15. Anne Cilley¹, b. 1726; m. Job Mills, and d. at Deerfield, N. H.
16. Abigail Cilley¹; m. Zephaniah Butler, and was the grandmother of
Gen. B. F. Butler of Lowell, Mass.
17. Mary Cilley¹; m. Col. Richard Sinclair of Barnstead, N. H., and d.
in that town. They were the great grandparents of Hon. John G.
Sinclair, late of Bethlehem, N. H., and now of Orlando, Fla. (See
Sinclair Family, No. 1633, p. 279.)
18. Joseph Cilley¹, as he spelled his name, was b. 1735. Lived in Notting-
ham, N. H., and was the famous Gen. Joseph Cilley of Revolution-
ary fame. He m. Sarah Longfellow, and d. Aug. 25, 1799.
19. Cutting Cilley¹, b. 1738; m. Martha Morrill, and d. 1825.
20. Elsie Cilley¹, b. 1748; m. Oct. 25, 1765, Enoch Page, and d. in 1847 in
Nottingham, N. H.

who came in 1632 with the early settlers of Ipswich, Mass. He was in New-
bury, Mass., in 1634, and was located in Dover as early as 1644, and
received a grant of land July 10th of that year. He lived in what is now
Newington. His will was dated Dec. 16, 1685; proved July 25, 1691. He
had seven children. (See Genealogy of Rawlins or Rollins Family, by
John R. Rollins.)

CHILDREN OF BENJAMIN RAWLINS².

Josiah Rawlins¹.
John Rawlins¹.
Benjamin Rawlins¹.
Abigail Rawlins¹; m. Mr. Folsom.
Alice Rawlins¹; m. Capt. Joseph Cilley, as mentioned above.
Dorothy Rawlins¹; m. John Steele of Exeter, N. H.
Mercy Rawlins¹.
Ann Rawlins¹.

CHAPTER XV.

THE RICHARD CLARK FAMILY.

1. Richard Clark¹ was, according to tradition, born in Greenland, N. H., in 1693, and his father came from England it is said. On Oct. 27, 1717, he purchased land in Exeter, N. H., of John Wedgewood, Sr., of that town, and lived in that part of Exeter which is now Newfields, N. H.

The town allotted him forty acres of land in 1725. He was an original proprietor of Gilmanton, N. H., May 13, 1727, and on Nov. 13, 1732, he added to his landed possessions by a purchase of twenty acres of John Wedgewood, Jr., in Newmarket, which was still farther increased by a grant of ten acres from the town of Exeter Aug. 9, 1738.

In November, 1746, he signed a petition for a bridge at Newmarket. In January, 1766, he, with his sons Richard, Jr., Caleb, and John Clark, signed a petition for a bridge at Newfields. There was a close connection between him and the Wedgewood family. It is claimed that his mother was a Miss Wedgewood.

Mr. Clark was a farmer, and his life closed in South Newmarket in 1784. He married Dolly Marston, who died Sept. 19, 1767. They had the following children, and probably more.

CHILDREN BORN NEWMARKET, N. H.

2. Richard Clark, Jr.² (5), b. 1726; m. Elizabeth Burley; res. Canaan, N. H.
3. Caleb Clark² (10), b. about 1730; m. Margaret Lothrop; res. Newmarket and Canaan, N. H.
4. John Clark² (15), b. about 1735; settled in Landaff, N. H.
- 4a. David Clark²; no record.

5. Richard Clark, Jr.² [2] (Richard¹). Dea. Richard Clark, Jr., was born in Newmarket, N. H., in 1726. He resided in Newmarket until 1772, when he removed to Canaan, N. H., and settled on the farm owned in 1885 by John Currier, and later on the Heywood farm, where he died in 1816, aged 90 years, and is buried in the Wells cemetery. The infirmity of being a cripple prevented him from entering the army in the Revolutionary war, as did his brothers, and as he desired. He was a deacon in the church, and never failed to give earnest testimony of his faith upon all proper occasions. As a citizen he was held in high respect. He married Elizabeth Burley.

CHILDREN.

6. Richard Clark¹, b. Oct. 28, 1761; became a clergyman. He erected a house on the Jacob Randlet farm. He m. Esther, daughter of James Jones, Sept. 16, 1788. She was born Dec. 8, 1768. He died in Canaan, N. H. Children:
 1. Jehill Clark¹, b. Nov. 3, 1790.
 2. Lucy Clark¹, b. July 23, 1792.
 3. Ebenezer Clark¹, b. April 7, 1795. Was married four times. He d. in Santa Barbara, Cal., in 1885, at his daughter's home.
 4. Richard Clark¹, b. Dec. 9, 1793.
7. Josiah Clark² was long in the Revolutionary war. Was at Bennington with General Stark, in the battle of Saratoga, and at the surrender of Burgoyne. He enlisted the third time in 1780. He res. in Canaan, N. H., and in 1782 m. Perual, dau. of Capt. Robert Barber. He d. June 7, 1851, aged 83 yrs. Mrs. Clark survived him four years and died, aged 91 yrs. Children:
 1. Judith Clark¹; d. 1797. Was the first person buried in the Wells cemetery in Canaan, N. H.
 2. Betsey Clark¹, who m. John Worth.
 3. Robert B. Clark¹.
 4. Sally Clark¹; m. D. Blaisdell.
 5. Col. Josiah Clark¹, b. Jan. 9, 1795. He res. in Canaan, N. H., and in 1889 with his son Jesse Clark³; lived with his granddaughter, Mrs. Carrie Goss³, in that town. The children of Mrs. Goss are the seventh generation of Richard Clark¹ of Newmarket, N. H.
8. Ellphalet Clark²; lived on a farm in Canaan, N. H., owned once by Levi Hamblett; removed to Boston, Mass., and d. there. Two of his sons were brokers in that city. Columbus Clark¹, his son, was there recently.
9. Lydia Clark³; m. Reynold Gates, a Revolutionary soldier, and res. in Canaan, N. H.; was a most estimable lady, and d. about 1796. Among her children were:
 1. Samuel Jones Gates¹; d. Canaan, N. H.
 2. William Gates¹; settled in Durham, Canada.
 3. Columbus Gates¹; d. in Canaan, N. H.

10. Caleb Clark² [3] (Richard, Jr.¹). He was born about 1730. He lived in Newmarket, N. H., the larger part of his life. About 1773 he settled in Canaan, N. H., and was a near neighbor of his brother, Richard Clark, and built the house long occupied by Bailey Welch. He was an efficient soldier in the Revolutionary war, and held a captain's commission. As a counsellor he was safe, and had a large amount of influence during his twenty years' residence in Canaan, N. H., where he died October, 1793, aged 69 years. Name of first wife not known. He married 2d, Nov. 12, 1782, Mary Lathrop, daughter of Thaddens and Anna Lathrop, all of Colchester, Conn., born Nov. 4, 1762, and died Aug. 27, 1783. On the oldest stone in the ancient cemetery near Newmarket Junction is the record of the death of his child Susanna.

CHILDREN.

11. Susanna Clark³; d. in Newmarket, N. H., Feb. 13, 1752, aged 2 yrs. 1 mo.
12. Joseph Clark³; probably did not live in Canaan, N. H.
13. David Clark³; settled in Canaan, N. H., in 1772. In 1806 he removed to Durham, Quebec, and d. of spotted fever Jan. 19, 1810, aged 44 years, leaving a family there. His wife was Mary Basford.

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14. Prescott Clark³, b. in 1768; settled in Canaan, N. H., in 1773. He removed to Durham, Quebec, in 1806, and d. of spotted fever Jan. 11, 1810, aged 42 yrs. His wife was Polly Burford, dau. of John Burford of Orange. Six of his children were b. in Canaan, N. H., and two in Sutton, P. Q. Among his children were:
1. John B. Clark⁴; d. Jan. 8, 1888, aged 88 yrs. 8 days.
 2. Henry Clark⁴; was living at Durham, Quebec, recently.
- 14a. Betty Clark³, b. Newmarket; m. Dec. 10, 1776, John, son of James Jones of Canaan, N. H.; 10 children.

15. John Clark² [4] (Richard¹). He was born in Newmarket, N. H., about 1735. During the war of the Revolution he rendered true and valiant service in the cause of his country. Early he went to Landaff, N. H., being there in 1782, and was one of its first settlers. He lived on a fine farm in the westerly section of the present town, one and a half miles from the village of Lisbon. It is one of the most pleasant and attractive portions of the town, and is now owned by Luke Chandler. The frame of the original house, more than a century old, still stands, but has been removed to the opposite side of the highway, and is occupied by Midas King.

Mr. Clark was a prominent and leading spirit in that little band of pioneers. The annual town meetings were often called to meet at his house. The first was summoned by a warrant from Moses Dow, Esq., a justice of the peace at Haverhill, N. H., March 4, 1783, and the meeting was held March 20, 1783, at his home. Subsequent meetings were held there in 1784, '86, '87, and '93. Elected as the first town clerk, he served in 1783 and '84. Was chairman of the first board of selectmen in 1783, and re-elected in 1784.

It is interesting to watch the proceedings of that first annual meeting. There many of the citizens of Landaff took the oath of allegiance to the state, as required by the law passed Nov. 28, 1781.

He served as town treasurer, constable, and collector in 1787. Was fence viewer in 1790, and the five previous years; was surveyor of lumber, and often served on special committees of the town. Was a justice of the peace in 1782 and later, and often performed the marriage ceremony. For many years previous to his death he was totally blind. His death occurred at the home of his son, Levi Clark, about 1820, and he is buried in the cemetery at Landaff Center.

His wife was Esther Weeks of Newmarket, N. H., and died many years previous to the death of her husband. They were members of the Methodist Episcopal church. His children were probably all born in Newmarket, N. H.

CHILDREN.

16. Esther Clark³, b. April 13, 1758; m. Nathaniel Rix and settled in Stanstead, Can., and had 10 children:
1. John Rix⁴.
 2. Nathaniel Rix⁴.
 3. Ebenezer Rix⁴, who m. his cousin, Mary Clark⁴, Jan. 29, 1809.
 4. George Rix⁴.
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6. Hall Rix¹.
7. Polly Rix².
8. Ruth Rix³.
9. Esther Rix⁴.
10. Margaret Rix⁵.
17. John Clark⁷ (20), b. May 1, 1759; res. Landaff, N. H.
18. Jonathan Clark⁸ (33), b. Dec. 23, 1701; res. Landaff, N. H.
19. Lydia Clark⁹, b. May 27, 1702; m. Dec. 11, 1783, Miles Andrews, Jr., of Landaff, N. H., and res. in Piermont, N. H. She d. Jan. 17, 1785, aged 22 yrs. Child:
1. Lydia Andrews¹.
20. Ebenezer Clark⁴ (44), b. Jan. 2, 1704; res. Landaff, N. H.
21. Simeon Clark³, b. Aug. 25, 1705; d. March 10, 1760.
22. David Clark³, b. Jan. 24, 1707; m. Margaret Rose; res. Melbourne, Canada. He was killed while raising a barn. Children:
1. Nancy Clark¹.
2. Cotton Clark¹.
3. Betsey Clark¹.
4. Jonathan Clark¹.
5. Nathaniel Clark¹.
6. James Clark¹.
7. Sally Clark¹.
8. Lydia Clark¹.
9. David Clark¹.
23. Levi Clark³ (50), b. March 13, 1708; res. Lisbon, N. H.
24. Benjamin Clark³, b. May 21, 1709; d. Dec. 7, 1760.
25. Benjamin Clark³, b. June 17, 1770; d. young.
26. Jacob Clark³ (64), b. Aug. 4, 1771; res. Landaff, N. H.
27. Samuel Clark³, b. March 17, 1773; m. May 22, 1793, Margaret Wallace, and settled in Stanstead, Can. Had several children, among them were:
1. Simeon Clark¹.
2. Samuel Clark¹.
28. Elizabeth Clark³, b. Nov. 13, 1774; d. Nov. 13, 1774.

29. John Clark, Jr.³ [17] (John², Richard¹). He was known on the town records of Landaff, N. H., as John Clark, Jr. His home was in the easterly section of the present town of Landaff, in one of the back districts known as the Scotland school district, on the farm now owned by John C. Atwood. His farm was situated on a sloping hillside, and many of its hard and unproductive acres have been turned out to pasture, while a sugar orchard covers another portion. The house of Mr. Clark is still standing. He and his wife and family were regular attendants of the Methodist Episcopal church at Landaff Center. He married March 20, 1783, Eunice Jewett, who was born April 24, 1767. They died at the home of their sons in Fairlee, Vt.

CHILDREN BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

30. Hannah Clark¹; m. Rev. Elijah R. Sabine, a clergyman of the M. E. church.
31. Sally Clark¹; m. Rev. Hollis Sampson, a clergyman of the Universalist faith.
32. Elijah Sabine Clark¹, b. Aug. 3, 1800; m. Sabra —, who d. Sept. 2, 1827, aged 31 yrs. He lived in Landaff, N. H., and removed to Fairlee, Vt., or vicinity. Had five or more children.

33. Jonathan Clark³ [18] (John², Richard¹). He was born Dec. 23, 1761; married Hannah Huckings of Bath, N. H., or of Topsham, Vt. They lived in Landaff, in the westerly part, near the town line of Bath. The house is demolished, the farm cut up and sold to different parties. Charles Sherman is owner of one portion of the farm. Mr. Clark was active in town affairs, and in his last years was greatly interested in religion. His wife was a devoted Christian. Fifteen years before her death she was violently sick, and death was apparently very near. She felt that she could not leave her children, and earnestly prayed that she might be spared, if it was the Lord's will. To her inner consciousness came a voice which said to her, as was said to the King of the Jews: "Behold I have added unto thy life fifteen years." She related this experience, recovered, and lived fifteen years. On the day that the fifteen years expired, she said to her nearest neighbor, Mrs. Hutchins, that she had no lease of life after that day, and felt that she might die. She attended a prayer meeting at a neighbor's house, and while talking with great earnestness to the young people upon religious things she fell in a swoon, was laid upon a bed, and expired before the dawning of the morning. She died Oct. 7, 1821. Her date of birth was June 29, 1772.

Mr. Clark married 2d Mrs. Hannah (Morrill) Clement Noyes, widow of Enoch Noyes, March 27, 1823, who survived her husband many years, and died at Warren, N. H., Jan. 18, 1862. He died Oct. 3, 1837, aged 77 years.

CHILDREN BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

34. Ward Clark⁴ (71), b. about 1788; res. Landaff, N. H.
35. Mary Clark⁴, b. Feb. 17, 1790; d. Oct., 1830. She m. Jan. 29, 1800, her cousin, Ebenezer Rix, of Stanstead, Can. (See No. 16.)
36. Jonathan Clark⁴, b. Feb., 1792; d. Nov., 1793.
37. Moses Clark⁴, b. Nov., 1794; d. July 20, 1795.
38. Lydia Clark⁴, b. June 1, 1796; d. July 14, 1797.
39. Hannah Clark⁴, b. July 13, 1798; m. Dec. 12, 1820, Sylvanus Temple of Landaff, N. H., and d. Aug. 18, 1842. He d. March 2, 1872, aged 78 yrs. 2 mos. 8 days. Children b. Landaff, N. H.:
 1. Almira C. Rix Temple⁵, an adopted daughter; d. Feb. 4, 1845, aged 17 years.
 2. Caleb Clark Temple⁵; res. Landaff, N. H.
 3. Marietta Cotton Temple⁵; m. James Stewart; res. in Landaff, N. H., where she d. June 11, 1856, in 21st year.
40. Caleb Clark⁴, b. March 26, 1801; d. May 20, 1870; was a lawyer; settled in Ann Arbor, Mich., and practiced his profession. Was afterwards in the Treasury department in Washington, D. C., and d. in Rumney, N. H., at the home of his brother, Simeon Clark. He m. Louisa Thomas of Attlea, N. Y. She d. at Washington, D. C., and both are buried at Ann Arbor, Mich. No children.
41. Simeon Clark⁴ (80), b. Oct. 26, 1804; res. Rumney, N. H.
42. Elmira Clark⁴, b. Oct. 8, 1806; d. April 18, 1881, aged 74. She m. her cousin, Moses Clark of Landaff, N. H. (See No. 114.)
43. William Demeritt Clark⁴, b. Jan. 15, 1809; res. Manchester, Mich., and subsequently in Auburn, Cal.; hardware merchant. He m. Marietta Cotton, and d. May 13, 1886, aged 77 yrs. Children:
 1. Helen Clark⁵; res. California.
 2. Annette Clark⁵; res. California.

809; res. Manchester, Mich., hardware merchant. He m. aged 77 yrs. Children:

3. George C. Noyes^b; is deceased

53. Mary Clark⁴, b. July 14, 1801; m. March 19, 1831, George W. Clement: res. Landaff, N. H. Children b. Landaff, N. H.:
1. Enoch N. Clement⁵, b. Jan. 18, 1832.
 2. Rosanna C. Clement⁵, b. Nov. 25, 1833.
 3. Holman Drew Clement⁵, b. Aug. 10, 1836.
 4. Moses Clark Clement⁵, b. April 7, 1841.
54. Rosanna Clark⁴, b. March 26, 1803; m. Joseph Chandler; res. Landaff, N. H. Child:
1. Moses Chandler⁵; m. Emma A. Little; lives in Los Angeles, Cal. Children:
 - i. Harry Chandler⁶.
 - ii. Fred Chandler⁶.
 - iii. Clara Chandler⁶.
55. Moses Clark⁴ (114), b. Dec. 14, 1805; m. his cousin, Elvira Clark; res. Landaff, N. H.

56. Levi Clark³ [23] (John², Richard¹). He was born March 3, 1768, and made his home in Lisbon, N. H., near the place owned in 1888 by Stephen Simmons. Late in life he removed to North Lisbon, and died there. He married Nancy Child.

CHILDREN.

57. Nancy Clark⁴.
 58. William Clark⁴.
 59. James Clark⁴.
 60. Lydia Clark⁴; m. Mr. Hunt. Children:
1. Mary Hunt⁵; m. Jeremy Titus; res. Bath, N. H., and d. there. Children:
 - i. Lydia Jane Titus⁶; m. Stephen Badger Sinclair of N. Haverhill, N. H.
 - ii. Augustine Titus⁶.
 2. John Hunt⁵; res. Carroll, N. H.
 3. James Hunt⁵; res. Whitefield, N. H.
61. Hale Clark⁴.
 62. John Clark⁴.
 63. Stephen Clark⁴.

64. Jacob Clark³ [26] (John², Richard¹). He was born Landaff, N. H., Aug. 4, 1771. His home was in his native town, on the farm occupied in 1889 by Calvin J. Carpenter. He married Dec. 25, 1793, Polly Merrill of Londonderry, N. H., who died Sept. 13, 1864, aged 90 yrs. 11 mos. He died March 10, 1837, aged 65 yrs. 6 mos. They were among the earliest members of the church.

CHILDREN BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

65. Uriah Smith Clark⁴, b. April 18, 1795; m. June 1, 1815, Nancy Elliot, who d. Aug. 24, 1847, aged 53 yrs. 2 mos. He d. Sept. 9, 1841, aged 47 yrs. 4 mos. Children:
1. Curtice C. Clark⁵, b. Aug. 22, 1815.
 2. Persis H. Clark⁵, b. Aug. 21, 1819.
 3. Hannah Clark⁵, b. Oct. 31, 1820.
66. Ebenezer Clark⁴, b. March 19, 1797; m. Dec. 2, 1819, Polly Elliot of Landaff, N. H. They resided in Hooksett, N. H., where he died, aged 82 yrs.
67. Sally Clark⁴, b. Nov. 7, 1800; m. Nov. 25, 1825, Enos Wells, who d. 1862. They lived in Benton, N. H. She res. in 1888 in North Haverhill, N. H. Children:

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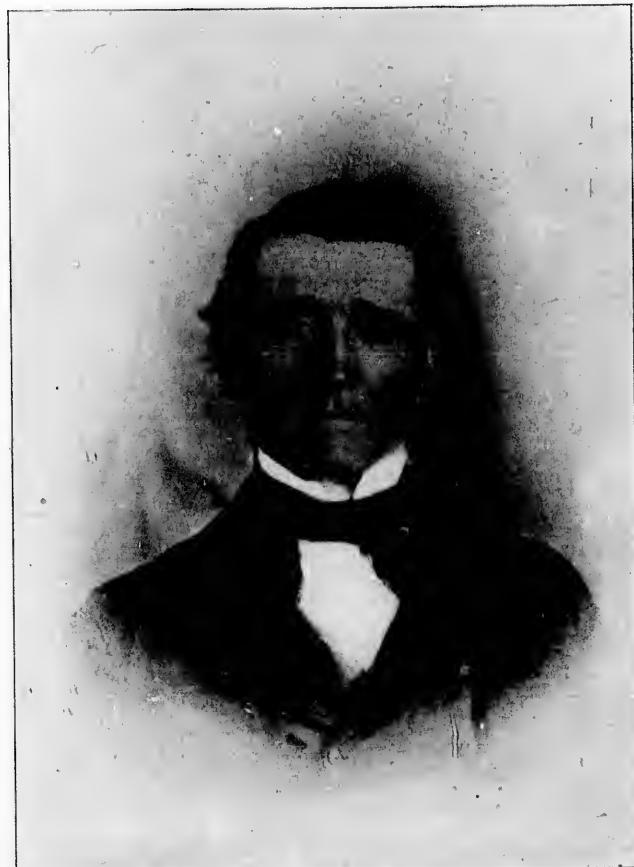
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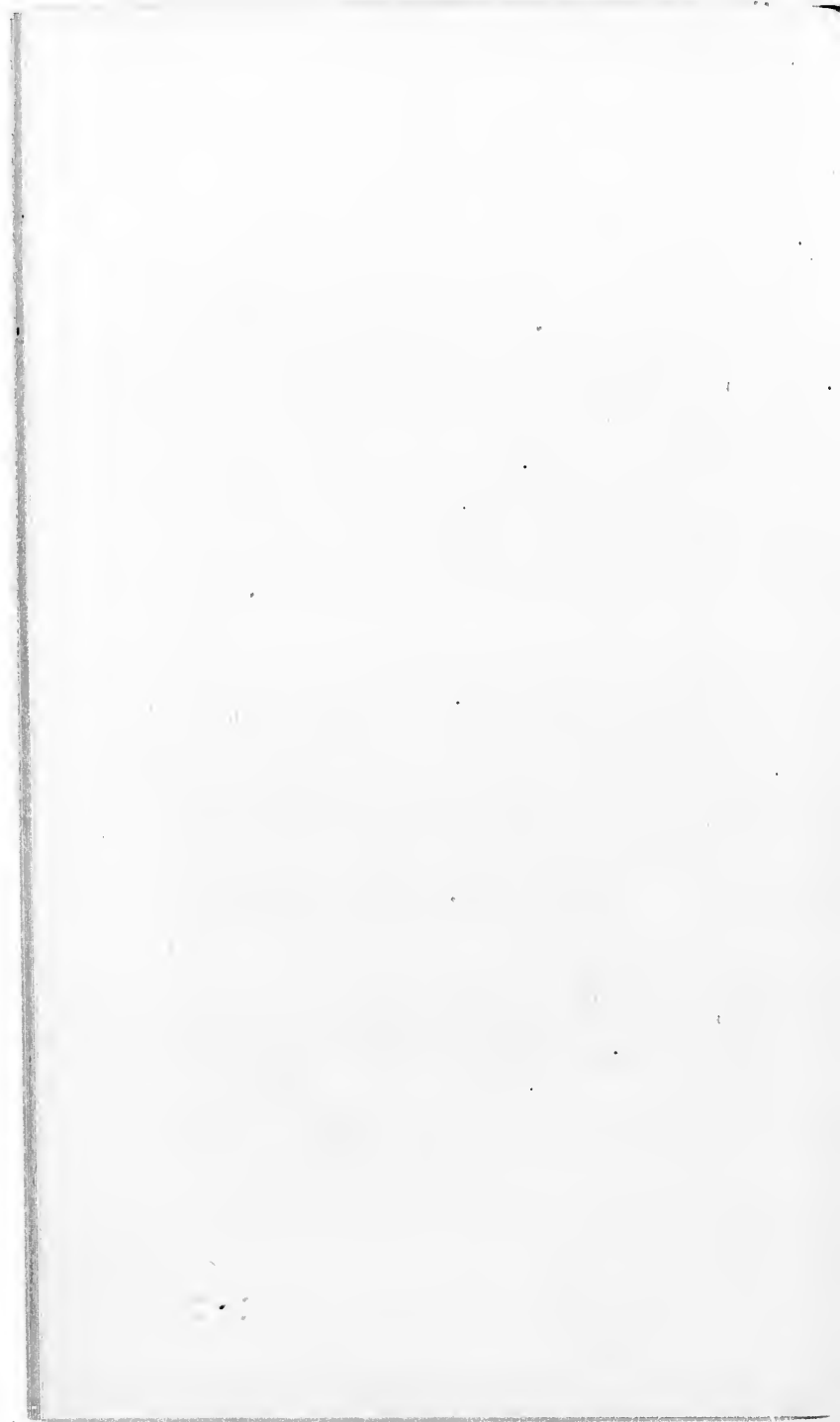
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MRS. MARY (MERRILL) CLARK.



1. Caleb Wells⁶, b. Oct. 29, 1826; m. Martha Gordon, and lives in Haverhill, N. H. Children:
 - i. Herbert Wells⁶.
 - ii. Helen Wells⁶.
 - iii. Ellen Wells⁶.
 - iv. Scott Wells⁶.
2. George Wells⁶, b. March 18, 1828; m. Oct. 14, 1829, Caroline Morse; res. Haverhill, N. H. Children:
 - i. Albinous Wells⁶.
 - ii. Stella Wells⁶.
 - iii. Flavius Wells⁶.
 - iv. Eugene Wells⁶.
 - v. Arthur Wells⁶.
 - vi. Fred Wells⁶.
3. Enos C. Wells⁶, b. March 26, 1830; m. 1831 Annette Morse; res. Haverhill, N. H. Children:
 - i. Arvesta Wells⁶.
 - ii. Fred Wells⁶.
 - iii. Etta Wells⁶.
 - iv. Maud Wells⁶.
4. Chester Wells⁶, b. Dec. 21, 1842; d. Feb. 7, 1843.
68. Polly Clark⁴, b. Nov. 25, 1802; m. 1826 Clark Goodell; res. Irasburg, Vt., where she died.
69. Bellinda Clark⁴, b. Dec. 1, 1809; m. John Fuller, who died, and she m. 2d John Browe of Newark, N. J.; 2 daughters. She d. in Kansas City, Mo.
70. Judith Clark⁴, b. April 7, 1813; m. William Siddons; res. Benton, N. H. She d. in Stoneham, Mass. Children:
 1. Jane Siddons⁶; m. Mr. Parker; res. San Francisco, Cal.
 2. Ann Siddons⁶; m. Orrin Hanscom; res. Stoneham, Mass.
 3. Jane Siddons⁶; m. Mr. Gage; res. Boston, Mass.
 4. Eliza Siddons⁶; m. Charles Newell, and is deceased. He res. in Woodsville, N. H.

71. Ward Clark⁴ [34] (Jonathan⁸, John², Richard¹). He was born in Landaff, N. H. His home was near the center of his native town, on the place occupied in 1888 by James Eaton. His life was quiet, it was upright. He won the confidence and retained the respect of the community; was selectman in 1835. He married Annie Eastman, who died April 3, 1880, in her 85th year. He died May 29, 1839, in his 54th year.

CHILDREN BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

72. Lucinda E. Clark⁵, b. Feb. 27, 1817; d. in Landaff July 26, 1862; single.
73. Julia Ann Clark⁵, b. Feb. 22, 1819; m. Joshua Thornton Clark. (See No. 87.)
74. George West Clark⁵, b. Oct., 1820; d. Jan. 2, 1821.
75. Marcia Clark⁵, b. Feb. 17, 1822; m. Oliver A. Brown; res. East Boston, Mass.
76. West Clark⁵, b. July 27, 1825; m. Betsey, dau. of Caleb Noyes of Landaff; res. Springfield, Mass.
77. Fanny S. Clark⁵, b. Dec. 23, 1827; m. Russell T. Gordon of Landaff, and d. March 22, 1862. She united with the church March 14, 1850.
78. Chester E. Clark⁵, b. Dec. 23, 1830; m. his cousin, Lena Clark, and d. April 18, 1860, aged 29 years.
79. Susan W. Clark⁵, b. Aug. 6, 1833; m. for his 2d wife Russell T. Gordon of Landaff; res. Landaff, N. H. She d. June 2, 1871, aged 37 yrs. 10 mos.

80. Simeon Clark⁴ [41] (Jonathan⁸, John², Richard¹). He was born in Landaff, N. H., Oct. 26, 1804. His home was in the western part of his native town until some fifteen years previous to his death, when he removed to Rumney, N. H., where he died Dec. 31, 1879; farmer. He was a sensible, quiet man, and held in much esteem. He married Mehitable Clement Nov. 11, 1827, who died Jan. 2, 1840, aged 34 yrs. 13 days. He married 2d Mary Ann Brown of Rumney, N. H. They were members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

CHILDREN.

- 81. Mary Merrill Clark⁵, b. Warren, N. H., Sept. 21, 1828; m. John Dickey of Manchester, N. H., and lives in Manchester, N. H.
- 82. Hannah Merrill Clark⁵, b. Landaff, N. H., Oct. 31, 1821; single; res. Rumney, N. H.
- 83. Annie W. Clark⁵, b. June 14, 1831; d. Aug. 29, 1834.
- 84. Caleb T. Clark⁵; res. Rumney, N. H.
- 85. Sarah M. Clark⁵; m. Joseph Abbot, a merchant, and res. in Rumney, N. H.
- 86. Julia Ann Clark⁵; res. Lynn, Mass.

87. Daniel Clark⁴ [45] (Ebenezer⁸, John², Richard¹). Col. Daniel Clark was born in Landaff, N. H., March 19, 1789. His life was spent in his native town, at the center, on the farm lately occupied by his son-in-law, Oliver Dodge Eastman. In his personal appearance he was of medium height, about 5 feet and 9 inches, weighed some one hundred and sixty pounds, with dark brown hair, dark complexion and blue eyes. His qualities of mind were much more than ordinary. He was intellectual, a great reader, with strong common sense and excellent judgment, and was one of the most influential men in his locality. His abilities and integrity were recognized and appreciated, and he filled many offices of trust. Was overseer of the poor in 1839 and '44. Was selectman in 1819, '20, '21, '22, '24, '25, '27; clerk in 1829; school committee in 1822; member of the Legislature in 1827. Was chosen a town agent in 1830, to prosecute law suits for the town, and to defend the town in all lawsuits. Was constable and collector of taxes in 1832, '33, '39, and '47; auditor in 1841. Was a justice of the peace and many cases were tried before him. Was postmaster for many years.

In business he was farmer, surveyor, hotel keeper, and merchant. The military profession had a great fascination, and he filled various military positions till he was at length Colonel of 32d Regt. N. H. militia.

His wife was Mary, daughter of Abel and Tamar (Kimball) Merrill of Warren, N. H. (See Merrill record, No. 12.) She was born in Warren, N. H., March 28, 1792. Was an energetic and most excellent woman, with a heart full of "charity for all," and "with malice toward none," and performed well all the duties of wife, mother, friend. She was of medium height, brown hair, light and fair in complexion, and stout in her last years. Together they cared

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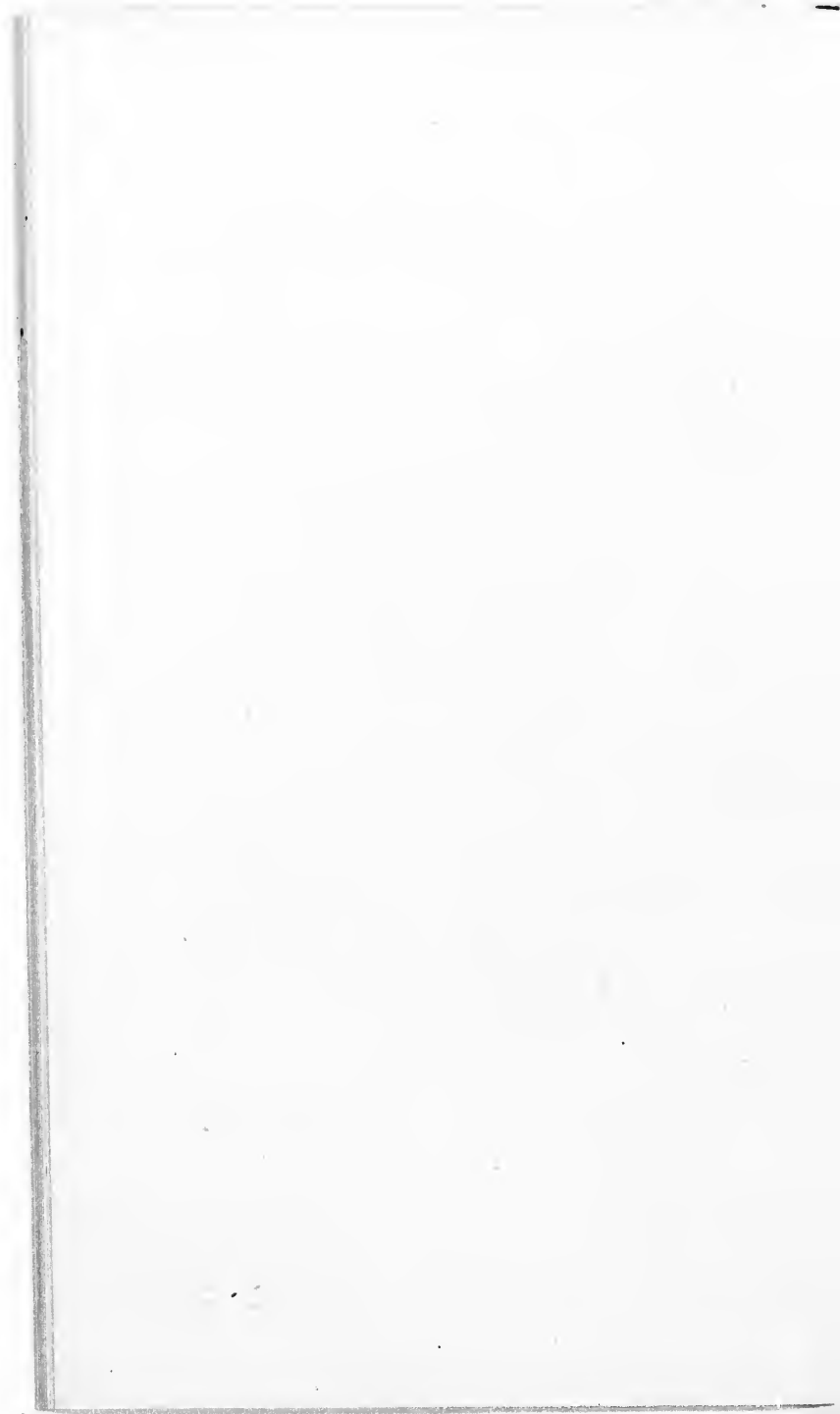
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CHILDREN BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

88. Ira Merrill Clark³ (122), b. March 24, 1817; d. in Lexington, Mich.
89. Ebenezer Weeks Clark³ (128), b. March 11, 1819; d. March 30, 1853, in Boston, Mass.
90. Ellen Noyes Clark³ (90), b. Sept. 2, 1820; m. Feb. 6, 1845, Clark Hayward; res. Cleveland, Ohio.
91. Benjamin Clark³ (137), b. May 18, 1823; res. Monroe, N. H.
92. Mary Clark³ (138), b. Feb. 2, 1826; m. April 2, 1851, Oliver Dodge Eastman; res. Landaff, N. H.
93. Tamar Merrill Clark³, b. Sept. 2, 1828; she m. Oct. 28, 1847, Hon. John G. Sinclair. (See No. 1633, Sinclair Family.)
94. Arthur Merrill Clark³ (140), b. Aug. 4, 1833; res. Lexington, Mich.
95. Samuel Peavey Clark³, b. May 16, 1837; d. when 14 yrs. of age.

96. Benjamin Clark⁴ [46] (Ebenezer³, John², Richard¹). He was born Landaff, N. H., Sept. 24, 1790. "In his early manhood he took an active and efficient interest in the literary, civil, and moral enterprises of the day. Was ever upright in his dealings, and was repeatedly elected to offices of trust by his townsmen. Was school committee in 1820 and '22; selectman in 1828 and '35; and representative in 1836. He succeeded his father on the homestead in the westerly part of Landaff, which is now occupied by his son, Hiram Clark. In early life he was a Democrat in politics, but a pronounced Republican in his later years. Was a member of the Methodist church. He died Feb. 26, 1858. He married Polly Thornton of Lyman, N. H., Nov. 28, 1816, who died Aug. 1, 1854, aged 58 years.

CHILDREN BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

97. Joshua Thornton Clark⁵, b. Aug. 7, 1818; m. March 27, 1845, Julia A. Clark; res. Bath, N. H. Children:
 1. Harvey Clark⁶; was Register of Deeds for Grafton county, N. H. Is now a successful teacher and principal of the academy at Franconia, N. H.
 2. Ward Clark⁶; farmer. He m. Miss Hibbard; res. Bath, N. H.
 3. Frank Clark⁶; was a farmer. He m. Miss Green; res. in Bath, N. H., and is deceased.
 4. Ella Clark⁶; was a teacher, and d. aged about 21 yrs.
98. Moses George Clark⁵, b. March 15, 1820; res. Landaff, N. H. He m. Oct. 17, 1848, Louise P. Simonds, and they united with the church Feb. 2, 1868. Children:
 1. Enoch B. S. Clark⁶, b. Oct. 25, 1849; d. Dec. 30, 1864.
 2. Ednah T. Clark⁶, b. Aug. 11, 1853; d. April 24, 1864.
 3. John P. Clark⁶, b. March 29, 1856. Is a railroad man; res. California.
 4. George Burt Clark⁶, b. Feb. 20, 1862. Is a railroad man; res. California.
99. Benjamin Franklin Clark⁵, b. Feb. 28, 1822; m. Sarah Scripture, and res. in Boston, Mass. He d. March, 1876. Children:

1. Allee Clark⁶; teacher in public schools, Lowell, Mass.
2. Frank Clark⁶; graduated at Harvard college; res. Lowell, Mass.
100. Stella Thornton Clark⁵, b. Oct. 14, 1823; m. Orrin Cadwell, an extensive fruit grower; res. Santa Barbara, Cal.; no children.
101. William Clark⁵, b. April 14, 1820; res. Lawrence, Mass.; deceased.
102. Hiram Clark⁵, b. May 16, 1828; res. on a portion of the home farm in Landaff, N. H. Has served as selectman and school committee. He m. June 12, 1863, his cousin, Jane Converse Clark.
103. Amasa Clark⁵, b. Jan. 22, 1831; res. Webster City, Iowa. He m. Jane Gordon of Landaff, N. H. Child:
 1. Ross Clark⁶; res. Williams, Iowa.
104. Flavia Clark⁵, b. Jan. 22, 1831. She m. Harvey Merrill of Landaff, N. H.; res. Wells River, N. H. He d. and she m. 2d Charles Merrill; res. South Vernon, Vt., and is deceased. Children:
 1. Mary Merrill⁶.
 2. Benjamin Merrill⁶.
105. Henry Clark⁵; res. Lawrence, Mass.
106. Lornin Clark⁵; m. Charles Merrill, her deceased sister's husband; res. South Vernon, Vt.
107. Jane Clark⁵; m. Alpheus Converse of Lyme, N. H., where they resided many years. At the time of her husband's death she returned to the home of her childhood, where she died. Child:
 1. Clark Converse⁶; lived and died in Vermont, and left a family.

108. James Clark⁴ [47] (Ebenezer³, John², Richard¹). Landaff, N. H., was his birthplace, and his date of birth was Feb. 21, 1792. He married Lucinda Eastman, and they resided in the westerly part of Landaff on the farm occupied by his son, Charles Clark, in 1888. They united with the church in 1842. He died Nov. 30, 1865, aged 73 yrs. 9 mos.

CHILDREN BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

109. Charles Clark⁵; res. on the homestead in Landaff, N. H. He m. Mehitabel Atwood. He m. 2d, her cousin, Julia Atwood; one child, d. young.
110. Elvira Clark⁵, b. Oct., 1826; d. Sept. 22, 1826, aged 2 yrs. 11 mos.
111. Elvira Clark⁵. She united with the church in Landaff July 14, 1850. She m. 1853 Rev. D. P. Leavett, of the N. E. Conference.
112. Luella Clark⁵; res. Landaff, N. H. A teacher, and united with the church July 14, 1850.
113. Elizabeth Clark⁵; m. Henry Shmonds, and res. in Lisbon, N. H. 1 child, deceased.

114. Moses Clark⁴ [55] (Ebenezer³, John², Richard¹). He was born in Landaff, N. H., Dec. 14, 1805, and lived on the homestead occupied in 1888 by Mrs. Hiram Clark. He married March 8, 1829, his cousin Elmira Clark, born Oct. 8, 1806; died April 18, 1881. He died Feb. 18, 1886. He often filled public positions, and did a large amount of probate business. Was moderator in 1840; selectman in 1839, '40, '41, '42, '47, '48, '54, and '55; representative in 1841 and '42; member of the constitutional convention in 1850; and for several years was a trustee of the Insane asylum at Concord, N. H. He united with the church in 1858.

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115. Laura Weeks Clark⁵, b. Dec. 10, 1829; m. Timothy Clough of Lyman, N. H., and res. there. Children:
1. Mary Ellen Clough⁶; m. Lucius Clough of Haverhill, N. H.
 2. Moses Ward Clough⁶; res. Lyman, N. H.
 3. Emma Louise Clough⁶; m. Hosea Clough of Jefferson, N. H.
 4. Laura Jane Clough⁶; res. Lyman, N. H.
116. Lura Clough Clark⁵, b. Aug. 8, 1831; m. Chester Eastman Clark, Nov. 5, 1856; res. Landaff, N. H. He d. April 8 1860. Children born Landaff, N. H.
1. Chester Willmer Clark⁶, b. Sept. 19, 1857; res. Landaff, N. H.; single.
 2. Mira Clark⁶, b. Dec. 7, 1859; m. Ira A. Taylor of Bethlehem, N. H.; no children.
117. Louisa Thomas Clark⁵, b. Dec. 15, 1833; d. July 13, 1855, single.
118. Ellen Clark⁵, b. Aug. 3, 1835; m. 1860 Rev. Moses Sherman of Landaff, N. H. He was b. May 28, 1835; d. Aug. 3, 1880; res. Tilton, N. H. She was killed by a runaway team in that place Sept. 27, 1886. Child:
1. Charles Ward Sherman⁶; res. Tilton, N. H. He m. Sarah Colburn of West Rumney, N. H.
119. Emma Clark⁵, b. June 29, 1837; d. March 9, 1845.
120. Ward Eastman Clark⁵, b. Sept. 30, 1839; farmer; res. Colton, Cal.
121. Jane Converse Clark⁵, b. Aug. 1, 1842. She united with the church March 21, 1858; m. June 12, 1863, her cousin, Hiram Clark, of Landaff; farmer. He was b. May 16, 1828. Children b. Landaff, N. H.:
1. Mary Louise Clark⁶, b. May 31, 1870.
 2. Susie Grace Clark⁶, b. April 23, 1878.

122. Ira Merrill Clark⁵ [88] (Daniel⁴, Ebenezer³, John², Richard¹). At the age of twenty years he began the study of medicine with Dr. John Poole of Bradford, Vt. After a thorough course of preparation he commenced practicing as a physician in Peacham, Vt. Finding his profession uncongenial, he abandoned it, and became a hotel keeper, which business he carried on for about twenty years, from 1850 to 1870, managing successfully and successively the "Vermont House" at Bradford, Vt., "Newport House" at Newport, N. H., "Fremont House" at Claremont, N. H., the "Olean" at Olean, N. Y., and the "Globe Hotel" at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

In 1871 he moved to Lexington, Mich., and engaged in the mercantile business, which he carried on till his death. He was born Landaff, N. H., March 24, 1817; died at Lexington, Mich., of apoplexy Nov. 27, 1882. He married Susan, daughter of Capt. Ellis Bliss of Bradford, Vt.

CHILDREN.

123. Helen Marr Clark⁶, b. Peacham, Vt.; m. F. Addison Gilmore of Washington, D. C. He was a native of Newport, N. H. Was a clerk in the Treasury department for many years and is dec'd. Child:
1. Mary Gilmore⁷; m. Edwin McLeod of Ogdensburg, N. Y. Is a clerk in Treasury department; res. Washington, D. C.; two children.
124. Ellis B. Clark⁶, b. Peacham, Vt. Is proprietor of a hotel, and res. at Sand Beach, Mich. He m. Mary Johnson of Whitefield, N. H. three children.



CLARK HAYWARD.



MARY (CLARK) EASTMAN

125. Mary Merrill Clark⁶, b. Landaff, N. H.; m. Albie W. Merrill; res. Lexington, Mich.; two children.
 126. Harry H. Clark⁶, b. Landaff, N. H.; d. many years ago in Landaff, N. H.
 127. Daniel Clark⁶, b. Landaff, N. H.; m. 1876 Mary Niggeman; res. Lexington, Mich.; no children; merchant.

128. Ebenezer Weeks Clark⁵ [89] (Daniel⁴, Ebenezer³, John², Richard¹). He was born in Landaff, N. H., March 11, 1819, and till he was eighteen years of age was employed upon his father's farm and attended the district school. Then he entered upon, and completed in 1841, a four years' course of study at the Seminary and Collegiate Institute at Newbury, Vt., then under the charge of Rev. O. C. Baker, D. D., afterwards a bishop of the M. E. church. One year was spent in teaching in Alabama, but he relinquished his profession on account of ill health, and spent the time till 1844 at his old home in Landaff, when he resumed teaching and had charge of a private school at Delta, N. Y. From 1847 to '49 he was in the mercantile business at Landaff. Was clerk at the Fabyan House in the White mountains from 1845 to '52. In the latter year he engaged with Mr. Paran Stevens of the Revere House, Boston, Mass., where he remained as clerk till his death of typhoid fever March 30, 1853, aged 34 yrs. and 19 days. He was greatly esteemed by his acquaintances, and much lamented in his death. Was unmarried.

129. Ellen Noyes Clark⁵ [90] (Daniel⁴, Ebenezer³, John², Richard¹). She was born in Landaff, N. H., Sept. 2, 1820. Her parents tenderly reared and educated her. She was a teacher in her youth, and early developed those qualities of mind and heart which during all her life endeared her so strongly to her friends. In her twenty-fifth year, on the 6th of Feb., 1845, she was married to Clark Hayward of Haverhill, N. H. This marriage was a peculiarly joyous one, and Mrs. Hayward was happy in her home and family. It was the place around which gathered many warm friends, and was the center of strong attachments. The influence of her habitually pleasant demeanor extended to a large circle of acquaintances. The sweetness of her spirit and her generous hospitality were recognized and appreciated. Her mind was of high order, and disciplined and cultivated by extensive reading, so that she was well informed upon the general topics of the day. She was an excellent woman, a true wife, mother, friend, and possessed the truest womanly qualities. During the absence of her husband and her daughter, Mrs. Haines, in California, she was stricken with pneumonia, of which she died May 19, 1886, at her home, 594 East Madison ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. Hayward was born in Weathersfield, Vt., Nov. 20, 1815. He was son of Nathaniel Hayward, who was born April 14, 1792, in Springfield, Vt., and Mary (Durant) Hayward, who was born in Keene, N. H., Dec. 20, 1795.

Mr. Hayward was a merchant in Bath, N. H., till his removal to Lexington, Mich., in 1857. He became largely interested in pine lands in Huron county, and was engaged in the lumber trade for

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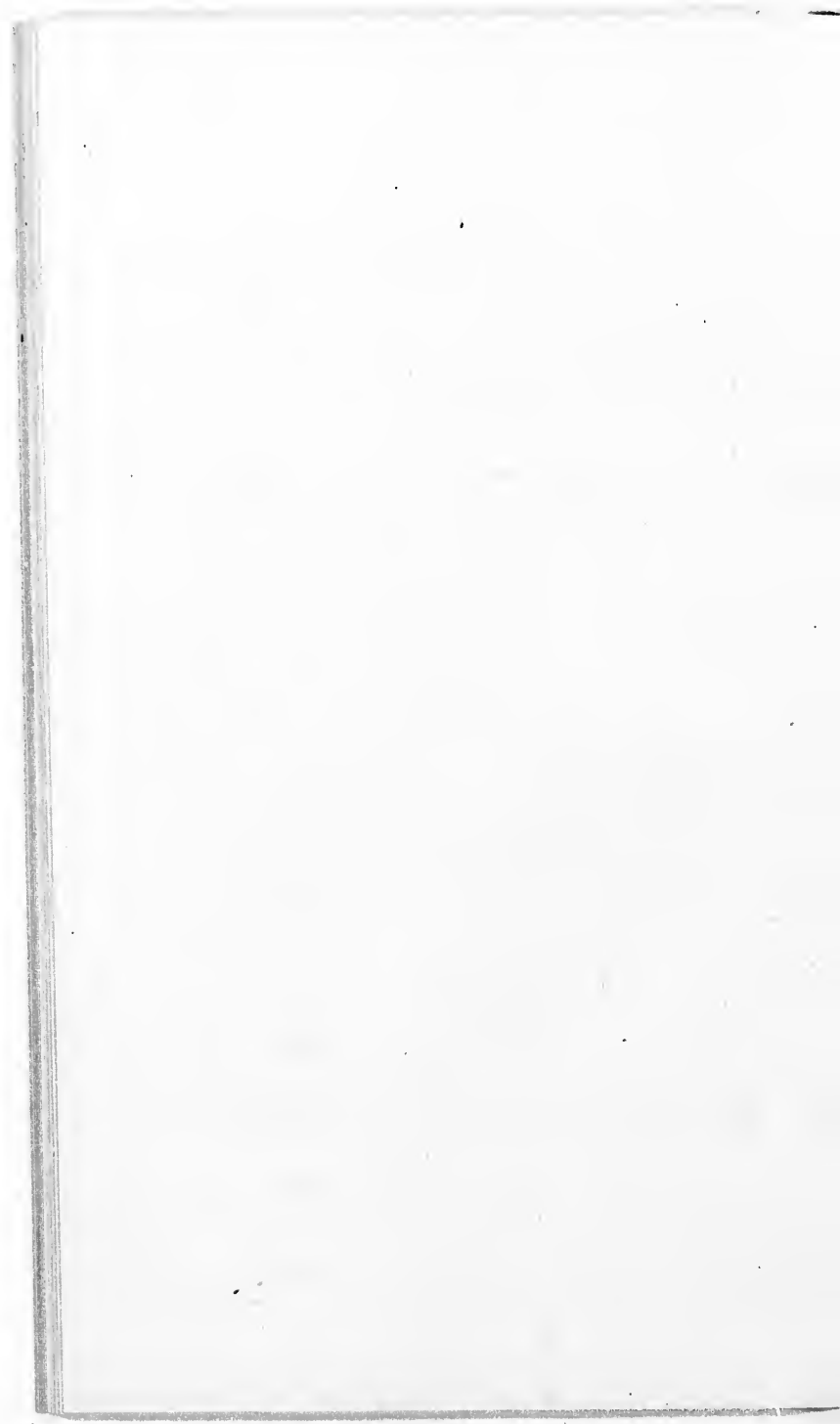
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Mr. Hayward has had a successful business career. He possesses good judgment, is a deep, careful thinker, is conservative, and distrustful of hazardous enterprises. Is an extensive reader, and his remarkable memory enables him to retain a large amount of information on many subjects. He is well versed upon historical topics, and his moral character is above reproach. He has been happy in his home, and tenderly has cared for his wife and children. He now resides at 594 East Madison ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

CHILDREN.

130. Arthur Henry Hayward⁶, b. Bath, N. H.; d. in infancy.
131. Mary Ellen Hayward⁶, b. Bath, N. H.; d. in infancy.
132. Mary Alice Hayward⁶, b. Bath, N. H. She was educated in a ladies' seminary on Woodland avenue in Cleveland, Ohio. On May 12, 1880, she m. Frederick J. Haines of New York city. He was b. Nov. 27, 1854, in that city, and after his marriage was a resident of Cleveland. His education was obtained in his native city and at the law school in Ann Arbor, Mich. Was also in the law office of George Kain in Cleveland, where he was duly admitted to the bar. He was personally popular and much respected. He died suddenly in Cleveland, Ohio, May 5, 1884. Child born Cleveland, Ohio:
 1. Clark Hayward Haines⁷, b. April 24, 1881; d. Sept. 27, 1885.
133. Eben Clark Hayward⁶, b. Landaff, N. H. He accompanied his parents to Lexington, Mich. Was educated at Albion, Mich., and at Meriden, N. H. Became largely interested in real estate in Huron county, Mich., and was engaged in the lumber business in Cleveland, Ohio, with his father. He went South in June, 1888, intending to engage in business. He was taken suddenly ill while at Dallas, Texas, with congestion of the brain, of which he died July 5, 1888. He was buried by the side of his friends in Lake View cemetery at Cleveland, Ohio; single.
134. Ella Maria Hayward⁶, b. Bath, N. H.
135. Martha Olivia Hayward⁶, b. Bath, N. H. She graduated at the Cleveland High school. She m. Sept., 1884, Clarence O. Arey, son of Oliver and Harriet A. (Grannis) Arey of Cleveland, Ohio. He was b. in Buffalo, N. Y., May 18, 1857. Is an architect, and resides at 592 East Madison ave., Cleveland, Ohio. Children b. Cleveland, Ohio:
 1. Lawrence Hayward Arey⁷, b. July 14, 1885.
 2. Charles Grannis Arey⁷, b. Oct. 1, 1887; d. Feb. 10, 1888.
136. Charles Durant Hayward⁶, b. Lexington, Mich. He graduated at the High school in Cleveland, Ohio, and was connected with his father in the lumber business till his retirement in 1887. He was in 1889 Secretary and Treasurer of the M. G. Brown Lumber Co.; res. 594 East Madison ave., Cleveland, Ohio; single.
137. Benjamin Merrill Clark⁴ [91] (Daniel⁴, Ebenezer⁴, John⁴, Richard⁴). He was born in Landaff, N. H., May 18, 1823. After

arriving at manhood's estate he was in business with his brother-in-law, Clark Haywood, in the village of Stillwater, Bath, N. H. In 1847 he and his brother, Ebenezer W. Clark, went into general merchandising at Landaff, N. H. In 1849 this business was closed out, and in 1850 he bought a store at Lyman, now Monroe, N. H., where he lived and conducted business for fourteen years, and was also associated in business with his brother, Arthur Merrill Clark, and resided at Lexington, Mich., from 1858 to 1861, when he and his wife returned to Monroe, N. H., where he now resides. He sold out his business in 1864, purchased a farm on the Connecticut river, on which he now lives. He was postmaster in Monroe from 1850 to 1858, and in 1889 served the cause of education as a member of the school board of the town. He married Sept. 14, 1847, Maria C., daughter of Abijah Johnson, of Bath, N. H. No children.

138. Mary Clark^s [92] (Col. Daniel^t, Ebenezer^s, John², Richard¹). She was born in Landaff, N. H., Feb. 2, 1826; married April 2, 1851, Oliver Dodge Eastman of Kingston, N. H. She is an energetic, capable, and intelligent woman, with large business capacity. In early life she was a teacher. Mr. Eastman was born in Kingston, N. H., March 3, 1815, and for many years was a teacher. The two years succeeding their marriage they lived in Haverhill, Mass. Afterward they resided on the Isle of Shoals, where Mr. Dodge was missionary for the Unitarian denomination, there being at that time some 120 people there. They subsequently removed to Landaff, N. H., upon the home farm of Mrs. Eastman, where they have since resided. He was a farmer, a Republican in politics, and a Second Adventist in his religious faith. They attended the Methodist Episcopal church, of which she has long been a member. He died Nov. 29, 1891.

CHILD BORN LANDAFF, N. H.

139. Mary Ellen Eastman^s, b. Oct. 9, 1860; was educated at Newbury, Vt.; is proficient in music; teacher. She married June 29, 1888, H. S. Eaton; res. Westfield, Mass. Children:
1. Richard W. Eaton^r.
 2. Arthur Clark Eaton^r.

140. Arthur Merrill Clark^s [94] (Daniel^t, Ebenezer^s, John², Richard¹). Hon. Arthur M. Clark was born in Landaff, N. H., Aug. 4, 1833. He attended the common school until he was sixteen years of age, and then entered the seminary at Newbury, Vt., where he graduated at the age of twenty. On attaining his majority he removed to Lexington, Sanilac co., Mich. Was made principal of the High school of that place in September, 1854, and occupied the position for four years. He then entered mercantile life, and prosecuted his calling for twelve years, when his brother, Ira M. Clark, became his partner, and in 1873 the sole owner.

In January, of 1873, Mr. Clark was elected Grand Lecturer of the Masons of Michigan, which position he held continuously for

business with his brother-in-law, Bath, N. H. In 1847 he went into general merchandising, which was closed out, and he moved to Monroe, N. H., where he remained several years, and was also associated with Merrill Clark, and resided there, when he and his wife resided. He sold out his interest in the Connecticut river, on the Monroe from 1850 to 1858, and was a member of the school board in 1847, Maria C., daughter of Ebenezer², John², Richard¹).

born in 1826; married April 2, 1850, N. H. She is an American, with large business interests. Mr. Eastman was married for many years and for many years they lived in the Isle of Shoals, where they were of the denomination, there being subsequently removed to Mrs. Eastman, where they were a Republican in politics, and they attended the Methodist church. He has long been a member. He

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was educated at Newbury. She married June 29, 1888, Children:

Daniel¹, Ebenezer², John², born in Landaff, N. H., in school until he was six, then the seminary at Newbury, of twenty. On attaining Sanilac co., Mich. Was elected in September, 1854, He then entered mercantile business, five years, when his brother, in 1873 the sole owner. He was elected Grand Lecturer of the church, and he held continuously for



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eleven years. Was elected Grand Master of Masons of Michigan in 1884, and in the succeeding year was again elected Grand Lecturer, and has been re-elected year to that position till the present time. He has also been Grand Lecturer of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons since 1884.

Mr. Clark is a lover of the soil and of its cultivation. His farm of 300 acres, with his attractive home upon it, is situated near the smiling village of Lexington. There he lives.

He is a Democrat, and was a delegate to the National Democratic Convention in 1880, which nominated Gen. W. S. Hancock for President. In 1883 he was nominated by the democracy of Michigan, for Regent of the State University, and was elected, running greatly ahead of his party ticket. Mr. Clark has been prominent before the democratic Congressional Convention of the 7th district of Michigan for a congressional nomination. In 1893 he was appointed the U. S. Consul at Port Sarnia, Ont., by President Cleveland. His life is filled with the duties of his various positions of trust, and he is held in highest esteem by the people of his locality and state.

He married Aug. 16, 1855, Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Hon. Nathan and Ruth (Thompson) Robinson, at Stowe, Vt. She was born June 14, 1835, and for some years previous to her marriage was a teacher of drawing and painting, and of French, in the academy at Bakersfield, Vt. She died July 27, 1862, being the mother of four children. He married 2d, Sept. 8, 1863, in Littleton, N. H., Martha H. Hale, born Haverhill, Mass., Sept. 27, 1833. She was daughter of Joseph Warren and Isabella M. Hale, and cousin of the late E. J. M. Hale of Haverhill, Mass.

CHILDREN BORN LEXINGTON, MICH.

141. Ellen Hayward Clark^d, b. June 12, 1856; m. Oct. 31, 1876, George Alfred, son of Alfred and Sarah Elizabeth Merrill; b. Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 23, 1849. He is a graduate of Dartmouth college, and was in 1889 a postal clerk on the Chicago and Grand Trunk Railroad from Port Huron, Mich., to Chicago, Ill. Res. Fort Gratiot, St. Clair co., Mich. Children:
 1. Arthur Clark Merrill^d, b. Falls City, Neb., Sept. 20, 1877.
 2. Grace Elizabeth Merrill^d, b. Falls City, Neb., March 29, 1879.
 3. Timothy Howes Merrill^d, b. Clarinda, Iowa, Sept. 2, 1881.
 4. Harry Winthrop Merrill^d, b. Lexington, Mich., Sept. 28, 1886.
 5. Charles Clark Merrill^d, b. Fort Gratiot, Mich., Nov. 19, 1888.
142. Arthur Nathan Clark^d, b. Lexington, Mich., May 28, 1858; d. Oct. 26, 1858.
143. Charles Sinclair Clark^d, b. June 29, 1860; single. He is Deputy Collector in U. S. Custom House at Port Huron, Mich.
144. Howard Robinson Clark^d, b. Lexington, Mich., May 16, 1862; d. Aug. 8, 1862.

CHILDREN BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

145. Winthrop Warren Clark^d, b. Jan. 28, 1865. Is superintendent of his father's farm at Lexington, Mich.
146. Arthur Hayward Clark^d, b. April 26, 1873; d. Nov. 29, 1873.

CHAPTER XVI.

THE HODGDON FAMILY.

Alexander Hodgdon, Sr., was among the soldiers who garrisoned the old fort of William and Mary at New Castle, New Hampshire, in 1708. He was taxed in Portsmouth in 1713, and was excused from its payment by the government because he was in the military service. An assessment was made against him in that portion of Portsmouth, which is now Greenland, in 1714. Large tracts of land were bought by him near Welelman's Cove in Newington, N. H., where he subsequently lived, and where he served as surveyor of highways in 1724. He married as early as 1716, and probably some years previous, Jane ———, and facts point strongly to them as being the parents of

John Hodgdon, Jr., born in 1708, the ancestor of the Hodgdon family of Barnstead, N. H.

Alexander Hodgdon, Sr., had a son Alexander Hodgdon, Jr., who was the progenitor of many of the Hodgsons of Rochester, N. H., and of Philadelphia, Penn.

John Hodgdon, Sr., of Newington, N. H., was contemporary with Alexander Hodgdon, Sr., and is supposed to have been his brother. He had a son John Hodgdon, Jr., born at a different date from John Hodgdon, Jr., ancestor of the family of the name in Barnstead, N. H.

1. John Hodgdon, Jr.¹, progenitor of the Hodgsons of Barnstead, N. H., was born in 1708, and his home was in Newington, N. H. He married Jan. 30, 1729, Mary Decker, who was born in the year 1711.

CHILDREN BORN NEWINGTON, N. H.

2. Jane Hodgdon², baptized Feb. 22, 1730; m. Pitman Colbath.
3. John Hodgdon², baptized Sept. 16, 1733; d. young.
4. Mary Hodgdon², baptized Dec., 1735; m. Mr. Warren.
5. Phineas Hodgdon² (13), b. 1737; res. Portsmouth, N. H.
6. Temperance Hodgdon², baptized Nov. 3, 1739; m. John Boynton of Wiscasset, Me.
7. Charles Hodgdon² (18), baptized Oct. 18, 1741. Ancestor of the Hodgsons of Barnstead, N. H., where he resided.
8. John Hodgdon², b. Jan. 1, 1743, O. S.; d. in Portsmouth, N. H., Oct., 1835, leaving a large family. George O. Hodgdon of Newmarket, N. H., is a descendant.
9. Hannah Hodgdon², baptized; d. 1782.
10. Benjamin Hodgdon² (24), b. 1750; res. in Newington, N. H.

11. Sarah Hodgdon², b. 1752; m. Sept. 12, 1773, Stephen ² of Portsmouth, N. H. They were the great grandparents of the late Hon. George E. Hodgdon, Mayor of that city in 1888 and 1899.
12. Joseph Hodgdon² (31), b. June 21, 1755; res. Newington and Randolph, N. H.

13. Phineas Hodgdon² [5] (John, Jr.¹). He was born probably in Newington, N. H., in 1737, and lived near the Greenland line in Portsmouth, N. H. He was a soldier in the French and Indian war; was in Capt. Trueworthy Ladd's company of Maj. Thomas Tash's battalion from Aug. 19 to Oct. 30, 1757, and was stationed at No. 4, now Charlestown, N. H. Was twice married; name of first wife unknown. He married 2d Abigail Cate, and he died in April, 1821, aged 84 years.

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14. Phineas Hodgdon, Jr.³, b. 1759; m. Keziah Chessman who d. May 14, 1817, aged 55 yrs. He d. in Lancaster, N. H., Feb. 21, 1845, aged 86 yrs.; farmer. Was a Revolutionary soldier and member of Capt. Thomas Berry's company on Nov. 5, 1775, and was stationed on Pierce's Island, Portsmouth, N. H. On April 18, 1777, he enlisted in Capt. James Norris' company, 2d N. H. Continental Regt. Was in the battle of Bemus's Heights Sept. 19, 1777, and at Saratoga, and the surrender of Gen. Burgoyne. After the war he settled in Lancaster, N. H., and was a thrifty man and leading citizen. Children:
1. Phineas Hodgdon⁴, b. 1791; d. Concord, N. H., May, 1828, aged 37 yrs.
 2. John W. Hodgdon⁴, b. Oct. 23, 1793; d. Sept. 19, 1854.
 3. Thomas L. Hodgdon⁴, b. April 27, 1796; d. July 3, 1862.
 4. Dudley Hodgdon⁴; d. unmarried.
15. Charles Hodgdon⁴.

BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

16. George Hodgdon³, b. 1770; farmer; lived on the homestead in Portsmouth, N. H.; was enterprising and successful. He married Polly Cate May 12, 1796, and d. 1842. Children:
1. Phineas Hodgdon⁴, b. Aug. 20, 1797; m. March 14, 1821, Sarah, daughter of Charles Heard of Sandwich, N. H.; res. Portsmouth, N. H., and had six children.
 2. Abigail Hodgdon⁴; m. Jan. 21, 1821, John Woodman of Tamworth, N. H.
 3. Samuel Hodgdon⁴; m. Mehitable Balch; farmer; res. Portsmouth, N. H.; seven children.
17. Abigail Hodgdon⁴.

18. Charles Hodgdon² [7] (John, Jr.¹). He was born in Newington, N. H., in 1740; baptized Oct. 18, 1741, and died March 23, 1817, aged 77 years. He settled in Barnstead, N. H., on the "Old Province Road" in 1768, and his was the first two-story house erected in town. He was ancestor of the Hodgsons of Barnstead. He was a very prominent citizen, was a deacon in the church, was selectman, justice of the peace, and member of the Legislature. He married Mrs. Hannah (Nutter) Dennett, daughter of Hatevil and Hannah Nutter of Newington, and widow of Charles Dennett of Portsmouth, N. H. She was born in 1743, and died Nov. 19, 1790,

aged 51 years. At the date of their marriage, which was Dec. 12, 1765, he was of Newington. He married 2d Abigail Thyng of Brentwood, N. H., who died March 29, 1830, aged 83 years.

CHILDREN BY FIRST WIFE, BORN PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

19. Elizabeth Hodgdon², b. 1766; m. Oct. 27, 1784, Lieut. Richard Sinclair, and res. in Barnstead, N. H., and d. 1840, aged 78 yrs. (See No. 372, Sinclair Family.)
20. Benjamin Hodgdon³ (37), b. June 28, 1768; res. Barnstead, N. H.
21. Olive Hodgdon³. She m. Nathaniel Adams of Barnstead. He was son of Dr. Joseph, and grandson of Rev. Joseph Adams, of Newington, N. H. They lived in Barnstead, near Beauty Pond, on the homestead of his father. He and his wife were devoted Christians, and neither heat or cold prevented them from going to the house of worship on the Sabbath day. She d. 1853, aged 82 yrs. Children:
 1. Charles Adams⁴.
 2. Abigail Adams⁴.
 3. Joanna Adams⁴.
22. Nancy Hodgdon³, b. Barnstead, N. H., 1776; m. Col. John Bleckford of that town, and son of John Bleckford of Newington, N. H. After their marriage they moved to the old Lyford house on the Dennett farm, afterward occupied by Arthur Bleckford. Afterward he lived on the John Chesley farm, and later removed to Sinclairs' mill, which he rebuilt, and lived there until his death. He commanded the old 10th Regt. of N. H. Militia. He and his wife were loved and respected while living, and lamented when dead. He d. 1851, aged 83 yrs.; she d. 1860, aged 84 yrs. Children:
 1. Arthur Bleckford⁴; lived and died in Barnstead, N. H.
 2. Daniel Bleckford⁴; lived and died in Barnstead, N. H.
23. Charles Hodgdon, Jr.³ (42), b. Aug. 15, 1773; m. Betsey Adams; res. Barnstead, N. H.

24. Benjamin Hodgdon² [10] (John, Jr.¹). He was born in Newington, N. H., in 1750. Resided in Newington, N. H., and married April 8, 1776, Rosamond Coleman of Newington, who was daughter of Phineas Coleman. She died Nov. 3, 1841, aged 92 years. He died March 1, 1823, aged 72 years.

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25. Lydia Hodgdon³, b. Feb. 25, 1777; m. Nov. 6, 1801, Thomas Wiggin, and resided in Portsmouth, N. H., for many years.
26. Ephraim Hodgdon³, b. March 10, 1779; farmer; res. Portsmouth, N. H.; m. Nov. 14, 1803, Abigail J. Thomas, who was born Aug. 17, 1784, and d. July 1, 1874. He d. May 10, 1848; ten children.
27. Benjamin Hodgdon³, b. June 5, 1781; res. Newington, N. H.; m. May 14, 1817, Ann Walker. Was a soldier in the last war with Great Britain.
28. Alexander Hodgdon³, b. April 4, 1785; farmer; res. Epping, N. H.
29. Sally Hodgdon³, b. April 25, 1788; m. April 20, 1806, John Adams. She m. 2d. Jan. 7, 1821, Nathan D. Stoodley.
30. Temperance Hodgdon³, b. May 11, 1791; m. July 8, 1810, Ebenezer Spring of Elliot, Me.

31. Joseph Hodgdon² [12] (John, Jr.¹). He was born in Newington, N. H., June 21, 1755. He lived many years in his native town, but subsequently removed to Randolph, N. H., where many of

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32. Robert Hodgdon¹, b. May 2, 1779.
33. John Hodgdon¹, b. Feb. 20, 1782.
34. Mary Hodgdon¹, b. May 3, 1787.
35. Joseph Hodgdon¹, b. Feb. 27, 1790.
36. Sarah Hodgdon¹, b. Aug. 8, 1792.

37. Benjamin Hodgdon¹ [20] (Charles², John¹). He was born in Portsmouth, N. H., June 28, 1768. Was a hotel proprietor and trader, and resided and died in Barnstead, N. H. He married September, 1797, Polly, daughter of Timothy and Mary Emerson, who was born in Durham, N. H., June 11, 1777; died July 15, 1858. He died June 6, 1849. He occupied many public positions. Was a justice of the peace and quorum, and deputy sheriff; served as town clerk from 1787 to 1800, as Representative in 1810 and '11, and was a part of this time proprietor of the "Hodgdon House" on the County road. The genial manners and warm hospitality of himself and his estimable wife gained for them a large share of the public patronage. They continued in this business till the infirmities of age obliged them to seek a more quiet life.

CHILDREN BORN BARNSTEAD, N. H.

38. Hannah Hodgdon¹, b. May 14, 1799; m. 1816 Eleazer Young, a successful teacher. They resided at Meredith and Gilmanton, N. H., then in Portland, Me., and finally removed to Boston, Mass., in 1876, where he died June 9, 1880. She d. Aug. 28, 1880. Children:
 1. Mary Jane Young², b. Meredith, N. H., July 19, 1818; d. Oct. 2, 1821.
 2. Placelia Historia Young², b. Jan. 10, 1822; res. Boston, Mass.
 3. Emma Amanda Young², b. Dec. 30, 1824; res. Boston, Mass.
 4. Hannah Adella Young², b. April 6, 1828; res. Boston, Mass.
 5. Benjamin Franklin Young², b. June 5, 1832; d. Charlestown, Mass., March 4, 1878.
 6. Alexis Emerson Young², b. Gifford, N. H., April 26, 1843; res. Elizabeth, N. J.
39. Abigail Hodgdon¹, b. Nov. 2, 1804; m. Ebenezer Hall in 1823. A merchant, and resided in Concord, N. H., and then removed to Baraboo, Wisconsin, where he d. Jan. 11, 1880; she d. Concord, N. H., Aug. 6, 1859. Children:
 1. Mary Hall²; d. Baraboo, Wis.
 2. Amanda Hall²; d. Baraboo, Wis.
40. Timothy E. Hodgdon¹ (51), b. April 23, 1808; m. 1829 Mary, dau. of Rev. Enos George of Barnstead, N. H.
41. Mary Hodgdon¹, b. Nov. 21, 1812; m. 1838 Alfred, son of Capt. Daniel Bunker of Barnstead, and was living in 1889 on the "old Bunker Hill farm" in Barnstead. He was born in Barnstead Dec. 13, 1808. Children born Barnstead, N. H.:
 1. Charles Albert Bunker², b. July 21, 1840.
 2. Alfred H. Bunker², b. Feb. 1, 1844.
 3. Mary Amanda Bunker², b. Jan. 17, 1849.

42. Charles Hodgdon, Jr.² [23] (Charles², John, Jr.¹).

Charles Hodgdon

He was born in Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 15, 1773. There his life was spent. He was an active and prominent citizen, and was almost continually in office during the years of his manly strength. He was town clerk, selectman, and was Representative in 1797, '98, '99, 1804, '05, '06, '07, '08, '09, '10, '11, '12, '13, '14, '16, '18, '20. He was the proprietor and manager of the famous hostelry, called the Hodgman tavern, on the Province road, which entertained guests for many years. He married Betsey Adams of Portsmouth, N. H., who died Dec. 31, 1825, aged 42 years. She was born Sept. 25, 1783. He died Feb. 3, 1835, aged 61 years. They are buried in the burying ground in Barnstead, N. H.

CHILDREN BORN BARNSTEAD, N. H.

43. Hannah Hodgdon⁴, b. March 30, 1804; m. Ellsha Plaisted of Portsmouth, N. H. He was a lumber merchant; he is deceased. She m. 2d Rev. Tobias H. Miller of Portsmouth. Children:
1. Charles W.; deceased.
 2. Elizabeth; deceased. She was a lovely young lady, and died suddenly when about 17 years of age.
44. Charles Jefferson Hodgdon⁴, b. May 1, 1806; d. July 9, 1832; single.
45. Mary Hoyt Hodgdon⁴ (63), b. July 2, 1808; m. Nov. 3, 1825, Dr. Jonathan Chase Prescott of Gilford, N. H.; d. at Washington, D. C., April 1, 1886.
46. Ellsabeth Hodgdon⁴, b. March 13, 1811; m. Avery Plummer of Boston, Mass., and d. Sept. 11, 1851, aged 40 yrs. He d. 1837. Children:
1. Ellsabeth Mary Plummer⁵; m. Cornelius Bliss, an influential politician; res. New York, N. Y.
 2. Ellen Frances Plummer⁵; m. Richard Borden; res. Fall River, Mass.
 3. Charles Avery Plummer⁵; m. ———; res. Boston, Mass.; merchant.
47. Mary Hodgdon⁴, b. July 23, 1816; m. Oct. 9, 1845, William R. Adams, who was born April 5, 1804, and d. about 1883. Child:
1. Mary Frances Adams⁵, b. July 1, 1847; res. Pittsfield, N. H.
48. John Monroe Hodgdon⁴, b. April 3, 1819; d. March 13, 1842; single.
49. Albert Ellsha Hodgdon⁴, b. April 22, 1822. Graduated at Dartmouth college in 1842; read law with Hon. Moses Norris in Pittsfield, N. H. Was two years with Hon. Ira Perley, and commenced the practice of his profession in Barnstead in 1846, and d. unmarried May 27, 1847, aged 25 yrs.
50. William Augustus Hodgdon⁴ (70), b. March 27, 1825; res. St. Louis, Mo.
51. Timothy E. Hodgdon⁴ [40] (Benjamin⁵, Charles², John, Jr.¹). He was born in Barnstead, N. H., April 23, 1808; married 1829 Mary, daughter of Rev. Enos George of that town; was a merchant. In 1849, during the gold fever in California, he went to that state and amassed wealth, returned to his native town, and died there Oct. 1, 1864.

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52. Mary George Hodgdon², b. Feb. 12, 1831; m. Nov. 4, 1865, Oliver G. Sanborn; two children.
53. Hannah Hodgdon², b. April 15, 1832; m. Aug. 31, 1856, Major James F. Randlett of the U. S. army. He was Lieut. Col. of the 3d N. H. Regt. of Vols. during the war; res. Brookline, Mass.; two children.
54. Charles A. Hodgdon², b. Aug. 4, 1833; m. Dec. 25, 1866, Addie O. Pierce.
55. Julia A. Hodgdon², b. July 19, 1835; d. 1837.
56. Lyman Hodgdon², b. March 30, 1837; m. April 4, 1866, Hattie Delaney; He d. at Panama May 30, 1886.
57. Sophia Hodgdon², b. June 27, 1839; m. Feb. 12, 1860, Nathaniel Blaisdell of Barnstead, N. H. He was a soldier in the 18th Regt. N. H. Vols. Both are deceased.
58. Jennie M. Hodgdon², b. April 1, 1841; m. Dec. 7, 1865, Eben Hanson of Barnstead, N. H.; was postmaster at South Barnstead in 1889.
59. Lizzie Hodgdon², b. April 24, 1843; m. June 7, 1867, Roderic Powers of Ft. Fairfield Me.; a soldier of the Union.
60. Enoch George Hodgdon², b. July 12, 1846; was a soldier in the 3d N. H. Vols., and was killed in battle June 17, 1864.
61. Benjamin Hodgdon², b. Jan. 4, 1854; res. Barnstead, N. H.
62. Emerson Hodgdon², b. April 16, 1852; d. young.

63. Mary Hoyt Hodgdon¹ [45] (Charles, Jr.², Charles², John, Jr.¹). She was born Barnstead, N. H., July 2, 1808. She married Nov. 3, 1825, Dr. Jonathan Chase Prescott² of Guilford, N. H. He was born Nov. 3, 1795. He received his degree from the medical college at Hanover, N. H., in 1821, and commenced practice at Meredith, though he lived over the river in Guilford. Was there eleven years, and removed to Concord, Mass., in 1833. He was the executor of the will of his father-in-law, Charles Hodgdon, and removed to Barnstead and performed that duty, and soon after settled in Pittsfield, N. H. Later there was a favorable opening for him at Concord, N. H., when he removed there, where he died Feb. 13, 1844, aged 48 yrs. 8 mos. 2 days. He was a member of the Congregational church, and a deacon. As a physician he took high rank.

* The emigrant ancestor was James Prescott¹, who came from Dryby, Lincolnshire, England, in 1665, and settled in Hampton, N. H. In 1725 he removed to Kingston, a part which is in Hampton. He occupied various positions of trust, and was in favor with his fellow citizens. In 1668 he m. Mary, dau. of Nathaniel and Grace Boulter, who survived her husband and died at Kingston, N. H., Oct. 4, 1735, aged 87 yrs. 4 mos. 20 days. He d. in the same town Nov. 25, 1728, aged about 85 years. Nine children.

James Prescott, Jr.², his son, b. Sept. 1, 1671; m. March 1, 1695, Maria, dau. William Marston, Jr., and Rebecca (Page) Marston. She was b. May 16, 1672. He m. 2d, June 17, 1746, Mrs. Abigail (Gove) Sanborn, dau. of Edward Gove of Hampton, N. H.; eight children.

His son, Samuel Prescott², was b. March 14, 1697. He m. Dec. 17, 1717, Mary, dau. of Joseph and Mary (Gove) Sanborn, and res. at Hampton at Hampton Falls, N. H., where he d. June 12, 1759; five children.

Major William Prescott² of Hampton Falls was his son, and was b. June 21, 1728; m. Nov. 22, 1750, his cousin Susannah, dau. of Joseph and Susanna (James) Sanborn, Jr. She was b. April 18, 1728; d. March 28, 1806, aged 72 yrs. He removed to Sanbornton, N. H., in 1780, where he d.

Mrs. Prescott married 2d, May 16, 1847, Charles Smart of Concord, b. Oct. 17, 1795; d. October, 1861, aged 66 years. She is deceased.

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64. Charles William Prescott⁶, b. Meredith Bridge, N. H. (in Gilford), July, 1826; d. aged 8 days.
65. Charles Hodgdon Prescott⁶, b. Meredith Bridge, N. H., Jan. 30, 1828; d. Nov. 7, 1854.
66. George Chase Prescott⁶, b. Meredith Bridge, N. H., June, 1830; d. in infancy.
67. William Henry Prescott⁶, b. Concord, Mass., July 12, 1833. He lived in Barnstead, Pittsfield, and Concord, N. H., when young. He became a mechanic and worked at his trade till the breaking out of the Rebellion, when he immediately enlisted in May, 1861, as a private in 1st Regt. N. H. Vols. Was transferred to the 2d Regt., and commissioned as 2d Lieut. in Company H. He commanded his company in the first battle of Bull Run, July 19, 1861, and won golden opinions for his bravery and vallant action. He and his company fought for nine hours, and then walked to Washington, thirty miles distant, having no rations for a complete day. In the action a ball struck the heel of his boot. On the 5th of Aug., 1861, he received a commission as Captain in the regular army for his efficiency in the former battle. He was of the 1st battalion of the 16th Regt. The year 1863 was mostly spent as a recruiting officer at Watertown, Wis., Grand Rapids, Mich., and Oswego, N. Y. In winter of 1863-64 he was stationed in the city of New York. He joined his battalion in the spring of 1864, and was with General Sherman's army and was in all the battles of that campaign, at Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain, and all the distance to Atlanta. At the latter place he was taken severely ill and went north, and was obliged to resign his commission on account of ill health. He res. in Concord, N. H.; removed to Colchester, Conn., where he lived for five years; was in a wheel manufactory. Went to Washington, D. C., in 1875, and is an engineer in the basement of the capitol. He m. Jan. 7, 1862, Lizzie Kendall Symonds of Concord, N. H., b. Aug. 7, 1840. He res. Washington, D. C. Children:
 1. Mary Lizzie Prescott⁶, b. Oswego, N. Y., Jan. 27, 1863; d. Concord, N. H., Feb. 25, 1864.
 2. Annie M. Prescott⁶, b. Concord, N. H., May 31, 1864.
 3. Alice Bliss Prescott⁶, b. Colchester, Conn., May 10, 1871.
68. John Albert Prescott⁶, b. May 24, 1839; was an apothecary in Concord, N. H. In March, 1862, he received an appointment in the dead letter office in Washington, D. C. Was subsequently appointed to

Sept. 28, 1811, aged 83 yrs. 3 mos. 7 days. He was a soldier in the Revolutionary war; nine children.

Capt. William Prescott⁶ was his son. He was b. Hampton Falls, N. H., Oct. 14, 1762; lived in Sanbornton and Northfield, N. H. He m. 1st, Aug. 22, 1785, Deborah, dau. of John and Abrah (Flanders) Welch. She was b. at East Kingston, N. H., Feb. 22, 1764, and d. at Sanbornton July 24, 1797, leaving four children. He m. 2d, Dec., 1797, Mrs. Sarah (Gibson) Forrest, widow of John Forrest. She d. at Northfield, N. H., July 26, 1806. He m. 3d, March 19, 1807, Jane, widow of Dr. George Kezar of Northfield, N. H. She was b. 1768; d. 1859, aged 91 yrs. He d. in Northfield, N. H., Oct. 17, 1845, aged 83 yrs. 3 mos. 7 days; five children. Among them was Dr. William Prescott of Gilmanton, and later of Concord, N. H., the able physician, and author of that elaborate and monumental work, "The History of the Prescott Families in America," published 1870. Another son was Dr. Jonathan Chase Prescott, the subject mentioned in above sketch, who m. Mary Hoyt Hodgdon.

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He has been for considerable time in business life, which has been
highly remunerative. He m. Jan. 16, 1862, Georgla W. Goodrich
of Hopkinton, N. H. He is highly esteemed for his high moral
qualities, integrity, and business management. He res. at Wash-
ington, D. C.; business office, 1416 F street, N. W. Children:

1. Frances Adallne Prescott⁵, b. Hopkinton, N. H., Oct. 4, 1863;
d. Dec. 16, 1870.

2. Charles Chase Prescott⁶, b. Washington, D. C., June 19, 1869.

3. Frederica Alice Prescott⁶, b. Washington, D. C., Oct. 15, 1873.

4. Edward Rollins Prescott⁶, b. Washington, D. C., Feb. 20, 1876.

69. Daniel Webster Prescott⁵, b. Pittsfield, N. H., May 28, 1841; d. June
14, 1841.

70. William Augustus Hodgdon⁴ [50] (Charles, Jr.³, Charles²,
John, Jr.¹). He was born in Barnstead, N. H., March 27, 1825,
and is the only living child of his parents. He prepared to enter
the Sophomore class at college, but bodily weakness compelled him
to relinquish a college course. He possessed a natural aptitude and
a strong love for music, and making that his profession he devoted
himself to it,—and as a teacher it became his life work. In 1854
he was the supervisor of music in the public schools of St. Louis,
Mo., where he remained until the breaking out of the rebellion in
1861, when he returned to his native state and located in Concord,
N. H. He was elected city clerk, and held the position for four
years, when he resigned and accepted the supervisorship of music in
the public schools of Ft. Wayne, Ind., which he held until 1877.
Then he resumed the duties of his former position as supervisor of
music in the public schools of St. Louis, Mo. Res. St. Louis,
Mo. He married Mary W., daughter of Capt. William Knowlton of
Pittsfield, N. H., who died Sept. 1, 1851, aged 24 years. He mar-
ried 2d at Concord, N. H., Aug. 30, 1856, Abbie Amanda, daughter
of Capt. Charles and Hannah Amanda (Stevens) Sanderson of Pitts-
field. She was born in Lowell, Mass., Dec. 20, 1836.

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71. Charles W. Hodgdon⁵; d. Aug. 14, 1851, aged 10 weeks.

72. Charles Hodgdon⁵, b. St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30, 1858; d. June, 1859.

73. William Albert Hodgdon⁵, b. Oct. 29, 1859; m. June 6, 1888, Mrs. Lora
(Pritchett) Horner of St. Louis, Mo. He is division freight agent
of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway; res. Springfield, Ill.

74. Mattie Isabel Hodgdon⁵, b. April 26, 1863.

CHAPTER XVII.

THE JONES FAMILY.

ABOUT the year 1770 two brothers by name of Jones came from England, but were of Welch origin, and settled in Kittery, Me. One, whose Christian name is unknown, soon after went to sea and was never heard from. The remaining brother,

1. Pelatiah Jones¹ was born March 10, 1748; settled in Kittery, Me. He married Dolly Lewis of that place, who was born Feb. 11, 1748, and who died Jan. 30, 1834, aged 86 years. He died in Kittery Feb. 23, 1820, aged 72 years. They lived in an ancient looking house. It had a huge chimney in the center, and a long, sloping back roof, after the manner of houses of that period.

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2. John Priest Jones², b. May 9, 1772; m. Nov. 13, 1795, Nancy Gless of Nottingham, N. H. He d. Dec. 26, 1850, aged 79 yrs. She d. Aug. 15, 1853, aged 84 years. They are buried in Stratham, N. H., and there is a family monument erected; three children.
3. Oliver Jones², b. Aug. 7, 1774; m. Betsey Leavett Oct. 23, 1799.
4. Comfort Jones², b. 1777.
5. Samuel Jones².
6. Joseph Jones².
7. Permella Jones², b. Jan. 17, 1784; m. Thomas Langley of Amesbury, Mass.; d. April 5, 1832, aged 48 yrs.
8. Thomas Jones² (12); m. Mary Priest Nov. 22, 1821; d. June 22, 1852; res. Barrington, N. H.
9. Martha Jones²; m. Samuel Priest of Nottingham, N. H.
10. William Jones², b. June 5, 1796; m. Sally Hill; lived in Milton, N. H., and d. Jan. 17, 1833, aged 37 yrs.
11. Pelatiah Jones², b. 1797; m. Sophia Demeritt, and d. Sept. 9, 1853, aged 56 yrs.

12. Thomas Jones² [8] (Pelatiah¹). He was a farmer, and owned and lived upon one of the best farms in Barrington, N. H. There he brought up his family in habits of economy, thrift, and industry. In those days it was the custom of farmers to work upon the land in the summer, and in the winter to be engaged in lumbering. All this business was familiar to his sons from their early years. He married Mary Priest Nov. 22, 1821, who was born March 22, 1801. He died in Barrington June 22, 1852.

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13. Pelatiah Jones², b. June 14, 1822; d. Sept. 20, 1858.
14. Joseph P. Jones³, b. March 22, 1824; d. Sept. 20, 1848.
15. Nathan Jones⁴, b. Jan. 3, 1826; res. Portsmouth, N. H.
16. Hiram Jones⁵, b. Jan. 17, 1828; and d. many years ago. He m. Martha Sophia Leavett. He res. in Rye, N. H. One daughter:
1. Emma Isabel Jones⁶; adopted by her uncle, Hon. Frank Jones. (See his record.)
17. Frank Jones⁷ (20), b. Sept. 15, 1832; res. Portsmouth, N. H.
18. Mary S. Jones⁸, b. May 31, 1841; m. Josiah H. Morrison Dec. 25, 1871. He was b. Jan. 18, 1833; res. Portsmouth, N. H. He is deceased.
19. True William Jones⁹, b. May 13, 1843; res. South Boston, Mass.

20. Frank Jones⁸ [17] (Thomas², Pelatiah¹). Hon. Frank Jones was born in Barrington, Strafford co., N. H., Sept. 15, 1832. His boyhood and youth were spent upon his father's farm. At the age of 17 years he entered the employ of an elder brother, who was a hardware merchant in Portsmouth, N. H. He was in his employ for four years, when he purchased an interest in the business, and soon after became the sole proprietor, which he successfully managed till 1861, when he sold it to a younger brother.

For many years he individually, or in company with others, was engaged in business enterprises of magnitude. But larger activities were opening up before him, wider fields of a public nature, which demanded the exercise of his great business capacity.

In the political affairs of his adopted city and of his native state he took a deep and abiding interest. He was chosen mayor of Portsmouth in 1868, and was re-elected in 1869. His administration was marked by many progressive improvements. His salary for the first year he gave to the city to hold in trust, the interest annually to be devoted to the purchase of books for the High school library. He placed in the hands of trustees his second year's salary, on the condition that five thousand dollars more could be raised in five years, when he would add another thousand dollars for the purpose of establishing a public library to be presented to the city of Portsmouth.

In 1875 Mr. Jones received the Democratic nomination for Congress and was elected, although the Republicans had carried the district at the previous election. In 1877 he was renominated for Congress. The Republicans made a determined effort to carry the district, and selected as their candidate the gallant Gen. Gilman Marston, who had won fame in his three terms in Congress and military renown in the war. The contest was sharply contested by each side, but the popularity of Mr. Jones was so great that his opponents were unable to accomplish his defeat, and he was elected over the formidable candidate who had been pitted against him. In Congress he was one of the most efficient committeemen in the House. Mr. Randall said of him: "He was a faithful Representative, an honor to himself and the country, bringing to the discharge of his duties a business knowledge that made him very valuable as a committee

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In 1880, with an unanimity of his party never before equalled, he was made its candidate for Governor. The party was doomed to defeat, but he received a larger vote than had ever before been given to the candidate of any party in a state election. In two presidential elections Mr. Jones has been a Democratic candidate for elector.

He is eminently a man of business and enjoys to engage in great enterprises. In the construction and management of railroads he has been very prominent. The building of the Dover and Portsmouth railroad was largely due to his persistence and push, and he was for many years, and is now, its president. He was a director in the Eastern railroad and in the Wolfborough railroad. Of the latter he was one of the projectors. He is a director in the Worcester, Nashua, and Rochester railroad, and of the Upper Coos railroad; and president of the Hereford railroad. He was for three years president of the Boston and Maine railroad, and his administration of its affairs was of a high order.

He is the builder and owner of the Rockingham hotel in Portsmouth, and of the Wentworth at New Castle. The former is his especial pride, and is without an equal east of Boston. The Wentworth is three miles from Portsmouth, is very extensive in its proportions, and is finely equipped. Its situation is beautiful, commanding a view of points of historic interest, of the ocean, and mountains.

In his personal bearing he is genial, easy, and affable, and is easily popular. He is a ready and fluent conversationalist on a great variety of subjects. His great wealth, his genial manners, his business and political successes have given him many warm friends and great prestige and influence in business and political circles. His home is one mile from the city, at "Maplewood Farm," a fine landed estate of a thousand acres, stocked with fancy herds of cattle and horses, and laid out with elegant parks, gardens, and lawns, on which are numerous greenhouses.

He married Sept. 15, 1861, Mrs. Martha Sophia (Leavitt) Jones, widow of his brother, Hiram Jones. His niece and adopted daughter is Emma I. Jones (see No. 16). Resides Portsmouth, N. H.

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21. Emma Isabel Jones⁴, b. Rye, N. H., Nov. 27, 1855. She was educated at the seminary at Ipswich, Mass., at Miss Gilman's private school at Boston, Mass., and in Portsmouth, N. H. She is a cultivated and interesting lady, and popular with friends and acquaintances. She m. Nov. 27, 1873, Charles A. Sinclair. (See his record, No. 1928, p. 309.)

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CHAPTER XVIII.

THE MERRILL FAMILY.

1. Nathaniel Merrill¹, with his elder brother John Merrill¹, came, it is said, from Salisbury, England, in 1633. They located in Ipswich, and a little later in Newbury, Mass., and were among its first settlers. It is claimed that the original name was *Merle*, and that the family is of French origin.

John Merrill¹, the elder of the brothers, had but one daughter, Hannah Merrill², who married Stephen Swett, May 24, 1647.

Nathaniel Merrill¹ thus became the common ancestor of most of the Merrills. He married Susannah Jordan; resided in Newbury, Mass., where he died May 16, 1665. He had seven children. His child,

2. Abel Merrill², born Feb. 20, 1644, in Newbury, Mass., and resided in Newbury, Mass. He married Feb. 10, 1671, Priscilla Chase, daughter of Aquilla and Ann (Wheeler) Chase. He died in Newbury, Mass., Oct. 28, 1689. Had eight children. Child,

3. Abel Merrill³, born Dec. 28, 1671, in Newbury, Mass.; married 1694 Abigail Stevens. He lived in West Newbury, Mass., and was a deacon in the church. eight children. Had His child,

4. Abel Merrill⁴, born March 20, 1698, in West Newbury, Mass., and lived in that part of Plaistow, N. H., which is now Atkinson. He married Ruth Kelley, and died in what is now Atkinson Dec. 25, 1788. Had twelve children. His child,

5. John Merrill⁵, born Aug. 15, 1737; married Mrs. Mary (Emerson) Stevens. He had six children. His child,

6. Abel Merrill⁶ (7), born Atkinson, N. H.

7. Abel Merrill⁶ [6] (John⁶, Abel⁴, Abel³, Abel², Nathaniel¹). He was born in Atkinson, N. H., Nov. 19, 1763; removed to Warren, N. H., in 1789, and was chosen selectman the following year. He served in that office in 1790-96, '98, '99, 1801-02, '03, '04, '05, '07, '10, '11, '14, '15, '16, '17, and '23. Was town clerk in 1805, '07, and '08, and member of the Legislature in 1801, '08, '09, '10, '11, '25, and '26. Was moderator in 1796, 1802, '03, '05, '07, '10, '12, '13, '14, '15, '17, '18, '19, '20, and '25. He was a member of the State Senate. Was one of the side judges of the Court of Common Pleas for several years. His abilities were excellent, and he was amply equipped for the performance of the varied

duties. He was affable in his manners, pleasing in his address, and popular with his fellow citizens. He married Tamar, daughter of Benjamin and Sarah (Little) Kimball, who was born at Plaistow July 6, 1766. He married 2d his wife's sister, Mrs. Abigail (Kimball) Noyes of Landaff, N. H. She was born in Plaistow, N. H., and died June 8, 1847, aged 75 years, and is buried at Landaff Center. He died March 23, 1838.

CHILDREN BORN WARREN, N. H., EXCEPT THE THREE ELDEST.

8. Benjamin Merrill¹, b. Atkinson, N. H., Oct. 9, 1784. Was a merchant in Warren, N. H., and Haverhill. Was often elected to public positions, and possessed much shrewdness and executive ability. He d. in Haverhill, N. H., Nov. 27, 1836, leaving an interesting family.
9. John Merrill¹, b. Atkinson, N. H., March 4, 1786; d. at Hanover, N. H., Oct. 27, 1809, while a student in Dartmouth college.
10. Daniel Merrill¹, b. Atkinson, N. H., March 24, 1788: was a lumberman and farmer. Was an able business man and respected in the community. He m. Abigail Pillsbury; res. in Warren, N. H., and d. there Sept. 16, 1861.
11. Sally Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., March 9, 1790; m. Enoch R. Weeks, and the most of their lives was spent in Warren. She d. in Nashua, N. H., aged 93 yrs. Enoch R. Weeks of Haverhill, N. H., is their son.
12. Mary Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., March 28, 1792; m. Col. Daniel Clark of Landaff, N. H., where she d. Feb. 3, 1874. She was the mother of Mrs. John G. Sinclair. (See No. 1633, Sinclair Family, and No. 87, Clark Family.)
13. Betsey Merrill¹ (19), b. Warren, N. H., June 9, 1794; m. Joseph B. Farnum.
14. Samuel Little Merrill¹ (25), b. Warren, N. H., April 10, 1796; res. Warren, N. H.
15. Joseph Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., Feb. 16, 1798; was a merchant in Warren; removed to Rome, N. Y., and d. in York Mills, N. Y., leaving children.
16. William Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., April 10, 1800. He graduated at the medical school at Hanover, N. H.; practiced his profession at Lisbon, N. H., where he d. Nov. 4, 1824; single.
17. Ira Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., July 17, 1803; d. Nov. 7, 1815.
18. Tamar Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., March 9, 1805; d. Aug. 15, 1808.
19. Hannah Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., April 3, 1807; m. Joshua Merrill of Corinth, N. H., and left children.
20. John Langdon Merrill¹, b. Warren, N. H., May 8, 1810. He remained on the homestead until the death of his father, when he removed to Manchester, N. H., where for many years he was a carpenter. He m. Lucia Wells of Plymouth, N. H.; removed to Pennsylvania, and d. in Philadelphia.
21. Betsey Merrill¹ [13] (Abel⁶, John⁵, Abel⁴, Abel³, Abel², Nathaniel¹). She was born in Warren, N. H., June 9, 1794; married Jan. 31, 1828, Joseph B. Farnum of Warren, who was born in Plymouth, N. H.; April 15, 1797, and died in Warren Oct. 9, 1887, aged 90 yrs. 5 mos. 26 days. She died Oct. 12, 1873. They were members of the M. E. church. In early life she was a successful teacher.

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22. Sarah Brown Farnum⁶, b. Feb. 6, 1820; d. June 16, 1854.]
23. Harriet Merrill Farnum⁶, b. Dec. 30, 1830; was a teacher. [She m. Feb. 15, 1852, Jeremiah S. Jewett, b. Meredith, N. H., now Laconia, Nov. 25, 1822. Was a mechanic and in railroad employ in early life; is now a trader; res. Warren, N. H. Child:
1. Martin Wilbur Jewett⁶, b. Lake Village, N. H., Jan. 24, 1855. Was a student at Tilton seminary, and d. of typhoid fever Dec. 7, 1873.]
24. Nancy W. Farnum⁶, b. Feb. 21, 1833; lived in Warren, and d. there Dec. 20, 1855; single.

25. Samuel Little Merrill⁷ [14] (Abel⁶, John⁵, Abel⁴, Abel³, Abel², Nathaniel¹). He was born in Warren, N. H., April 10, 1796; died Jan. 29, 1868, at Warren, aged 79 yrs. 9 mos. 19 days. He married March 25, 1817, Sally Noyes, born Dec. 10, 1799, at Landaff. She died at Warren April 29, 1879, aged 79 yrs. 4 mos. 19 days. Their home was in Warren, where he was a leading citizen. Was selectman in 1833, '34, '36, '37, '46, '49, '50, '51-'52, '57, and often served as referee on important cases; was county commissioner for two years. Belonged to the M. E. church.

CHILDREN BORN WARREN, N. H.

26. Enoch Noyes Merrill⁸, b. Aug. 10, 1819; res. Warren; m. Eliza Ann Currier of Canaan, N. H., who died, and he m. 2d Hannah Wyatt of Warren; farmer. Children:
1. Caroline Merrill⁹; m. Al Shaw.
2. Ellen Merrill⁹; d. in youth.
3. Clara Merrill⁹; d. young.
27. Ira Merrill⁸, b. Aug. 10, 1820; farmer, miller, merchant. Served as selectman many years, representative two years, town treasurer and superintendent of schools. He m. Feb. 23, 1847, Mary, dau. of Levi and Mary (Sanborn) Whitchee of Danville, Vt., b. there Jan. 23, 1819; both living, and members of the M. E. church. Children b. Warren, N. H.:
1. Luella Helen Merrill⁹, b. May 27, 1848; m. July 15, 1872, Samuel Morse, b. Chester, N. H., Feb. 4, 1846. Children:
i. Julia Merrill Morse¹⁰, b. Sept. 7, 1873, in Chester, N. H.
ii. Ira Herbert Morse¹⁰, b. Jan. 4, 1875, in Chester, N. H.
iii. Mary Jane Morse¹⁰, b. Chester, N. H., Sept. 14, 1876.
iv. Gracie Emily Morse¹⁰, b. Aug. 29, 1878.
2. Emily Estelle Merrill⁹, b. Feb. 5, 1850; m. May 12, 1873, Charles W. Cummings of Groton, N. H.; merchant; res. Warren, N. H.; no children.
3. Mary Jane Merrill⁹, b. Aug. 3, 1854; m. Nov. 12, 1878, John Harrison French of Groton, N. H. Real estate agent; res. Lexington, Mass. Children b. West Somerville, Mass.:
i. Bertha May French¹⁰, b. Nov. 28, 1881; d. Jan. 19, 1885.
ii. Marion Davis French¹⁰, b. Sept. 2, 1885.
28. Russell Merrill⁸, b. Jan. 17, 1823; res. Warren, N. H.; farmer. He m. June 3, 1846, Dorilla Bean of Andover, N. H., and d. May 2, 1884. She m. 2d James Bixby. Children:
1. George Elvin Merrill⁹; music teacher; res. Chicago, Ill.
2. Eva M. Merrill⁹, b. Sept. 22, 1849; m. May 22, 1872, James B. Brown; res. Wentworth, N. H. Children:
i. Harry J. Brown¹⁰, b. March 2, 1873.
ii. David R. Brown¹⁰, b. June 9, 1879.
iii. Bessie J. Brown¹⁰, b. Aug. 23, 1881.

3. Ada E. Merrill⁹, b. May 22, 1851; d. Jan. 13, 1852.
20. William Merrill⁹, b. Jan. 10, 1825; Methodist clergyman; res. recently in Lowell, Mass. He m. Elsie Ann Bixby of Warren, N. H. Children:
 1. Emma Merrill⁹.
 2. Eva Merrill⁹.
 3. Clara Merrill⁹.
 4. Lettie Merrill⁹.
 5. Arthur Merrill⁹.
30. George Washington Merrill⁹; res. Warren, N. H. Was a soldier in 12th Regt. N. H. Vols., and is now an invalid. He m. Elizabeth Franklin of Warren. Children b. Warren, N. H.:
 1. Samuel Merrill⁹, b. Oct. 9, 1852; m. Hattie Prescott of Kingston, N. H., and res. in Warren, N. H.
 2. George Merrill⁹, b. May 6, 1854; m. Louisa B. Quimby, and lives in Haverhill, Mass.
 3. Viola Merrill⁹, b. May 6, 1858; m. John Moses; res. Warren, N. H.
 4. Damon Merrill⁹, b. Sept. 21, 1860; single; res. Haverhill, Mass.
 5. Della Merrill⁹, b. March 23, 1863; m. Frank Welcome.
 6. Susie Belle Merrill⁹, b. Feb. 10, 1873; res. Warren, N. H.
31. Mary Clark Merrill⁹, b. Feb. 8, 1830; m. Jan. 26, 1848, Amos L. Clement of Warren, N. H., who was b. there Dec. 12, 1820; farmer. Was accidentally shot and killed Dec. 17, 1887. Children b. Warren, N. H.:
 1. Sarah Jane Clement⁹, b. May 8, 1849; res. New York, N. Y.
 2. Charles Henry Clement⁹, b. June 9, 1852; d. July 6, 1852.
 3. Charles Henry Clement⁹, b. April 27, 1853; d. at Montgomery, Vt., Nov. 9, 1878.
 4. Laura Eastman Clement⁹, b. Nov. 23, 1854; m. Nov. 12, 1875; Frank A. Whiteher; res. Warren, N. H.
32. Henry A. Merrill⁹, b. May 10, 1839; is a Methodist clergyman; res. Crown Point, Indiana. Was educated at Tilton, N. H., and Newbury, Vt. He m. Olive Cleaver. Children:
 1. Molly Merrill⁹.
 2. Fred Henry Merrill⁹.
 3. Samuel Little Merrill⁹.
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1852; d. July 6, 1852.
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3, 1854; m. Nov. 12, 1875;
N. H.
Methodist clergyman; res.
at Tilton, N. H., and New-
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CHAPTER XIX.

THE NORRIS FAMILY.*

1. Nicholas Norris¹ was the progenitor and immigrant ancestor of this family. Was born probably about 1640. Was an early resident of Hampton, N. H., and by occupation was a tailor, planter, farmer. He sold his house and land in Hampton Sept. 29, 1766, and appeared in Exeter the same year, which was ever after his home. He took the oath of allegiance in 1677; desired the jurisdiction of Massachusetts in 1690, and was a soldier in garrison from Aug. 3 to Aug. 31, 1696. He married Sarah Cox "11 mo. 21st day, 1663." He deeded away land June 10, 1721, which is the last mention of him found upon the records. He had been a resident of Exeter for fifty-seven years, and disappeared. He had several children; among them was his child born Exeter, N. H. :

CHILD.

2. Moses Norris² (3), b. Aug. 14, 1670; m. Ruth Folsom.

3. Moses Norris² [2] (Nicholas¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., Aug. 14, 1670; married March 4, 1691, '92, Ruth, daughter of Samuel and Mary Robey Folsom of Exeter. He received land from his father "on road to Hampton Farms" April 9, 1698, and his home was always in the town of his birth. From Aug. 31, 1696, to Sept. 28, 1696, he served as a soldier. On the 2d of February, 1720, '21, he gave a deed to his children, to take effect after the decease of himself and wife which virtually settled his estate, and the date of his death has not been ascertained. His child :

CHILD.

3a. James Norris³ (4), b. Exeter, N. H., after 1700.

4. James Norris³ [3a] (Moses², Nicholas¹). He was born in Exeter, N. H., after 1700, and before 1718. He lived in what is now Epping, one-half mile west of the Corner, or Village, and dealt largely in real estate, and was the owner of mill property. He

*A complete record of the Norris family will be found in the "Lineage and Biographies of the Norris Family in America, from 1640 to 1892," by Leonard A. Morrison, A. M., Windham, N. H. Published in 1892 by Damrell & Upham, Boston, Mass. Copies can be procured of author or publisher.

married Mary, who died Sept. 19, 1766. He married 2d Mrs. Alice Mitchell, widow of Joshua Mitchell of Newmarket, N. H., and died in Epping Dec. 20, 1768; will proven Dec. 28, 1768, and his widow's dower was set off May 28, 1770. Among his fifteen children was his child:

CHILD.

5. Moses Norris⁴ (6), b. Jan. 20, 1732; m. Susannah Gordon.

6. Moses Norris⁴ [5] (James³, Moses², Nicholas¹). He was born Jan. 20, 1732. Was in Raymond, N. H., April 4, 1764. He married Susannah L. Gordon, and they lived in Nottingham, N. H. On Nov. 30, 1773, he bought of his brother, Joseph Norris of Epping, a fifty acre lot in Chichester No. 25, 2d range, 3d division, original right of William Stamford. On Oct. 22, 1774, he bought land of James Cram of Chichester. After he made these purchases, and before he occupied them, he died. This locality was taken off of Chichester and made a portion of Pittsfield when that town was incorporated, and there Mrs. Norris and her family resided after Mr. Norris' death. He died before May 29, 1776, when the administration of his estate was granted to his widow. Ithiel Gordon and John Carr, Jr., were her sureties, and his brothers Jeremiah and Joseph Norris were among his creditors. Mrs. Norris married 2d Nathan White; resided in Pittsfield, N. H., and died Oct. 23, 1824. Her date of birth was Oct. 30, 1743.

CHILDREN.

7. Moses Norris⁵ (12), b. Nottingham, N. H., Sept. 3, 1762; m. Comfort Leavitt, and d. in Pittsfield, N. H.
8. Ruth Norris⁵ (20), b. Raymond, N. H., April 4, 1764; m. Reuben Towle Leavitt.
9. Daniel Norris⁵, b. 1766. He lived on a fine farm in Pittsfield, N. H., three-fourths of a mile from the village. He m. Annie Drew, who d. April 27, 184-. He d. Jan. 18, 1842. Children b. Pittsfield, N. H.:
 1. Susannah Norris⁶; m. Augustus Farnwell, of Pittsfield; moved to Wells River, Vt., where she died, leaving a son, who is a merchant and postmaster.
 2. Harriet Norris⁶; m. Nathaniel Evans, Jr. She lived and died in Concord, N. H.
 3. Daniel Norris⁶; res. Concord, N. H.; d. July 24, 1854, aged 22 years.
10. Joseph Norris⁵ (24), b. Aug. 8, 1768; m. Hannah Giles, and resided Barnstead, N. H.
11. Molly Norris⁵, b. Aug. 29, 1771; m. March 23, 1794, Ebenezer Cram; removed to Danbury, N. H., and d. there. Mr. Cram was born Sept. 9, 1766; d. Jan. 30, 1841. Children:
 1. Susannah Cram⁶, b. Aug. 9, 1794.
 2. Ebenezer Cram⁶, b. Feb. 14, 1796.
 3. Jonathan Cram⁶, b. Dec. 20, 1797; d. April 5, 1813.
 4. Polly Cram⁶, b. March 4, 1800; d. Feb. 10, 1813.
 5. Betsey Cram⁶, b. Feb. 20, 1803; d. Feb. 19, 1813. These died of spotted fever.
 6. Lucy Cram⁶, b. Sept. 3, 1809; d. of spotted fever.
 7. Nancy Cram⁶, b. Jan. 3, 1811.
 8. Jonathan S. Cram⁶, b. March 27, 1814; d. Jan. 18, 1841.

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of spotted fever.

1814; d. Jan. 18, 1841.

12. Moses Norris⁴ [7] (Moses¹, James², Moses³, Nicholas⁴).
He was born in Nottingham, N. H., Sept. 3, 1762, and died at
Pittsfield, N. H., Aug. 9, 1848, aged 85 yrs. 9 mos. 6 days. His
life was such as to command the regard of the community. He
married May 3, 1787, Comfort, daughter of Benjamin and Esther
(Towle) Leavett. She was born June 27, 1763; died at Pittsfield,
N. H., Dec. 27, 1835, aged 72 yrs. 6 mos.

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13. Mary Norris⁵, b. Feb. 8, 1788; d. Aug., 1842, aged 54 yrs. 6 mos.
Single.
14. Betsey Norris⁶, b. Feb. 8, 1788; d. June 21, 1822, aged 34 yrs. 4 mos.
13 days. Single.
15. Lois Norris⁷, b. June 14, 1791; d. at Pittsfield, N. H., Feb. 6, 1843,
aged 51 yrs. 7 mos. 22 days. Single.
16. True Norris⁸ (34), b. Sept. 4, 1793; res. Pittsfield, N. H.
17. Bracket Leavitt Norris⁹, b. Nov. 20, 1795; d. Pittsfield, N. H., Dec. 11,
1842, aged 47 yrs. 21 days. He m. Betsey Lane. She was b.
June 12, 1789. Children, b. Pittsfield, N. H.:
 - i. Brackett Woodbury Norris¹, b. March 20, 1835; farmer, and res.
Pittsfield, N. H. He m. Jan. 1, 1861, Helen F., daughter of
Isaac Smith Carr, granddaughter of John Carr. She was born
London, N. H., March 28, 1839; d. Jan. 31, 1875. Children:
 - i. Lucinda J. Norris², b. Pittsfield, N. H., March 11, 1862;
d. May 26, 1883.
 - ii. Ella Mary Norris³, b. Pittsfield, N. H., June 17, 1867.
 - iii. Brackett Woodbury Norris⁴, b. Pittsfield, N. H., June 10,
1870.
 2. Moses L. Norris⁵, b. April 19, 1837; m. Sept. 21, 1861, Annie
L. Joy, dau. of Lewis and Annis (Parchley) Joy, of Pitts-
field, N. H.; b. Oct. 29, 1841. Mr. Norris is a hardware
merchant; res. Grinnell, Iowa, where he has lived for many
years. Six children:
 - i. Harry W. Norris⁶, b. Pittsfield, N. H., Sept. 1862; is Prof.
of Natural History at Ithaca, N. Y.
 - ii. Charles B. Norris⁷, b. Pittsfield, N. H., Aug. 22, 1866;
hardware merchant; res. Grinnell, Iowa.
 - iii. Arthur C. Norris⁸, b. May 27, 1868, in Pittsfield, N. H.;
hardware merchant; res. Grinnell, Iowa.
 - iv. Moses L. Norris, Jr.⁹, b. Grinnell, Iowa, June 2, 1874; res.
Grinnell, Iowa.
 - v. Gertie E. Norris¹⁰, b. Nov. 22, 1876, in Grinnell, Iowa.
 - vi. Ernest C. Norris¹¹, b. Grinnell, Iowa, June 6, 1879.
18. Ruth Norris¹², b. Aug. 19, 1797; d. Aug. 29, 1797.
19. Moses Norris, Jr.¹³ (42), b. Sept. 16, 1799; United States Senator; d. at
Washington, D. C., Jan. 11, 1855.

20. Ruth Norris¹⁴ [8] (Moses¹, James², Moses³, Nicholas⁴). She
was born in Raymond, N. H., April 4, 1764; married Reuben Towle
Leavett of Pittsfield, N. H. He was born at Hampton Falls, N. H.,
April 12, 1759; died Pittsfield, Sept. 20, 1837. (He was son of
Benjamin Leavett, and brother of Mrs. Comfort, wife of Moses
Norris. See footnote of Leavett family.) He married for 1st wife,
Jan. 5, 1782, Molly Page, born at Kensington, N. H., March 2,
1763; died March 9, 1784. Mrs. Ruth Leavett died Oct. 3, 1853,
in Pittsfield. He was a farmer; moved from Hampton Falls March
5, 1782. He cleared up three lots of fifty acres each, one of them
being the farm of Brackett Norris.

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BY FIRST MARRIAGE.

21. Stephen Leavett², b. March 4, 1784; d. Sept. 7, 1786.
22. Stephen Leavett², b. March 2, 1789; d. March 4, 1870; was a farmer and res. in Pittsfield, but sold his farm and removed to the village sometime previous to his death. He m. Jan. 23, 1818, Sally Morris (or Norris), who d. Sept. 24, 1876. Children, b. Pittsfield, N. H.:
 - i. Ruth Leavett¹, b. Jan. 1, 1819; m. David Lovejoy; res. Pittsfield, N. H. No children.
 - ii. Naomi Leavett¹, b. Jan. 16, 1822; m. Rev. Moses A., son of Moses Quimby, who was b. in Lyndon, Vt., Oct. 5, 1821; res. Lower Gilmanton, N. H. Children:
 - i. Della Quimby², b. Epsom, N. H., Aug. 8, 1854; d. March 16, 1861.
 - ii. Alida Quimby², b. Aug. 31, 1855.
3. Plummer Leavett¹ (twin brother of Naomi), b. Jan. 16, 1822; m. Lizzie M., dau. of Paul and Lydia (Caverly) Parchley of Barnstead, N. H. She was b. Sept. 8, 1822. They res. in Pittsfield, N. H., where he d. Sept. 19, 1857. He was a farmer. She m. 2d Andrew Walker, b. Stafford, N. H., Jan. 8, 1812; d. Oct. 8, 1874. She lives in the village at Pittsfield. Children by 1st husband.
 - i. Milton H. Leavett², b. Aug. 2, 1841; d. Sept. 8, 1852.
 - ii. Sarah E. Leavett², b. Aug. 15, 1852; m. April 8, 1874, George N., son of George L. and Elizabeth (Foss) Foss of Strafford, N. H.; b. there Jan. 19, 1841. Is a merchant in Pittsfield. Children:
 - Milton George Foss², b. Jan. 4, 1876.
 - Mayland Plummer Foss², b. April 24, 1878.
 - iii. Mary Leavett², b. Oct. 21, 1854; d. Sept. 2, 1857.
 - iv. Mary Plummer Leavett², b. April 14, 1857; m. Oct. 15, 1882, Frank Varney of Pittsfield, N. H.
23. Reuben T. Leavett², b. Oct. 28, 1800; m. Nancy M. Brown, b. Nov., 1804; was a farmer; was lighthouse keeper at Whalesback, Portsmouth, N. H.; was Register of Deeds for Merrimack county over two years and Justice of the Peace. Was a hotel keeper in Suncook; in later years was a farmer; res. Pittsfield, N. H. He died 1890. Children, b. Pittsfield, N. H.:
 1. Mary P. Leavett¹, b. Jan. 3, 1824; d. Sept. 9, 1824.
 2. Mary P. Leavett¹, b. June 25, 1825; d. Oct. 8, 1846.
 3. Joan Elvira Leavett¹, b. June 11, 1827; m. Nathaniel Shaw; res. Concord, N. H. No children.
 4. Jennette Leavett¹, b. June 16, 1829; d. April 24, 1847.
 5. Charles B. Leavett¹, b. May 14, 1835; res. Northwood, N. H.; has been twice married; has three children.
 6. Reuben Leavett, Jr.¹, b. Nov. 11, 1839; lives with his mother in Pittsfield, N. H. He m. Sept. 4, 1871, Evelyn, dau. of John and Betsey (Kenulston) Watson of Pittsfield, N. H. Children b. Pittsfield, N. H.:
 - i. Lila Maud Leavett², b. Sept. 26, 1882; d. July 12, 1882.
 - ii. Harry Edgar Leavett², b. April 5, 1878.
 - iii. Inez Maud Leavett², b. July 22, 1883.

24. Joseph Norris⁵ [10] (Moses⁴, James³, Moses², Nicholas¹). He was born Aug. 8, 1768. He located in Barnstead, N. H., on the "Old Province Road," which leads from Barnstead Parade to Gilmanton, N. H. His farm was one of excellence, and the story and a half house in which he lived was still standing in 1888, and

7, 1786.
4, 1870; was a farmer and
removed to the village
Jan. 23, 1818, Sally Morris
dren, b. Pittsfield, N. H.;
David Lovejoy; res. Pitts-

m. Rev. Moses A., son of
Lyndon, Vt., Oct. 5, 1821;
children:
H., Aug. 8, 1854; d. March

55.
Naomi), b. Jan. 16, 1822;
ydia (Caverly) Parchley of
Sept. 8, 1822. They res. in
Sept. 1st, 1857. He was a
ker, b. Stafford, N. H., Jan.
in the village at Pittsfield.

1841; d. Sept. 8, 1852.
5, 1852; m. April 8, 1874,
and Elizabeth (Foss) Foss
Jan. 19, 1841. Is a mer-

n:
4, 1876.
April 24, 1878.
; d. Sept. 2, 1857.
April 14, 1857; m. Oct. 15,
field, N. H.

Nancy M. Brown, b. Nov.,
eeper at Whalesback, Ports-
for Merrimack county over
Was a hotel keeper in Sun-
Pittsfield, N. H. He died

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d. Oct. 8, 1846.
1827; m. Nathaniel Shaw;
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; d. April 24, 1847.
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April 5, 1878.
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still standing in 1888, and

occupied by Mr. Fred P. Fletcher. Mr. Norris was of unquestioned honesty, and was held in general esteem. He married Hannah, sister of Nathaniel Giles of Nottingham, N. H., who was born Aug. 6, 1766. She was intelligent, possessed a fine character, and was a member of the Congregational church. Her death occurred May 10, 1852, aged 86 years. He died Dec. 28, 1848, aged 80 years, and they are buried in Barnstead.

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25. Nathan W. Norris⁶ (49), b. July 27, 1791; res. Barnstead, N. H.
26. Emery Norris⁶, b. Wednesday, Nov. 7, 1792. He was a business man; res. Beverly, Mass. He m. Oct. 26, 1817, Abigail M. Jeffs, who is deceased. He d. in Beverly, Aug. 10, 1843. Children—went to the great west—and of whom there is no record except these names:
1. Adaline Norris⁷.
2. Emily Norris⁷.
3. Harriet Norris⁷.
4. William Norris⁷.
27. Hannah Norris⁶ (52), b. Aug. 11, 1794; m. William Nutter of Barnstead, N. H.
28. Mary Norris⁶ (60) b. July 15, 1796; m. Henry Blaisdell; res. Pittsfield, N. H.
29. Martha G. Norris⁶, b. Wednesday, Sept. 12, 1798. She m. Jan. 20, 1825, Charles Grandison Sinclair of Barnstead, N. H., and was the mother of Hon. John G. Sinclair. (See No. 935, Sinclair Family.)
30. Abigail Norris⁶, b. Monday, Sept. 15, 1800; m. Aug. 22, 1826, Samuel Peevey of Barnstead, N. H., b. Oct. 12, 1802; d. Oct. 7, 1857. He was a merchant, and a man of high character. He d. in Bethlehem, N. H. She resided the later years of her life in Cleveland, Ohio, where she died Nov. 5, 1888, and was buried by the side of her husband in Bethlehem, N. H. Child:
1. Emily Peevey⁷, b. May 5, 1827; m. May 19, 1852, Dr. Daniel C. Putnam, b. July 9, 1822; res. Cleveland, Ohio.
31. Nancy Norris⁶ (60), b. Sunday, April 18, 1802; m. Nehemiah Kimball; res. Alton, N. H.
32. Mahala Norris⁶ (74) b. July 2, 1804; m. Josiah Edward of Gilmanton, N. H.
33. Joseph S. Norris⁶ (80) b. Dec. 26, 1806; res. Barnstead, N. H.

34. True Norris⁶ [16] (Moses⁴, Moses⁴, James⁴, Moses², Nicholas¹). He was born in Pittsfield, N. H., Sept. 4, 1793. Was a farmer, and always resided in Pittsfield, but died in Lynn, Mass., Dec. 13, 1870, aged 77 yrs. 3 mos. 9 days. He was twice a member of the Legislature. He married Olive, daughter of Samuel Prescott*, of his native town, Nov. 18, 1817.

*Samuel Prescott⁴, b. about 1757; m. Sarah, widow of Abraham, son of Hiram Drake, dau. of James and Sarah (Rowell) Rundlett. He lived and died in Brentwood, N. H. Was son of Nathaniel and Sarah (Tucke) Prescott of Brentwood, and was b. in Exeter, now Brentwood. Nathaniel⁵ was son of John² and Abigail (Marston) Prescott, b. July 25, 1715; m. Feb. 4, 1742, Sarah, dau. Edward and Sarah (Dearborn) Tucke; lived in Brentwood; died 1791, aged 76; ten children. John Prescott, his father, b. Nov. 19, 1681; m. Aug. 8, 1701, Abigail Marston. She was b. March 16, 1679; d. in Kensington, N. H., Dec. 30, 1760. He was a soldier in royal service

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35. Trueworthy Norris⁷ (82), b. Jan. 12, 1819; d. in the army, April 27, 1862; m. Mary J. Bronson of Chichester, N. H., 1840.
36. Arthur Fitzroy Livingston Norris⁷ (90), b. March 17, 1821; d. Nov. 1, 1889.
37. Olive Norris⁷, b. May 9, 1824; m. May 6, 1843, Abraham French, 2d, of Pittsfield, N. H., and d. May 21, 1846, leaving two sons.
38. Elizabeth Norris⁷, b. July 11, 1831; m. Nov., 1853, D. P. Sanderson of Pittsfield, N. H.; one son, Edward F. Sanderson, who once res. in Pittsfield.
39. Eleanor J. Norris⁷, b. ——— 31, 1835; m. Nov. 23, 1859, Charles T. B. Knowlton; res. Pittsfield, N. H. One dau.:
1. Eleanor Knowlton⁸.
40. Adaline Marilla Norris⁷, b. March 2, 1837; m. Capt. Lewis W. Osgood; d. Jan. 16, 1885.
41. Alvah Colby Norris⁷, b. March 11, 1840; was a soldier in a Massachusetts Regt. during the war; res. Nebraska.

42. Moses Norris, Jr.⁸, [19] (Moses⁸, Moses⁴, James⁸, Moses², Nicholas¹). Hon. Moses Norris was born in Pittsfield, N. H., Sept. 16, 1799, and was fifty-five years of age at the time of his decease. He graduated at Dartmouth college in 1828 with a high reputation for scholarship. He studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1832, and commenced the practice of his profession in Barnstead, N. H. In the course of two or three years he changed his residence to his native town of Pittsfield, which was his home until 1849, when he removed to the active and stirring young city of Manchester, which was his home at the time of his decease.

His political career commenced in 1837, when he was chosen to represent Pittsfield in the Legislature. From that time until his death he was almost continually in the public service. He represented Pittsfield in the House in 1837, '38, '39, '40, and was elected Speaker in the latter year. Was a member of the Governor's council in 1841. Was again a Representative from Pittsfield in 1842, and was elected to Congress by the democracy in 1843; re-elected in 1845. Again represented Pittsfield in the Legislature in 1847, and was elected Speaker. Was re-elected Representative in 1848, and in that year was elected United States Senator, to serve for six years from the 4th of March, 1849.

He took a strong interest and an active part in the legislation of his native state, and in the National Congress. He was a strong partizan. His native vigor of intellect, improved by study and reflection, never failed to show in his conservative action. Upon life he looked with careful eyes, and his judgment was ripened by

in 1707 and 1712; both members of the church. He d. 1761. He was son of James Prescott and Mary (Boulter) Prescott. His mother was daughter of Nathaniel and Grace Boulter of Exeter and Hampton. James Prescott came from Dryby, Lincolnshire, England, in 1665; settled in Hampton, N. H., now Hampton Falls; rem. to Kingston, 1725; was a member of the church. He d. Nov. 25, 1728. His wife, b. Exeter, May 16, 1648, m. 1665. d. in Kingston, Oct. 4, 1735, aged 87 yrs. 4 mos. 20 days.

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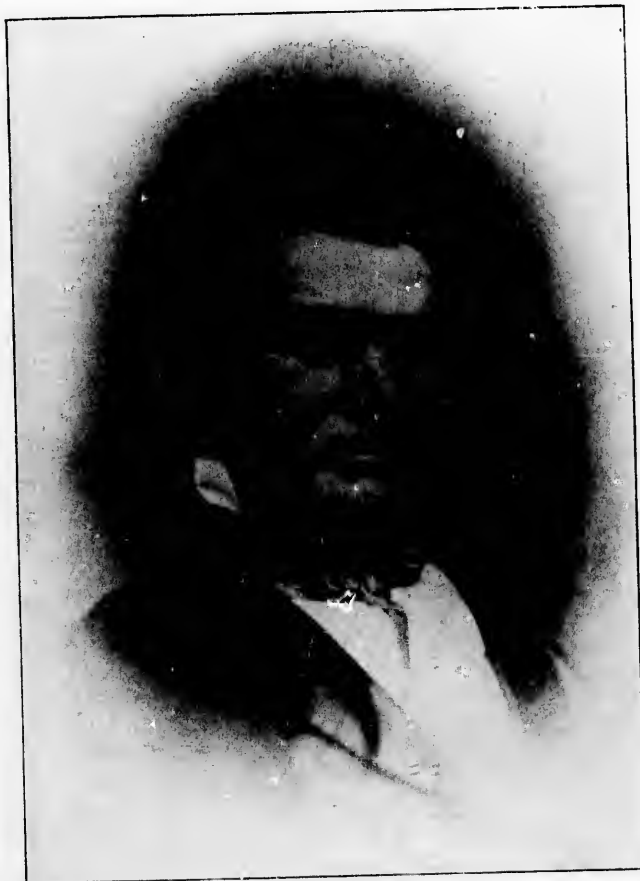
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large and varied experience. He possessed much firmness of purpose, and his speeches in Congress upon the great and exciting questions which then agitated the public mind attracted much attention.

In his personal bearing he was genial, and he quickly won the hearts of his acquaintances. While a member of the U. S. Senate he died of disease of the heart at Washington, D. C., Jan. 11, 1855, and the funeral was from his home in Manchester, N. H. His age was 55 yrs. 3 mos. 25 days. He married Abigail B. Todd of Portsmouth, N. H., who died with her daughter in Meriden, N. H.

CHILDREN.

43. Walter Atkins Todd Norris¹. He received an appointment in the P. O. department at Washington, D. C., at about the time of his father's death, and became chief clerk in one of the divisions. At the outbreak of the rebellion in 1861, he went South, united his fortunes with the Confederacy, and was on the staff of General Albert Pike, and later on the staff of Gen. Robert E. Lee, and occupied the latter place at the time of the surrender at Appomattox. After the war he returned to Manchester, N. H. Fortune did not smile upon him, and after many years of vicissitudes, he died of dropsy in the City Hospital in Boston, Mass., about 1884 or 1885. He had been married, but his wife was dead, and he left no children.
44. Fannie Ellen Norris¹, d. in autumn of 1871, when a young woman, at Manchester, N. H.; single.
45. James Buchanan Norris¹. He served in the Union Army, and after the war he died at Savannah, Ga., about 1868 or 1869.
46. Henry Clay Norris¹; res. in Manchester, N. H. He m. Feb., 1873, Mary Elvira, dau. of John and Betsey (Merrill) Lakin of Sanbornton, N. H.; grand-daughter of Samuel and Hannah (Howe) Lakin of Hooksett. She was b. Sept. 6, 1843. Mr. Norris d. of dropsy Nov. 15, 1875, at Hill, N. H., and she m. 2d Osmon S. Wilbur of Hill, N. H.
47. Caroline Norris¹; m. Irving Austin Hurd of Meriden, N. H. He was b. Claremont, N. H., July 9, 1840. He res. Claremont, N. H. Mrs. Hurd d. at Meriden, N. H., Oct. 11, 1873, where they lived for several years. Child:
 1. Henry Norris Hurd², b. March 6, 1871; res. Claremont, N. H.; printer.
48. Mary A. Norris¹; res. Cornish Falls, N. H.

49. Nathan W. Norris² [25] (Joseph², Moses², James², Moses², Nicholas²). He was born in Barnstead, N. H., on Wednesday, July 27, 1791. Resided in his native town; was a farmer. Had strong natural powers. He married Polly, daughter of Maj. John Place of Barnstead. His death took place Aug. 14, 1852, aged 67 years.

CHILDREN.

50. Hannah Norris¹; m. Eli Sanders, and they lived in Worcester, Mass., and are deceased. They had children who d. when young.
51. Sylvester Norris¹. For a time he lived in Barnstead, then removed to Alton, N. H., where he died. He m. Elizabeth Dorr of that town. Children:
 1. Almie Norris²; m. Mr. Yraton of Alton Corner, N. H.

2. Lucinda C. Norris³, b. Gilmanton, N. H., Jan. 17, 1846; m. Oct. 25, 1860, Charles A., son of David S. and Amy (Newton) Harrington of Worcester, Mass. He was born in Millbury, Mass., Feb. 12, 1841; res. Danversport, Mass. Child:
 - i. Charles W. Harrington³, b. March 18, 1873; d. March 3, 1874.
3. Mary Norris³; m. Mr. Stowe of Worcester, Mass., and is deceased.
4. Ann Norris³; m. Mr. Peevey; res. Alton Corner, N. H.

52. Hannah Norris⁶ [27] Joseph⁵, Moses⁴, James³, Moses², Nicholas¹). She was born in Barnstead, N. H., Monday, Aug. 11, 1794; died March 13, 1869. She married in August, 1817, William Nutter, who was born in Barnstead, N. H., Feb. 1, 1790; died there June 28, 1867. He was a farmer.

CHILDREN.

53. Harriet Newell Nutter⁷, b. Barnstead, N. H., March 15, 1818; d. May, 1882. She m. Acanthus Young of Portsmouth, N. H. He was a machinist, and removed to Barnstead, where he died. She d. in Pittsfield, N. H. They adopted the youngest daughter of her brother, William Nutter, namely, Hattie T. Nutter⁸, who was b. in Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 30, 1861; m. May 15, 1881, George Bogoin Seldon, b. June 16, 1854; res. Pittsfield, N. H. Children:
 1. Newman Henry Seldon⁸, b. May 8, 1883.
 2. Frank William Seldon⁸, b. Aug. 22, 1887.
54. William Nutter⁷, b. Barnstead, N. H., May 31, 1819; res. Portsmouth, N. H. He was a rigger of vessels, and at one time was mate of a steamer at Mobile, Alabama. He d. of consumption June 19, 1861. He m. Aug. 5, 1849, Ann Jennette Wear Gotham of Portsmouth. (She m. 2d John Lear, and had four children by him.) She was b. Jan. 20, 1830, and resides in Portsmouth, N. H. Children:
 1. Ellen Augusta Nutter⁸, b. Barnstead, N. H., May 17, 1850; d. May 14, 1853.
 2. William Augustus Nutter⁸, b. Portsmouth, N. H., March 18, 1853; m. May 27, 1873, Judith Bartlett Eaton, who was b. Groveland, Mass., Nov. 20, 1852; res. Cheshire, Mass. Child:
 - i. William Herbert Nutter⁹, b. Groveland, Mass., June 21, 1874.
 3. Hannah Elizabeth Nutter⁸, b. Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 27, 1855; d. July 21, 1884.
 4. Eva Jennette Nutter⁸, b. Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 29, 1856; m. Nov. 15, 1877, Albert Lunt, who was b. Beverly, Mass., May 16, 1853. He is a hardware merchant; res. Beverly, Mass.
 5. Annie Gertrude Nutter⁸, b. Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 23, 1859; d. Oct. 10, 1860.
 6. Hattie T. Nutter⁸, adopted by her aunt, Harriet Newell Nutter Young. (See her record, No. 53.)
55. Augustus Granville Nutter⁷, b. Barnstead, N. H., Dec. 13, 1820; farmer; res. Barnstead. He m. May, 1867, Mrs. Eliza Jane Littlefield. No children.
56. Elizabeth D. Nutter⁷, b. Barnstead, N. H., July 19, 1822; m. George Washington Watkins, b. Portsmouth, N. H., June 2, 1821, and d. March 18, 1883. He was a calker of vessels. She resides in Portsmouth, N. H. Children b. Portsmouth, N. H.:
 1. George Washington Watkins⁸, b. Nov. 29, 1842; printer in the Herald office; res. New York, N. Y.
 2. Elizabeth Cate Watkins⁸, b. April 30, 1844; d. April 30, 1847.

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3. Frances Abbie Watkins³, b. April 5, 1846; m. George Day; res.
 Salem, Mass.

4. Edward Watkins³, b. Oct. 25, 1847; m. March 14, 1869, Mary
 Ellen Smith, b. Dec. 16, 1848; res. Portsmouth, N. H.

5. Emma Cate Watkins³, b. Feb. 4, 1849; m. Dec. 26, 1872, James
 Edward Tucker, b. Oct. 1, 1846; res. Portsmouth, N. H.
 Child:

1. Ida May Tucker³, b. Sept. 21, 1873.

57. Hannah Nutter², b. Barnstead, N. H., Jan. 5, 1824; m. 1844, Joseph
 Whittam of Portsmouth, N. H. He was born in Plymouth, Eng.,
 March 18, 1819; was a stevedore, and d. at Mobile, Ala., Nov. 3,
 1875. She d. May 21, 1885. Children:

1. Joseph Jarvis Whittam³, b. Newburyport, Mass., March 13,
 1846; d. April 13, 1846.

2. Mary Elizabeth Whittam³, b. Portsmouth, N. H., April 3, 1848;
 single; res. Concord, N. H.

3. Thomas Jarvis Whittam³, b. Mobile, Ala., March 20, 1850; res.
 Jamaica Plain, Mass. He m. Oct. 24, 1878, Annabel D.
 Fisher of Nova Scotia. Child:

1. Arthur Fisher Whittam³, b. Boston, Mass., July 21, 1879.

4. Sarah Ann Whittam³, b. Mobile, Ala., Dec. 5, 1851; d. of yellow
 fever in Baldwin Co., Ala., Sept. 24, 1853.

5. Emily Ann Whittam³, b. Mobile, Ala., May 17, 1854; m. in
 Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 18, 1884, Horace M. Wiggin. Child:

1. Joseph Alfred Wiggin³, b. Jan. 24, 1888.

6. John Nutter Whittam³, b. Portsmouth, N. H., April 6, 1858;
 printer; res. Boston, Mass.

7. Joseph William Whittam³, b. Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 25,
 1861. His name has been changed to William Whittam Jen-
 ness.

58. James Nutter², b. Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 5, 1825; m. May 16, 1852,
 Ruth Chesley, b. Barnstead, N. H., Jan. 27, 1827. He spent several
 years in Round Grove, Minn., where his wife d. Feb. 24, 1883. He
 returned to Pittsfield, N. H., where he owns and lives upon a farm,
 one mile from the village. Children:

1. George Washington Nutter³, b. Barnstead, N. H., Oct. 28,
 1852; m. Jan. 1, 1882, at Round Grove, Minn., Olive Barns;
 P. O., Brownton, McLeod Co., Minn. Two children:

2. James Edgar Nutter³, b. Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 26, 1853; m.
 at Oxford, Kansas, in 1881, Elizabeth Hoffman. Three chil-
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3. Mary Augusta Nutter³, b. Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 17, 1856; m.
 at Round Grove, Minn., Aug., 1876, Frederick Moore. Three
 children.

4. Frank Herbert Nutter³, b. Barnstead, N. H., April 10, 1860.

5. Annie Adelaide Nutter³, b. Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 17, 1862.

6. Charlotte Emeline Nutter³, b. Round Grove, Minn., Sept. 11,
 1871.

59. Mary Abbie Nutter², b. Portsmouth, N. H., Sept. 14, 1827; m. Jan. 9,
 1848, Samuel Jefferson Pitman, b. Barnstead, N. H., Nov. 28, 1823,
 and res. there. He is a farmer. Children b. Barnstead, N. H.:

1. Alvin Augustus Pitman³, b. Nov. 19, 1848; shoe manufacturer;
 res. Lynn, Mass. He m. May 16, 1872, Rosetta D. Clark, b.
 Barnstead, N. H., March 17, 1848. Child:

1. Etta May Pitman³, b. Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 10, 1873.

2. Arthur William Pitman³, b. Oct. 25, 1851; d. April 3, 1852.

3. Almira Frances Pitman³, b. July 17, 1854; m. May 5, 1874,
 Charles Clement Currier of Belmont, N. H.; b. Gilmanton,
 N. H., Feb. 9, 1845. Children:

1. Addie May Currier³, b. Barnstead, N. H., Aug. 5, 1875.

2. Alice Gertrude Currier³, b. Maplewood, Mass., Nov. 8,
 1880.

4. Charles William Pitman^a, b. Aug. 17, 1859; shoe manufacturer; res. Barnstead, N. H. He m. Nettie Stevens of that town.
60. Frances Caroline Nutter¹, b. Barnstead, N. H., March 22, 1829. She m. Aug. 3, 1854, Jereniah Orto, son of Asa and Harmah (Wingate) Winkley of Barrington, N. H. He was b. Feb. 5, 1830; res. Boston, Mass.; paperhanger. Children:
 1. Josephine Augusta Winkley^a, b. Boston, Mass., Aug. 1, 1855; m. Sept. 8, 1875, John Conner of Limerick, Me., b. Parsonfield, Me., Aug. 9, 1843; res. Chelsea, Mass. Children:
 - i. Mildred McCollom Connor^a, b. Boston, Mass., Nov. 11, 1877.
 - ii. Ralph Winkley Connor^a, b. Chelsea, Mass., Jan. 19, 1885.
 - iii. Marlon Foye Connor^a, b. Chelsea, Mass., Dec. 21, 1886.
 2. Lizzie Wingate Winkley^a, b. Parsonfield, Me., Sept. 1, 1860; is employed in the office of the *Youth's Companion*, Boston, Mass.
 3. Lura Frances Winkley^a, b. Parsonfield, Me., May 17, 1863; res. Boston, Mass.
61. John Franklin Nutter¹, b. Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 21, 1830; d. Jan. 3, 1835.
62. Sophia Jane Nutter¹, b. Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 4, 1832; d. Sept. 29, 1882. She m. Sept. 12, 1833, George Franklin Clough of Belmont, N. H., who was b. in Upper Gilmanton, N. H. (now Belmont), Oct. 13, 1833; farmer; res. Belmont, N. H. Children b. Upper Gilmanton, N. H.:
 1. Josephine May Clough^a, b. Nov. 5, 1866; m. May 12, 1883, Abdon Nutter Foss of North Barnstead, N. H., b. Aug. 15, 1860. Child:
 - i. Jennie May Clough^a, b. Aug. 13, 1884.
 2. Nellie Frances Clough^a, b. March 18, 1868; res. Barnstead, N. H.
63. Ellen Augustus Nutter¹ (a twin sister of Sophia Jane), b. Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 4, 1832; d. Jan. 20, 1835.
64. Ann Rebecca Nutter¹, b. Portsmouth, N. H., March 27, 1834; m. Oct. 2, 1853, Joseph F., son of Henry Langley of Barnstead, N. H., who was b. Aug. 18, 1831; farmer; res. Pittsfield, N. H. No children.
65. Josephine Augustus Nutter¹, b. Portsmouth, N. H., April 6, 1838. She m. May 12, 1860, John M. Jenness of Alton, N. H., where he was b. Dec. 3, 1833, and d. at Barnstead Parade, N. H., Oct. 21, 1889. She lives with her sister, Mrs. Langley, in Pittsfield, N. H. N. She took her nephew, Joseph William Whittem, when two years of age, and cared for him as she would have cared for son of her own. His name is changed to William Whitten Jenness. (See No. 57, 7th child.) He graduated at Bates college, Lewiston, Me., in 1885, and received the degree of A. M. from the same.
66. Mary Norris^a [23] (Joseph^a, Moses^a, James^a, Moses^a, Nicholas^a). She was born in Barnstead, N. H., on Wednesday, July 15, 1796. She married Henry Blaisdell of Pittsfield, N. H. He was a farmer and stone cutter. They lived on a farm in Barnstead, N. H., for several years. He was born in 1803; died Alton, N. H., in 1848. His widow, a very energetic woman, returned to Pittsfield, N. H., and resided in the village until her death.

CHILDREN BORN BARNSTEAD, N. H.

67. Lucy White Blaisdell¹, b. July 10, 1823. She lived with her mother and was a most faithful and loving daughter. In her mother's last years, when the infirmities of age pressed heavily upon her, she

17, 1859; shoe manufacturer; Nettie Stevens of that town. N. H., March 22, 1829. She was of Asa and Harrah (Win- He was b. Feb. 5, 1830; res. en: Boston, Mass., Aug. 1, 1855; of Limerick, Me., b. Parson- Chelsea, Mass. Children: b. Boston, Mass., Nov. 11, Chelsea, Mass., Jan. 10, 1885. Chelsea, Mass., Dec. 21, 1886. onfield, Me., Sept. 1, 1890; is Youth's Companion, Boston, onfield, Me., May 17, 1863; res.

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mental and physical powers gave way, she cared for her with the most unselfish devotion. She lives in Pittsfield, N. H.

68. Eliza Ann Blaisdell⁷, b. about 1823; d. aged 3 years.

69. Nancy Norris⁶ [31] (Joseph⁴, Moses⁴, James⁴, Moses², Nicholas¹). She was born Sunday, April 18, 1802. She married Nehemiah Kimball of Rochester, N. H. He was a farmer and lumberman. Prominent among his associates, he was held in high esteem by all. Was a Republican in politics, and resided in Alton, N. H., at time of his death, October, 1847. She was in all respects worthy of her husband. After her husband's death she removed to Pittsfield, and resided till her death, Oct. 21, 1881, with her sister Mrs. Blaisdell.

CHILDREN.

70. Sarah E. Kimball⁷, b. Rochester, N. H., Oct. 11, 1829; m. Dec. 24, 1851, Amos L. Rollins of Alton, N. H. He was b. Dec. 11, 1826, and was son of Ichabed and Sarah (Walker) Rollins of Alton. He was town clerk of Alton, 1852; treasurer of Lake Insurance Co., 1858; and in 1870 and in 1880 was member of the Legislature; and in 1873 was one of the commissioners of Belknap county. Mrs. Rollins died March, 1871. Five children.

71. Joseph Paul Kimball⁷; m. Lucy Freeman of Alton Corner, N. H. He was a merchant; res. at Alton, then removed to Marlborough, Mass., where he and his wife d. of typhoid fever and are buried at Alton, N. H. Children:

1. Charles Kimball⁸; deceased.
2. John Sinclair Kimball⁸; res. Rochester, N. H.
3. Arthur Kimball⁸; is deceased.

72. Martha Kimball⁷; m. Dudley P. Evans of Alton Corner, N. H. He was deputy sheriff and undertaker. Children:

1. Mabel Evans⁸.
2. Harry Evans⁸.

73. Mahala Norris⁶ [32] (Joseph⁴, Moses⁴, James⁴, Moses², Nicholas¹). She was born in Barnstead, N. H., on Monday, July 2, 1804. She married Josiah Edwards of Gilmanton, N. H.; farmer. He died, and she married 2d Jonathan Folsom of Laconia, N. H.; farmer. They are deceased.

CHILDREN BY FIRST HUSBAND.

74. Adeline Edwards⁷; m. Frank Sanders of Worcester, Mass.; then moved to North Hampton, Mass. They are deceased and there are no children.

75. Emery Edwards⁷; went West and is deceased.

76. Eliza Edwards⁷; was deaf and dumb. She supported herself at the trade of a printer.

77. Hannah Edwards⁷; m. her deceased sister's husband, Frank Sanders, of North Hampton, Mass.

78. Sarah Edwards⁷; m. Mr. Aldrich; res. Worcester, Mass.

79. Joseph S. Norris⁶ [33] (Joseph⁴, Moses⁴, James⁴, Moses², Nicholas¹). He was born in Barnstead, N. H., on Friday, Dec. 26, 1806, and succeeded his father upon the homestead in that town,

where his life was spent and where he died Feb. 2, 1850, aged 43 years. He married Rosella Smith of Gilmanton, N. H., and she is deceased.

CHILD BORN BARNSTEAD, N. H.

80. Joseph S. Norris⁷, b. May 22, 1850; res. Rochester, N. H.; was connected with the police force. He m. Aug., 1870, Isabel M. Ricker of Farmington, N. H., where she was born May 15, 1853. Children:
1. Martha A. Norris⁸, b. Farmington, N. H., Dec. 26, 1871.
 2. Minnie E. Norris⁸, b. Rochester, N. H., April 27, 1874.
 3. Josie F. Norris⁸, b. Rochester, N. H., Sept. 18, 1870.

81. Trueworthy Norris⁷ [35] (True⁸, Moses⁸, Moses⁸, James⁸, Moses⁸, Nicholas⁸). He was born Pittsfield, N. H., Jan. 12, 1819, married Feb. 11, 1840, Mary Jane, daughter of Nicholas and Betsey (True) Brown of Pittsfield. Her parents were of Chichester. Mrs. Brown and her parents were natives of Seabrook, N. H. Mr. Norris resided in Windham in 1862. He was a member of the 5th Rhode Island Heavy Artillery, and died in the service at Newbern, North Carolina, April 29, 1863. Mrs. Morris was born in Seabrook, N. H., April 17, 1818. Resided in 1890 at Fells, Malden, Mass.

CHILDREN.

82. George Washington Norris⁸ (100), b. Pittsfield, N. H., March 13, 1841; lawyer; office, 200 Washington street, Boston, Mass.
83. Bracket Livingstone Norris⁸, b. Pittsfield, N. H., Aug. 14, 1843. He left home in 1859, and has never since been heard from.
84. Franklin Pierce Norris⁸, b. Manchester, N. H., March 31, 1845. Served nine months in a Massachusetts Regt. (the 6th probably) in 1862. Was clerk of the Moline Lumber Co., located at Moline, Ill., for four years. Was then in Epsom, N. H. Then read law with Mason W. Tappan at Concord, N. H.; was admitted to the bar, and d. in Concord May 7, 1884, and buried in Pittsfield, N. H.
85. Olive Jane Norris⁸, b. Pittsfield, N. H., May 17, 1850; m. July 26, 1868, Samuel Walcott, merchant, in Boston; res. Somerville, Mass. He was b. in Pepperell, N. H., and is deceased. She d. Aug. 20, 1870; is interred at Natick, Mass.; no children.
86. True Worthy Norris, Jr.⁸, b. at Amesbury, Mass., Nov. 2, 1854; m. July 4, 1874, Susan A. Shelburn of Pittsfield, N. H.; res. at Fells, Malden, Mass. Children:
1. Arthur D. Norris⁸, b. April 25, 1875; d. Oct. 31, 1882.
 2. Walter A. T. Norris⁸, b. March 2, 1877.
 3. Mary Rose Norris⁸, b. Sept. 17, 1878.
 4. Susie Eva Norris⁸, b. Feb. 17, 1883.
 5. Harry E. Norris⁸, b. June 9, 1888.
87. Mary Addie Norris⁸, b. Amesbury, Mass., May 9, 1859; d. Oct. 2, 1870, and is interred at Pittsfield, N. H.
88. Moses A. Norris⁸, b. at the "Abbot place" in "the Range" in Windham, N. H., June 9, 1862; m. Nannie Baird of Curwensville, Clearfield Co., Penn., June 26, 1884, where they reside. She was b. May 3, 1859. Children b. Curwensville, Penn.:
1. Susan M. Norris⁸, b. Sept. 8, 1885.
 2. A. Kate Norris⁸, b. March 27, 1888.

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Pittsfield, N. H.

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89. Arthur Fitzroy Livingston Norris⁷ [36] (True⁴, Moses⁴,
Moses⁴, James⁴, Moses⁴, Nicholas⁴). He was born in Pittsfield,
N. H., March 17, 1821. Graduated at Dartmouth college in 1845.
Was a lawyer, and resided in Pittsfield for thirty years, but had
practised his profession in Manchester, N. H., and in Lowell,
Woburn, Lynn, and Boston, Mass. The last few years he had an
office in Concord, N. H., which was his place of residence. He
married May 25, 1846, Olive Willard, daughter of John Wallace of
Dover, N. H. He died Nov. 1, 1889.

CHILDREN.

90. Arthur Fitzroy Norris⁸, b. Manchester, N. H., March 4, 1847; m. Dec.
22, 1871, Lucy C. Nute; lawyer; res. Charlestown, Mass.
91. True Livingstone Norris⁸, b. Manchester, N. H., May 4, 1848; m. Feb.
3, 1869, Sarah E. Holden. He m. May 20, 1890, Lillian G., daugh-
ter of Albert S. Hurst of Elliot, Me. Lawyer and journalist; res.
Portsmouth, N. H.
92. John McDonough Norris⁸, b. Pittsfield, N. H., Feb. 3, 1850; m. July
6, 1871, Annie Riley; res. Boston, Mass.
93. Fannie Darling Norris⁸, b. Pittsfield, N. H., Jan. 4, 1852; m. Dec. 7,
1878, Horace Wallace Cutting; res. New York, N. Y.
94. Alice Alfreda Norris⁸, b. Lowell, Mass., Feb. 25, 1854; res. Boston,
Mass.
95. Mary Olive Norris⁸, b. Lowell, Mass., Aug. 1, 1857; m. George W.
Smith; res. Dover, N. H. He is a trader.
96. { Thomas Gordon Norris⁸, b. Lowell, Mass., Aug. 20, 1859; m. Nov. 1,
1882, Mary A. Jones; res. Concord, N. H.
97. { Lois Gordon Norris⁸, b. Lowell, Mass., Aug. 20, 1859; d. Feb. 27,
1860.
98. Lois Wallace Norris⁸, b. Lowell, Mass., Aug. 20, 1861; m. Sept. 18,
1883, William W. Kennedy; trader; res. Concord, N. H.
99. Charles Madison Norris⁸, b. Woburn, Mass., Sept. 22, 1863; m. Nov.
30, 1887, Lizzie Geddes; baggage master; res. Concord, N. H.

100. George Washington Norris⁸ [82] (Trueworthy⁷, Moses⁴,
Moses⁴, Moses⁴, James⁴, Moses⁴, Nicholas⁴). He was born Pitts-
field, N. H., March 13, 1841; married Sept. 1, 1864, Sarah E.,
daughter of Thomas A. and Mary P. (Adams) Williams of Chelsea,
Mass. She was born Boston, April 17, 1843; attorney. Office, 209
Washington street, Boston, Mass. He was educated in the common
schools, and in the private school of a high order of James C. Davis
at Amesbury, Mass. Studied law in Lowell and Boston, Mass., and
was admitted to the Massachusetts bar in 1862, and has since that
date been in the active practice of his profession. Is a Democrat, and
has been a member of the Democratic State Committee of Massachu-
setts. Has resided in Chelsea, Ashland, and Woburn, Mass. He
served six years on the School Board in Woburn, and was chairman
for two years. For three years he was a member of the Board of
Water Commissioners, and chairman one year. On July 26, 1886, he
was confirmed as United States Indian agent, to which he had been
appointed by President Cleveland on May 18, 1886, for the Nez
Perce Indians in Idaho Territory. His headquarters were at Fort

Lapwai, fourteen miles east from Lewiston. This position he resigned Dec. 1, 1888, and was relieved in February, 1889. He then returned to Boston, Mass., and resumed the practice of the law.

CHILDREN.

101. Blanch Elizabeth Norris^a, b. Chelsea, Mass., July 2, 1865; m. June 1, 1889, at Boise City, Idaho territory, James L. Silcott of Lewiston, Idaho territory, who is a native of Loudon Co., Va. No children.
102. Bertha Williams Norris^a, b. Chelsea, Mass., Nov. 21, 1866; m. at Woburn, Mass., March 12, 1883, William R. Newcomb, a native of that city. He is a machinist. No children.
103. Mabel Adams Norris^a, b. Pittsfield, N. H., March 13, 1868. She was a teacher in the U. S. Government Indian school on the Nez Perce reservation, Idaho Territory, from 1886 to 1889.
104. Mary Edith Norris^a, b. Lowell, Mass., Sept. 4, 1869. She held the position of U. S. Government agency clerk at the Nez Perce Indian reservation, Idaho Territory, from 1886 to 1889.
105. George W. Norris^a, b. Ashland, Mass., Nov. 14, 1871; d. Nov. 14, 1874.
106. Marcus Norris^a, b. Ashland, Mass., June 4, 1873; d. Oct. 10, 1874.
107. Grace Lakeman Norris^a, b. Woburn, Mass., June 7, 1878.
108. Sarah Elizabeth Norris^a, b. Woburn, Mass., Jan. 19, 1880.
109. Dan Norris^a, b. Woburn, Mass., Dec. 18, 1884.

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APPENDIX.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OF THE DESCENDANTS OF JOHN SINKLER¹, OF EXETER, N. H.

1. Sally Sinclair², [see No. 134, page 102] (Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, Samuel⁶, John¹). According to latest information she was born in Greensboro', Vt., Sept. 5, 1783; married July 8, 1804, Amos Smith, Jr., born Lyme, Conn., Aug. 6, 1785. He was son of Amos Smith, Sr., a Revolutionary soldier of Lyme, Conn., born Oct. 2, 1756; died April 11, 1843. His mother was Lucinda Miller, daughter of Robert and Martha Miller of Lyme. Richard Smith and his wife, Grace Moon, Lyme, Conn., were the grandparents of Amos Smith, Jr., who died in 1850 at Greensboro', Vt. Sally (Sinclair) Smith died there Feb. 8, 1899. Child:

2. Martha Wade Smith⁷, born Greensboro', Vt., March 1, 1806; married April 30, 1826, Charles Marsh, born Saurbridge, Mass., Jan. 9, 1804; died at Craftsbury, Vt., Nov. 11, 1859, where he had been one of the first settlers. (Charles Marsh⁸, Israel⁹, Humphrey¹⁰, Ebenezer¹¹, Zachary¹², John¹³ of Salem, Mass., in 1633.) She married 2d Horace Ware, and died in Chicago, Ill., Aug. 2, 1882.

CHILDREN BORN CRAFTSBURY, VT.

3. Samuel Phillips Marsh¹⁴, b. Jan. 27, 1827; d. Aug. 9, 1828.
4. Charles Adoniram Judson Marsh¹⁵ (6), b. March 13, 1830; res. Minneapolis, Minn.
5. Martha Maria Marsh¹⁶, b. March 2, 1834; m. 1st Henry Holton Sprague, b. March 31, 1832; d. Nov. 16, 1859. She m. 2d, May 25, 1861, Elias P. Boardman, b. Dec. 28, 1821. She d. Feb. 27, 1865. Children:

1. Jennie Eliza Sprague¹⁷, b. July 27, 1855; m. Sept. 12, 1872, Charles A. Plastringe of Cincinnati, Ohio. No children.

2. Hattie Carrie Marsh Sprague¹⁸, b. July 20, 1859; m. Nov. 15, 1883, Cornelius V. Lynde. Child:

1. Frederick S. Lynde¹⁹, b. Jan. 30, 1888; d. Feb., 1895.

6. Charles Adoniram Judson Marsh²⁰ [4] (Martha W. Smith⁷, Sally Sinclair², Benjamin³, Thomas⁴, Joseph⁵, James², John¹). He was born at Craftsbury, Vt., March 13, 1830; married 1st, Dec. 19, 1854, Caroline Rhobe Damon²¹, born Feb. 8, 1833; died April 21, 1874. She was daughter of Dr. George Damon²², a prominent physician of Barnet, Caledonia co., Vt. (Son of Ebenezer²³, Joseph²⁴, David²⁵, Ebenezer²⁶, Samuel²⁷, John²⁸ of Reading, Mass., in 1650.)

He married 2d, Feb. 3, 1875, Ellen Augusta Barnard, born Athol, Mass., March 16, 1840, daughter of Rev. Stephen A. and Persis (Burton) Barnard. Mr. Marsh was for several years a teacher, being principal of Vermont academies. Before the war he was professor of mathematics in Columbus college, Georgia. He returned to Vermont and engaged in manufacturing. He was a member of the United States Christian Commission for Vermont during a portion of the war, 1861-65. He received the honorary degree of Master of Arts from the University of Vermont in 1868. Was principal of the High school, and superintendent of schools in St. Albans, Vt., for several years. He has been a resident of Minneapolis, Minn., since 1873.

CHILDREN.

7. George Samuel Marsh⁹ (12), b. Craftsbury, Vt., March 13, 1855; res. Evanston, Ill.
8. Charles Henry Judson Marsh⁹, b. Craftsbury, Vt., March 19, 1857; d. April 21, 1862.
9. Vincentine Martha Marsh⁹, b. Craftsbury, Vt., May 2, 1862; d. April 30, 1866.
10. Annie Dunbar Marsh⁹, b. St. Albans, Vt., Jan. 17, 1868; d. Sept. 21, 1868.

CHILD BY SECOND MARRIAGE.

11. Olive Vincentine Marsh⁹, b. Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 30, 1877.

12. George Samuel Marsh⁹ [7] (Charles A. J. Marsh⁸, Martha W. Smith⁷, Sally Sinclair⁶, Benjamin⁵, Thomas⁴, Joseph³, James², John¹ of Exeter, N. H., in 1658). He was born Craftsbury, Vt., Oct. 13, 1855; m. July 14, 1880, at Evanston, Ill., Emma Drennen, daughter of Benjamin Power Drennen and his wife, Maria Jane Benson. She was born at Steubenville, Ohio, May 27, 1850. George Samuel Marsh received common school, academic, and commercial college education. Entered the service of the Central Vermont Railway at St. Albans August, 1869. From September, 1871, to June, 1872, fitting for college at Kimball Union academy, Meriden, N. H. Re-entered railway service September, 1872, since which time with following companies successively, viz.: West Wisconsin, Chicago & North-Western, Chicago & Grand Trunk, Minneapolis & St. Louis, Milwaukee, Lake Shore and Western Railway, and since March, 1889, with Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Co. Office, Old Colony building, Chicago, as assistant general passenger and ticket agent. Member Illinois society of Colonial Wars, Sons of the Revolution, Sons of American Revolution. Member executive committee Sons of Vermont Association of Illinois, and connected with other societies and organizations. Resides Evanston, Ill.

CHILDREN.

13. Alice Damon Marsh¹⁰, b. Minneapolis, Minn., April 21, 1881.
14. Charles Drennen Marsh¹⁰, b. Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 13, 1883.
15. Everett Thomas Marsh¹⁰, b. St. Paul, Minn., April 5, 1885.
16. Robert Bridgman Marsh¹⁰, b. St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 25, 1886.

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17. Mrs. Rachel St. Clair Jacoby⁴. (See No. 2278, p. 360.) She married Aug. 12, 1893, James S. Miller of Sumneytown; reside Montgomery co., Penn. She asserts that Capt. Daniel St. Clair (p. 355) married Rachel Shannon, as given. While another branch of this St. Clair family say he married Rachel Knight. Both names are now given, and descendants and relatives can take which they choose for an ancestor or relative.

Mrs. Miller asserts that Arthur St. Clair², son of Capt. Daniel² (see No. 2238, p. 355), married Mary Fitzwater instead of Sarah Pugh. On many other points there is conflicting testimony and great confusion in the records sent me by different members of the Sancto Claro family.

CHILDREN.

18. Julia St. Clair Jacoby³, b. July 29, 1861; m. John S. Bergey of Philadelphia, Penn., Feb., 1890. Children:

1. William Henry Bergey⁶.
2. Edna Bergey⁶.

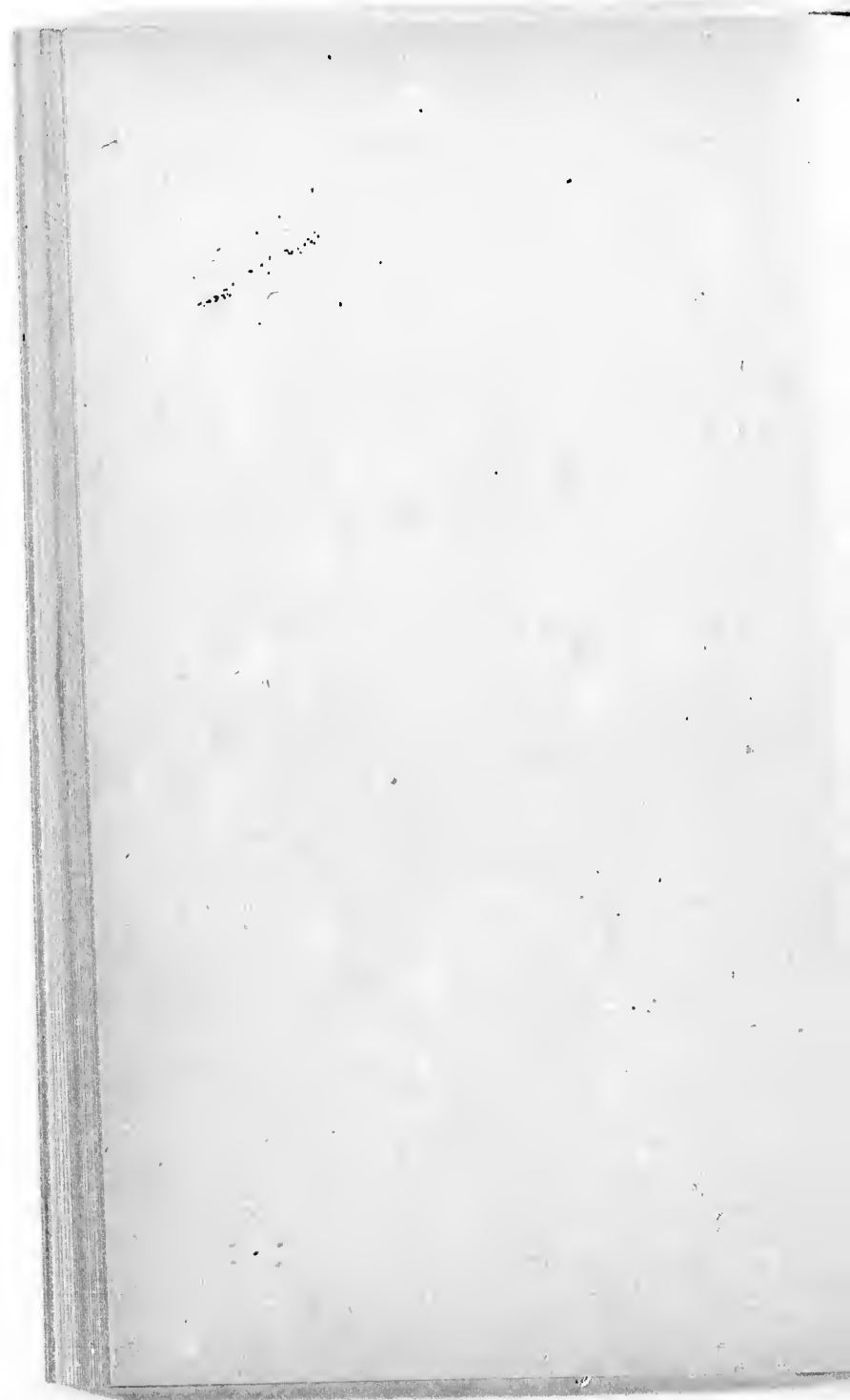
19. Daniel St. Clair Jacoby⁵, b. 1864; unmarried.

20. Charlotte Jacoby⁵, b. 1865; d. Aug. 3, 1878, aged 12 yrs. 9 mos.

21. James St. Clair Jacoby⁶, b. 1867; d. aged 8 mos.

22. Julia Edey St. Clair⁵ (see No. 2279, p. 360); m. Rev. John W. Leadenham.

23. Grace Jones Sinclair³ (Charles A.³, John G.⁷, Charles G.⁶, Lieut. Richard⁵, Col. Richard⁴, Samuel³, John², John¹). (See No. 1929, p. 310.) She married at Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 1, 1896, Parker Williams Whittemore. He was graduated at Harvard University in 1895. Resides Portsmouth, N. H.





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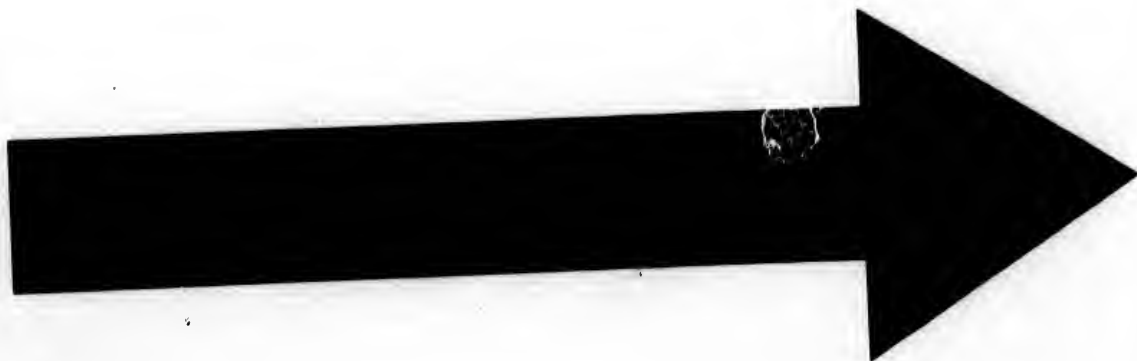
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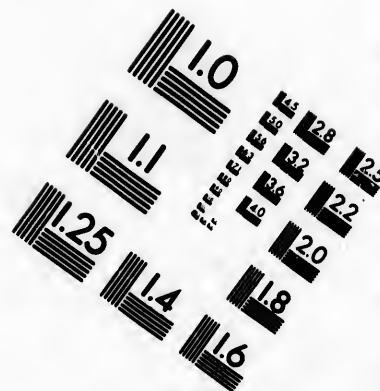
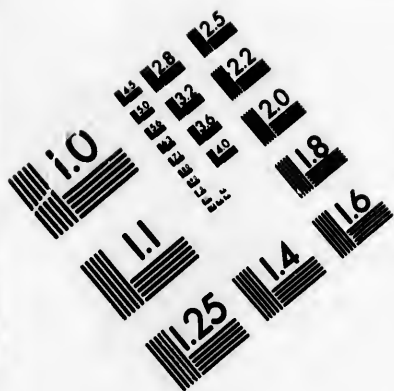
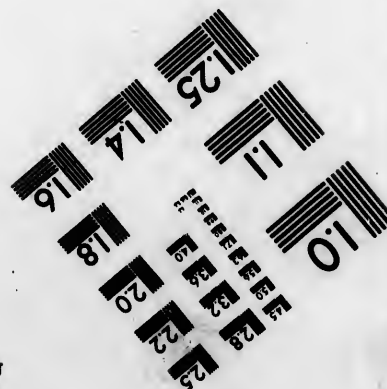
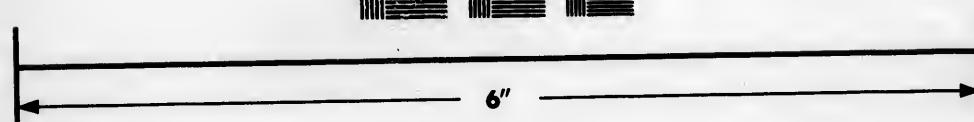
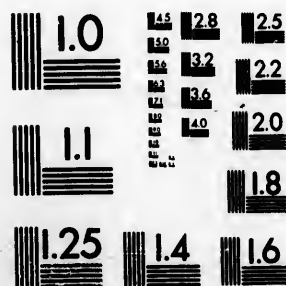


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